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## New Executive Director Hired

(June 27, FORT SMITH, AR) — United Way of Fort Smith Area is pleased to announce that Thomas (Tom) E. Minton has accepted the position of Executive Director/President. Tom has worked for Sebastian County since 2000, most recently as Assistant County Administrator. Minton is a native of Fort Smith and retired from the United States Air Force. He comes to the United Way with extensive administrative skills and experience and a passion for public service. Tom will join the United Way staff July 7.

“We have no doubt that Tom will pick up where Angela Tilley left off,” said Larry Bates, Chairman of the United Way Board, “working hard to understand the challenges facing our community and developing coalitions to implement solutions for a better way of living in the Fort Smith region.”

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- Providing Basic Needs
- Building Adult Independence
- Building Strong Communities