



## Jackson County Department of Public Health

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### **Jackson County Board of Health Appoints Interim Director**

Interim Public Health Director effective October 1, 2023.

The Jackson County Board of Health has named Anna Lippard as Interim Jackson County Public Health Director beginning October 1, 2023. Mrs. Lippard's 14 years of public health experience includes Deputy Public Health Director in Jackson County. In addition to Deputy Health Director, she served previously as the Health Services Manager and Health Education Supervisor for the department. Mrs. Lippard and her family call Jackson County home.

*"Anna has had a principal role on the Leadership Team, working closely with our retired Health Director, Shelley Carraway. We have every confidence in Anna as she steps into the role continuing the mission and purpose of the Jackson County Department of Public Health. We look forward to working with her as we search for a permanent Health Director" says Kathy Farmer, Chairman of the Jackson County Board of Health.*

The mission of Jackson County Department of Public Health is to ensure, enhance, promote, and protect the health of our residents through prevention and education.

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