

## **RESOLUTION NO. 2065**

**A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TERRELL, KAUFMAN COUNTY, TEXAS, AUTHORIZING THE PARTICIPATION OF THE CITY OF TERRELL, TEXAS, IN THE OPIOID SETTLEMENTS WITH ALLERGAN, CVS, WALMART AND WALGREENS THROUGH THE OFFICE OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL OF TEXAS; AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO EXECUTE ANY AND ALL DOCUMENTS NECESSARY TO PARTICIPATE IN THE SETTLEMENTS; AND ESTABLISHING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.**

**WHEREAS**, the City of Terrell has obtained information indicating that certain drug companies and their corporate affiliates, parents, subsidiaries, and such other defendants as may be added to the litigation (collectively, "Defendants") have engaged in fraudulent and/or reckless marketing and/or distribution of opioids that have resulted in addictions and overdoses; and

**WHEREAS**, these actions, conduct and misconduct have resulted in significant financial costs to the City and its citizens; and

**WHEREAS**, on May 13, 2020, the State of Texas through the Office of the Attorney General, and a negotiation group for Texas political subdivisions entered into an Agreement entitled Texas Opioid Abatement Fund Council and Settlement Allocation Term Sheet (hereafter, the Texas Term Sheet) approving the allocation of any and all opioid settlement funds within the State of Texas. The Texas Term Sheet is attached hereto as Exhibit "A" and made a part hereof for all purposes; and

**WHEREAS**, the City Council of the City of Terrell has previously adopted and approved the Texas Term Sheet in its entirety

**NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TERRELL, TEXAS THAT:**

1. The City Council of the City of Terrell, Texas authorizing the participation of the City of Terrell in the opioid settlement with Allergan, CVS, Walmart and Walgreens.
2. That the City Manager or his designee is hereby authorized to execute all documents necessary for the City of Terrell to participate in this opioid settlement.
3. That this Resolution shall become effective immediately upon its approval by the Terrell City Council.

**PASSED AND APPROVED** by the City Council of the City of Terrell, Texas on this the 14<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2023.

  
E. Rick Carmona, Mayor

ATTEST:

  
Dawn Steil, City Secretary

