

Sponsor: Peters/Elliott

RESOLUTION NO. 17-23

A RESOLUTION OF THE LEGISLATIVE AUTHORITY OF THE CITY OF JACKSON, OHIO AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR OF THE CITY OF JACKSON OR CITY AUDITOR TO PARTICIPATE IN THE NEW NATIONAL OPIOID SETTLEMENTS WITH TEVA, ALLEGRAN, CVS, WALGREENS AND WALMART AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

WHEREAS, multiple States, including Ohio, have pursued opioid claims against Teva, Allergan, CVS, Walgreens and Walmart and the City of Jackson is permitted to participate in these claims;; and

WHEREAS, the City does not desire to pursue separate claims on its own behalf; and

WHEREAS, the date by which agree to participate in settlement is April 18, 2023; and

WHEREAS, this matter constitutes an emergency necessary for the preservation of the health, safety and welfare of the City immediate action is required in order to meet the deadline.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT THE LEGISLATIVE AUTHORITY OF THE CITY OF JACKSON GRANTS ITS APPROVAL AND CONSENT TO THE MAYOR OR CITY AUDITOR TO EXECUTE DOCUMENTS REQUIRED TO PARTICIPATE IN SETTLEMENT OF CLAIMS AGAINST TEVA, ALLERGAN, CVS, WALGREENS AND WALMART AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

This Resolution is hereby declared to be an emergency Resolution necessary to maintain the public health, safety and welfare for the reasons set forth above. Therefore, this Resolution shall go into effect upon passage and as provided in Ohio Revised Code Section 731.30.

In the event this Resolution receives a majority vote for passage but fails to receive the required number of votes to pass as an emergency, then this Resolution shall be deemed to have passed but with no emergency clause and shall take effect at the earliest time permitted by law.

It is hereby found and determined that all formal acts of this council concerning and relating to adoption of this Resolution were adopted in an open meeting of this council and that the deliberations of the council and any of its committees resulted in such formal action, where in meetings open to the public, in compliance with all legal requirements including Section 121.22 of the Ohio Revised Code.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Legislative Authority of the Political Subdivision on this 13<sup>th</sup>  
day of March 2023.

David D. Felt  
President of Council

ATTEST:

Cinda Kuhn  
Clerk of the Legislative Authority

Approved this 13<sup>th</sup> day of March 2023.

RAWOLANSKI  
Mayor