



**AGENDA MEMORANDUM**  
Resolution for the City Council Meeting September 19, 2023

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**DATE:** September 19, 2023  
**TO:** Peter Zaroni, City Manager  
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Reappointment of Dr. Srikanth Ramachandrani as the Local Health Authority for the Corpus Christi-Nueces County Public Health District
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**CAPTION:**

Resolution approving reappointment of Dr. Srikanth Ramachandrani as the Local Health Authority for the Corpus Christi-Nueces County Public Health District (CCNCPHD); and authorizing execution of a professional service agreement in the amount of \$50,000 annually paid for by the City's Health District budget to serve as the Health Authority for a term of two years with the Public Health District.

**SUMMARY:**

This item is to approve the appointment of Dr. Srikanth Ramachandrani as the Health Authority for the CCNCPHD and authorize the execution of a professional service agreement to serve as the Health Authority for the Public Health District for a term of two years.

**BACKGROUND AND FINDINGS:**

History: On March 6, 2020, the Corpus Christi-Nueces County Public Health District entered into an agreement with Dr. Srikanth Ramachandrani to become the Local Health Authority. The agreement is set to expire on September 30, 2023.

Purpose: A Health Authority is a physician appointed under the provisions of the Local Public Health Reorganization Act, Health and Safety Code, Chapter 121 to administer state and local laws relating to public health within the appointing body's jurisdiction.

**ALTERNATIVES:**

Refuse resolution which would leave the CCNCPHD without a Local Health Authority and the CCNCPHD would have to defer all health authority compliance concerns to the Regional State Health Department for approval.

**FISCAL IMPACT:**

The City's financial impact is \$50,000.00 per year.

**FUNDING DETAIL:**

Fund: 1020

Organization/Activity: 12601

Mission Element: 44

Project # (CIP Only):

Account: 530000

**RECOMMENDATION:**

Staff recommends approval of this resolution authorizing the reappointment and execution of a professional service agreement with Dr. Srikanth Ramachandrani for a term of two years.

**LIST OF SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS:**

Resolution

Professional Service Contract