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## Certificate of Appointment

April 6, 2018

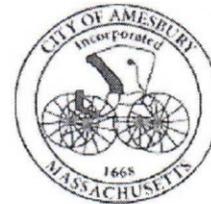
I hereby re-appoint Nathan Baxter as a member of the Health Care Trust Commission for a term to expire June 30, 2021, and I certify that said person has appeared before me and is qualified to perform the duties of said office and I make this appointment solely in the interest of the City of Amesbury.

Said person is not a member of another Amesbury board, committee, or commission, nor an employee of the City of Amesbury.



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Mayor

# City of Amesbury Massachusetts



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## APPLICATION FOR APPOINTMENT TO CITY BOARD, COMMITTEE OR COMMISSION

The city appreciates your interest in serving on one of its Boards, Committees or Commissions. Please complete this form and return it to the Mayor's Office in City Hall.

Name Nathan A. Baxter

Home address 36 Greenwood St., Amesbury, MA 01913

Mailing address (if different) \_\_\_\_\_

Home phone number 978-388-1430 /Business # 978-388-0009

Email address nathan@allsaintsanglican.org

Please indicate which Board, Committee, or Commission you are applying to be appointed to:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Board of Health                         | <input type="checkbox"/> Landry Stadium Commission                        |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Cable Advisory Commission               | <input type="checkbox"/> Liquor Licensing Commission                      |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Cemetery Advisory Committee             | <input type="checkbox"/> Master Plan Implementation & Oversight Committee |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Conservation Commission                 | <input type="checkbox"/> Parks & Recreation Commission                    |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Council on Aging                        | <input type="checkbox"/> Registrar of Voters                              |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Cultural Council                        | <input type="checkbox"/> Traffic and Transportation                       |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Fence Viewers                           | <input type="checkbox"/> Tree Board                                       |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Health Care Trust Commission | <input type="checkbox"/> Trustees of War Memorials                        |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Historical Commission                   | <input type="checkbox"/> Woodsom Farm Committee                           |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Lakes & Waterways                       | <input type="checkbox"/> Zoning Board of Appeals                          |

Ad hoc Committees- Please Identify \_\_\_\_\_

Fill vacancy of elected position\* – Identify Elected Board \_\_\_\_\_

\* Please send applications for elected positions to **City Clerk's Office** at City Hall.

1. Please explain why you would like to serve on a particular Board, Committee, or Commission.

If necessary add additional sheets.

The Health Care Trust Commission serves a vital area of need in a very special way. I feel privileged to be part of giving thoughtful financial support to people dealing with burdensome medical expenses.

Serving alongside the dedicated members of the Commission is a consistent source of encouragement, because I know we are making a difference in the wellbeing of people who, in many cases, are persevering courageously in situations of medical and financial stress.

I appreciate that we have a clear mandate, a fair yet flexible decision protocol, and a reliable and regular process that serves the individuals who reach out for help.

I love sharing the story of the AHCTC, and watching people have that reaction: "really? that's amazing! I should tell my neighbor about this...."

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2. Please briefly describe your education and any relevant work or life experience or other activity which, in your opinion, would be beneficial in carrying out the responsibilities of this office.

If necessary, attach additional sheets or your resume.

I'm a local pastor (All Saints Anglican Cathedral) and regularly interact with people here in Amesbury who are struggling to make ends meet. As a church, we do what we can to assist and support people in need. I'm so grateful to be able to recommend the AHCTC as a resource for assistance with medical bills.

By education, I'm a student of communication and culture (PhD, Indiana University). As a former college professor and departmental chair, as well as in my current role as Cathedral Dean, I understand the importance of fiscal responsibility and mission-guided decision protocols.

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3. Please list any city offices you have held in Amesbury or elsewhere.

*Date appointed or elected*

*Office*

*Term Expired*

not applicable

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4. Public service on a Board, Committee, or Commission can be demanding. Please indicate the realistic time commitment you are willing and able to make.

- 1 hour per week       2-4 hours per week       4-6 hours per week       Other 2-4 hrs

Additionally, please describe any standing commitments you may have which might conflict with set meeting schedules.

I keep my Thursday schedule free for the monthly AHCTC meeting.

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5. How did you hear about the vacancy on this City Board, Committee or Commission?

- City Hall Information Board  
 Council, Board, Committee or Commission Meeting  
 Newspaper  
 City Website  
 Word of mouth  
 Other: \_\_\_\_\_

6. APPLICANT'S STATEMENT AND SIGNATURE: I hereby submit this as my application for the position I have indicated on the front of this form. I understand that my completion of this form in no way assures appointment. All Board, Committee, and Commission vacancies will be filled by citizens deemed most qualified to serve in a particular capacity. I also understand that in the event that I am appointed to a position, my activities will be governed by the Massachusetts Conflict of Interest Law (M.G.L. c 268A), the Massachusetts Open Meeting Law (M.G.L.c.39), the Massachusetts Public Records Law (M.G.L. c. 66), the Massachusetts Campaign Finance Law (M.G.L. c 55), the Amesbury City Charter and ordinances, and all other applicable federal, state, and local laws or regulations.

Signature

Nathan A Bayter

Date

3/22/18