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JEANNE HITCHCOCK JOINS COLLEGEBOUND BOARD OF DIRECTORS

BALTIMORE (March 7, 2018) – Today the CollegeBound Foundation Board of Directors elected Jeanne D. Hitchcock, Esq., to the Board. A lifelong Baltimorean, Ms. Hitchcock works at Johns Hopkins University and Medical Systems as Special Advisor on Local Government, Community, and Corporate Affairs. In that capacity, she represents Johns Hopkins with elected officials and corporate and community partners to promote Hopkins’ priorities and to advance its economic development presence in the community.



Prior to 2015, for the preceding 8 years, Ms. Hitchcock served in the Governor of Maryland’s cabinet as Secretary of Executive Appointments. During her tenure on the cabinet, Hitchcock was responsible for over 10,000 appointments on behalf of the Governor and also served as his chief legislative officer in the 2014 session of the General Assembly. From 2000 to 2007, Ms. Hitchcock was the Deputy Mayor for the city of Baltimore. She oversaw intergovernmental relations for the Mayor in the U.S. Congress, the Maryland General Assembly, and the Baltimore City Council. Her portfolio included the Baltimore City School system.

Earlier in her career, Ms. Hitchcock served as Chief Operating Officer for the national office of the NAACP and as an Assistant Attorney General in the Office of the Maryland Attorney General. Ms. Hitchcock is a proud graduate of Baltimore City Schools (Eastern High School), Morgan State University, and the University of Maryland School of Law.

About CollegeBound

For 30 years, the CollegeBound Foundation has helped Baltimore City public school students, many of whom are low-income and first-generation college students, realize their dreams of a college education. Today, CollegeBound operates in 16 Baltimore City public high schools and 2 middle schools, providing full-time college advisors and need-based funding through “Last Dollar Grants,” and administering an annual college scholarship portfolio of close to \$3 million. CollegeBound also stays with students through college graduation through the College Completion and Urban Scholars Programs. For more information, please visit collegeboundfoundation.org.

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