

RESOLUTION NO. R-2018-38

**A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TYLER, TEXAS, RE-APPOINTING JEFFREY L. LEVIN, M.D., AS THE SMITH COUNTY LOCAL HEALTH AUTHORITY AND AUTHORIZING MAYOR MARTIN HEINES TO SIGN THE REQUIRED STATE OF TEXAS CERTIFICATE OF APPOINTMENT; AND ESTABLISHING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.**

**WHEREAS**, it is the intent of the City Council to promote the public health, safety and welfare; and

**WHEREAS**, pursuant to an authorized Cooperative Agreement between the City of Tyler and Smith County, both entities are operating members of the Northeast Texas Public Health District (aka NET Health and herein referred to as "District"); and

**WHEREAS**, the Cooperative Agreement states that the Chief Operating Officer of the District shall appoint the Smith County Local Health Authority per Chapter 121 of the Texas Health and Safety Code with the approval of the District's Board of Health, the City of Tyler, and Smith County; and

**WHEREAS**, the Local Health Authority shall be a physician appointed to administer state and local laws related to public health within the District's jurisdiction; and

**WHEREAS**, the Local Health Authority shall serve a term of two years and may be appointed to serve successive terms; and

**WHEREAS**, the District's Chief Executive Officer proposes and the Board of Health has approved the re-appointment of Jeffrey L. Levin, M.D. as the Smith County Local Health Authority for a two year term effective October 1, 2018; and

**WHEREAS**, state law and the Cooperative Agreement require that the City of Tyler approve this appointment and that Mayor Heines sign the State of Texas Certificate of Appointment; and

**NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TYLER, TEXAS:**

**PART 1:** That the City Council accept the recommendation of the Northeast Texas Public Health District Chief Executive Officer and the Board of Health to approve the appointment of Jeffrey L. Levin, M.D. as the Smith County Local Health Authority for an initial two year term commencing October 1, 2018.

**PART 2:** That Mayor Heines be authorized to sign the required Certificate of Appointment for a Local Health Authority.

**PART 3:** That this Resolution shall take effect immediately upon its adoption.

**PASSED AND APPROVED** on this the 14<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2018.



ATTEST:  
  
ALESSANDRA BRAGER, CITY CLERK  
Patricia Peralta, Deputy City Clerk

MARTIN HEINES, MAYOR  
OF THE CITY OF TYLER, TEXAS

APPROVED:

STEVEN M. KEAN,  
DEPUTY CITY ATTORNEY



# Certificate of Appointment for a Health Authority

The Health Authority has been appointed and approved by the:

*(Check the appropriate designation below)*

Commissioners Court for \_\_\_\_\_ County

Governing Body for the Municipality of \_\_\_\_\_ City of Tyler

Director, \_\_\_\_\_ Health Department

Director, \_\_\_\_\_ Public Health District

I, \_\_\_\_\_ Martin Heines \_\_\_\_\_, acting in my capacity as:

*(Check the appropriate designation below)*

County Judge or Designee

Mayor or Designee

Non-physician and the Local Health Department Director

Non-physician and the Public Health District Director

do hereby certify the physician, \_\_\_\_\_ Jeffrey L. Levin, M.D. \_\_\_\_\_, who is licensed by the Texas Board of Medical Examiners, was duly appointed as the (check as applicable),

Health Authority

Health Authority Designee

for the jurisdiction of \_\_\_\_\_ City of Tyler \_\_\_\_\_, Texas.

Date term of office begins \_\_\_\_\_ October 1 \_\_\_\_\_, 20 18

Date term of office ends \_\_\_\_\_ September 30 \_\_\_\_\_, 20 20, unless removed by law.

I certify to the above information on this the \_\_\_\_\_ 14th \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ November \_\_\_\_\_, 2018.

A blue ink signature of the appointing official, which is illegible.