

**HEALTH, MOBILE COUNTY BOARD OF**

The presiding officer of each county commission shall be a member of the county board of health in his county. (Code 1907, 700; Acts 1919, No. 658, p.909; Code 1923, 1049; Code 1940. T. 22, 4)

The county board of health is a state agency and partakes in the state's immunity from liability, and thus summary judgement was correct as to the board since they are immune from liability. Williams v. Madison County Bd. Of Health, 523 So. 2<sup>nd</sup> 453 (Ala. Civ. App. 1988)

**Local Health Authorities 22-3-2** (5) To elect a county health officer, subject to the approval of the state committee of public health, who shall devote all of his time to the duties of his office and to fix his term of office at not less than three years in such counties of the state as shall, through their proper authorities, make appropriations for full-time public health service. No county health officer elect shall assume office until his election shall have been approved by the state committee of public health, and if such committee refuses to approve his election, another county health officer shall be forthwith elected.

**36-26-81. Appointment of public health service personnel.** The local health officer or his designee shall appoint such personnel as may be necessary to administer the public health services within the county or district. Upon the request of such local health officer or his designee, that state personnel department shall establish local register of eligibles who are residents of the county or district in which the vacancy exists. If no appointment is made from the local register or there is no local register, an appointment shall be made from the statewide register; provided, that on July 1, 1975, any person employed in county or district health departments under provisions of the merit system council for county departments of health shall be covered under the provisions of the state Merit System act with the same status (Acts 1975, 3<sup>rd</sup> Ex. Sess. No. 142, 2.)

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