



PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTY GOVERNMENT
OFFICE OF THE COUNTY EXECUTIVE

October 3, 2023

Ms. Laura Herrera Scott
Secretary
Maryland Department of Health
201 West Preston Street
Baltimore, Maryland 21201

Dear Secretary Scott:

In accordance with Section 3-302 of the Health-General Article of the Annotated Code of Maryland, it is our pleasure to submit to you and the State of Maryland the nomination and appointment of Dr. Matthew D. Levy as Health Officer for Prince George's County. The Health Officer serves a vital role in providing executive leadership for public health while administering public health programs and enforcing County and State laws and policies. Dr. Levy will also be the County spokesperson for the Maryland Department of Health.

Dr. Matthew D. Levy was selected as the most qualified candidate for the Health Officer position and has demonstrated that he is a strong leader with a record of success and effectiveness. Prior to his appointment as Acting Health Officer, Dr. Levy was Professor and Chief of the Division of General and Community Pediatrics at the Medical College of Wisconsin in Milwaukee, Wisconsin. He served as the Medical Director of the Clinically Integrated Network for Children's Healthcare of Atlanta in Atlanta Georgia from 2017-2020. Dr. Levy served in various capacities with MedStar Georgetown University Hospital in Washington, D.C., including as Division Chief of Community Pediatrics from 2000-2017.

Dr. Levy fully meets the criteria as set forth in Health-General Article, Section 3-202 of the Annotated Code of Maryland. In accordance with Section 12-101.01 of the Prince George's County Code, we highly recommend that Dr. Matthew D. Levy is confirmed as Health Officer for Prince George's County. If you require additional information or have questions, please feel free to contact Dr. Sammi Areola, Deputy Chief Administrative Officer, at 301-952-4450.

Sincerely,

Angela D. Alsobrooks
County Executive

Thomas E. Dernoga
Chairman