

## John P. Sarbanes 3rd District, Maryland Member of Congress

April 13, 2024

50th Anniversary Hellenic Heritage Achievement and National Public Service Awards Dinner

Dear Friends,

I am pleased to extend warm greetings to all those gathered for the American Hellenic Institute's (AHI) 50th Anniversary Hellenic Heritage Achievement and National Public Service Awards Dinner. I also offer my sincere congratulations to this year's recipient of the AHI Heritage Lifetime Achievement Award – Angelo K. Tsakopoulos – and the AHI Hellenic Heritage National Public Service Award – Caterina Papoulias-Sakellaris.

Each year, AHI gathers to celebrate individuals whose leadership and commitment has been integral to the Greek American community and AHI's furtherance of the shared interests of the United States, Greece, Cyprus, Southeast Europe and the Eastern Mediterranean. This year's awardees are part of the robust Greek American history of service, and I am delighted that their important work is receiving recognition.

I thank AHI for organizing a celebration that honors individuals who embody the spirit of Hellenism. Please accept my best wishes for a memorable event.



Sincerely,

John P. Sarbanes Member of Congress