

PROPOSED

RESOLUTION NO. 22-008

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF Dadeville TO JOIN THE STATE OF ALABAMA AND OTHER LOCAL GOVERNMENTS AS PARTICIPANTS IN THE ENDO SETTLEMENT

WHEREAS, the opioid epidemic continues to impact communities in the United States, the State of Alabama, and the City of Dadeville, Alabama.

WHEREAS, the City of Dadeville has suffered harm and will continue to suffer harm as a result of the opioid epidemic;

WHEREAS, the State of Alabama and some Alabama local governments have filed lawsuits against opioid manufacturers, distributors, and retailers (“Opioid Litigation”);

WHEREAS, the State of Alabama has entered into a Settlement Agreement with Endo Health Solutions Inc. and Endo Pharmaceuticals Inc. (“Endo”), which includes the claims for the State of Alabama’s local governments, and the City of Dadeville finds the terms of the Settlement Agreement acceptable and in the best interest of the community;

WHEREAS, the State of Alabama has proposed an Endo Settlement Sign-On Agreement to the local governments and the City of Dadeville finds the terms of the Sign-On Agreement acceptable and in the best interest of the community;

WHEREAS, the Settlement Agreement and Sign-On Agreement detail the allocation of Settlement Funds, which the City of Dadeville finds acceptable and in the best interest of the community;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF Dadeville ALABAMA,

Section 1. That the City of Dadeville finds that participation in the Endo Settlement, Settlement Agreement and Sign-On Agreement is in the best interest of the City of Dadeville and its citizens because such a plan would ensure an effective structure for the commitment of Settlement Funds to abate and seek to resolve the opioid epidemic.

Section 2. That the City of Dadeville hereby expresses its support for the Endo Settlement and allocation and use of Settlement Funds as generally described in the Settlement Agreement and Sign-On Agreement.

Section 3. That the City of Dadeville's Clerk ("City Clerk") is hereby expressly authorized to execute the Endo Settlement Sign-On Agreement and the City Clerk is hereby authorized to execute any formal agreements necessary to implement the Endo Settlement and plan for the allocation and use of Settlement Funds.

Section 4. That the City Clerk is hereby expressly authorized to execute any formal agreement and related documents evidencing the City of Dadeville's agreement to the settlement of claims [and litigation] specifically related to Endo.

Section 5. That the City Clerk is authorized to take such other action as necessary and appropriate to effectuate the City of Dadeville's participation in the Endo Settlement.

Section 6. This Resolution is effective upon adoption, the welfare of the City of Dadeville, Alabama requiring it.

ADOPTED this the 22<sup>nd</sup> day of February, 2022.

Mayor: Jenny F. Goodman  
Attest: Delicia M. Miner  
City Clerk