
Subject: Sandra O'Connor retires!!!

Posted by [YSLMuffins](#) on Thu, 30 Jun 2005 20:09:39 GMT

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Quote:Associated Press

Wednesday, June 29, 2005; 11:12 AM

TOWSON -- Sandra O'Connor, Baltimore County's state's attorney for more than three decades, has said she will retire, her office said Wednesday.

A Republican, O'Connor said she would retire in December 2006 when her eighth term ends, according to a release from Baltimore County State's Attorney's office.

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O'Connor has been both criticized and praised for her aggressive use of the death penalty.

In a study of Maryland's death penalty released in January last year, University of Maryland professor Raymond Paternoster found that prosecutors in jurisdictions such as Baltimore County are more likely to seek capital punishment than counterparts in other jurisdictions, even when circumstances are similar. O'Connor has said her policy is to seek the death penalty in every case that meets the criteria established by state law -- an approach her supporters believe ensures fairness.

O'Connor grew up in Catonsville and obtained her law degree at Indiana University School of Law, according to a biography on the office Web site.

She worked eight years as a city prosecutor before beginning her 32-year reign as Baltimore County State's Attorney in 1974. She is the longest-serving prosecutor in the state.

<http://www.washingtonpost.com/wp-dyn/content/article/2005/06/29/AR2005062900869.html>

Subject: Re: Sandra O'Connor retires!!!

Posted by [Crimson](#) on Thu, 30 Jun 2005 21:04:08 GMT

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You know that's not the Supreme Court justice, right?

Subject: Re: Sandra O'Connor retires!!!

Posted by [TheMostHated](#) on Thu, 30 Jun 2005 21:14:49 GMT

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Muffins I'm sorry ,but you lost me with this one.

Subject: Re: Sandra O'Connor retires!!!

Posted by [Doitle](#) on Thu, 30 Jun 2005 21:53:21 GMT

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Who is Sandra O'Connor?

Subject: Re: Sandra O'Connor retires!!!

Posted by [Oblivion165](#) on Thu, 30 Jun 2005 22:34:38 GMT

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Doitle i always wanted to know. Whats with the farm equipment?

Subject: Re: Sandra O'Connor retires!!!

Posted by [YSLMuffins](#) on Fri, 01 Jul 2005 00:43:06 GMT

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Crimson wrote on Thu, 30 June 2005 16:34You know that's not the Supreme Court justice, right?

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Subject: Re: Sandra O'Connor retires!!!

Posted by [cowmisfit](#) on Fri, 01 Jul 2005 01:40:06 GMT

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Oblivion165 wrote on Thu, 30 June 2005 17:34Doitle i always wanted to know. Whats with the farm equipment?

King of the hill, Texas, i dunno it matches.

Subject: Re: Sandra O'Connor retires!!!

Posted by [Doitle](#) on Fri, 01 Jul 2005 07:12:35 GMT

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It's a satire. Striking deep at the heart of all the fancy jamba juice drinking idiots with their stylistic signatures that are like a starburst seen through broken glass that's on fire somehow. It means nothing, it's just junk. My signature is some beautiful pumping equipment with *gasp* a scanline filter on it! STYLIN! You can't take crap and use a buncha filters on it and think it's art.

Plus machinery is way cool.

Subject: Re: Sandra O'Connor retires!!!

Posted by [YSLMuffins](#) on Fri, 01 Jul 2005 16:36:49 GMT

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MSNBCSupreme Court Justice O'Connor retiring

<http://www.msnbc.msn.com/id/8430976/>

I'm sorry, even though this saddens me a little I can't help but find this amusing.

And, of course, I expect everyone here to have understood the humor of the parent post.

Subject: Re: Sandra O'Connor retires!!!

Posted by [Crimson](#) on Fri, 01 Jul 2005 17:54:08 GMT

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LOL - what's up with all these Sandra O'Connors!

Subject: Re: Sandra O'Connor retires!!!

Posted by [YSLMuffins](#) on Fri, 01 Jul 2005 23:52:39 GMT

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Let the political spectacle begin... =\
