

Before becoming a Delegate, Ms. Maurer was twice elected to the Montgomery County Board of Education, serving simultaneously as a Trustee of Montgomery College from 1960 to 1968. In 1967 she was elected to the Maryland Constitutional Convention where she served on the Executive Branch committee.

Born in New York on November 21, 1922, Ms. Maurer grew up in Rockland County, New York. She attended the then Woman's College of the University of North Carolina and was graduated from the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill in 1942 with a major in Economics. After working for the U.S. Tariff Commission as an economist, she attended Yale University and obtained an M.A. in General Studies in 1945. Ms. Maurer was awarded an honorary Doctor of Humanities from Hood College in 1984.

Ms. Maurer is a member of many community organizations, such as the League of Women Voters. She is the recipient of many honors and awards from groups such as the Maryland Association of Boards of Education, Maryland Association of Counties, Maryland Association for Retarded Children, and chapters of the Business and Professional Women, National Organization for Women, and the American Association of University Women. She is listed in *Who's Who in Government*, *Who's Who in American Politics*, *Who's Who of American Women*, *Foremost Women of the Twentieth Century*, and *Community Leaders and Noteworthy Americans*.

Ms. Maurer is married to Ely Maurer, an Assistant Legal Adviser in the U.S. Department of State. They have three grown sons, Stephen, Russell, and Edward.



WINFIELD M. KELLY, JR.

Secretary of State

Winfield M. Kelly, Jr., the Secretary of State, was born on September 2, 1935, in Prince George's County, Maryland, the son of Winfield M. Kelly, Sr., and Margaret Gwinn Kelly.

Secretary Kelly has a long distinguished career of public service. In 1970, Mr. Kelly was elected a County Commissioner in Prince George's County. In 1971, he was elected Chairman of the Board of County Commissioners. With the adoption of the charter form of government, Mr. Kelly ran for and was elected to the first County Council of Prince George's County, and served as its first chairman until 1974. He successfully campaigned and won the County Executive's position in 1974. As County Executive, he was the chief executive officer of the second most populous subdivision within the State of Maryland.

Mr. Kelly is the President of Prime Cable of Maryland. The system serves 135,000 residents in northern Prince George's County. He also serves as Chairman of the Board and Chief Executive Officer of Dimensions Health Care Corporation. Dimensions is a not-for-profit community corporation formed to direct three health care institutions—Laurel Hospital, Bowie Hospital, and Prince George's Hospital Center.

The Secretary serves on numerous boards and commissions, among which are the Apartment/