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## A MESSAGE FROM THE BOV CHAIR:

**WHEN I BEGAN MY TENURE AS CHAIR OF THE MARYLAND CAREY LAW BOARD OF VISITORS, MANY OF THE INITIAL DISCUSSIONS I HAD WITH STAFF, FELLOW ALUMNI, AND CURRENT STUDENTS CENTERED AROUND THE LAW SCHOOL'S RELATIONSHIP WITH THE BALTIMORE COMMUNITY.**

While Maryland Carey Law has always had a strong presence in the Baltimore-Metro area, we all concluded there was more work to be done, with particular focus on the community in which the law school lives.

The Board of Visitors has made this important work a top priority and created some meaningful impact over the past year, including building a relationship between the law school and a local middle school and strengthening its legal camp program this summer. Our commitment is ongoing. We will continue to engage in thoughtful discussion and work to create opportunities that enhance the experiences of our students, engage our alumni volunteers, and inspire fellow community members.

Alumni play a crucial role at Maryland Carey Law. You volunteer as trial team coaches, 1L mentors, panel participants, and more. Your support creates meaningful impact in the lives of our students and truly makes a difference. If you are interested in getting more involved with the law school as a volunteer or donor, we want to hear from you. Please call or email the Office of Development and Alumni Relations at 410-706-2070, or [alumni@law.umaryland.edu](mailto:alumni@law.umaryland.edu).

I look forward to another successful year, and thank you in advance for your commitment to Maryland Carey Law.

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