

COUNTY COUNCIL OF ANNE ARUNDEL COUNTY, MARYLAND

Legislative Session 2023, Legislative Day No. 7

Resolution No. 8-23

Introduced by Mr. Smith, Chair
(by request of the County Executive)

By the County Council, April 3, 2023

1 RESOLUTION approving the nomination of Tonii Gedin as Acting Health Officer

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3 WHEREAS, § 3-302 of the Health General Article of the State Code, provides that
4 the Health Officer for a county shall be nominated by the County and appointed by
5 the Secretary of the Maryland Department of Health (the “Secretary”); and

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7 WHEREAS, § 2-1-603 of the County Code provides that the County Executive
8 forward the name of a nominee for the position of Health Officer to the County
9 Council, and, if the County Council approves, the name of the nominee is
10 forwarded to the Secretary; and

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12 WHEREAS, both State and County law are silent on a method for nominating and
13 appointing an acting health officer; and

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15 WHEREAS, the Secretary has agreed that an Acting Health Officer may be
16 nominated by the County and subsequently appointed by the Secretary; and


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18 WHEREAS, the County Executive is recommending that Tonii Gedin serve as
19 Acting Health Officer, effective March 23, 2023; now, therefore, be it

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21 *Resolved by the County Council of Anne Arundel County, Maryland, That the County*
22 *Council approves the nomination of Tonii Gedin to serve as Acting Health Officer,*
23 *effective March 23, 2023; and be it further*

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25 *Resolved, That a copy of this Resolution be sent to Steuart Pittman, County Executive;*
26 *Tonii Gedin, Acting Health Officer; and Laura Herrera Scott, MD, MPH, Secretary of the*
27 *Maryland Department of Health.*

READ AND PASSED this 17th day of April, 2023.

By Order:


Laura Corby
Administrative Officer

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I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT RESOLUTION NO. 8-23 IS TRUE AND CORRECT AND DULY ADOPTED BY THE COUNTY COUNCIL OF ANNE ARUNDEL COUNTY.

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "P. I. Smith". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first name "Peter" and last name "Smith" clearly distinguishable.

Peter I. Smith
Chair