Resolution No.	:

RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO EXECUTE THE NATIONAL OPIOIDS SETTLEMENT AGREEMENT(S) WITH KROGER/HARRIS TEETER IN THE OPIOID LITIGATION AND MARYLAND SUBDIVISION AGREEMENT

WHEREAS, national litigation regarding the impact of the distribution and use of Opioids has resulted in a proposed settlement agreement with Kroger/Harris Teeter ("Kroger/Harris Teeter National Opioids Settlement"); and

WHEREAS, the Maryland Attorney General has proposed a State-Subdivision Agreement to implement the distribution of funds to local governments in Maryland received through the Kroger/Harris Teeter Settlement; and

WHEREAS, under the Kroger/Harris Teeter National Opioids Settlement and State-Subdivision Agreement the City will receive funds and be eligible for grants to combat Opioid use within the City; and

WHEREAS, the Mayor and Council have determined that entry into the Kroger/Harris Teeter National Opioids Settlement and State-Subdivision Agreement is in the best interests of the City and its residents.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Mayor and City Council that the City Manager be and hereby is authorized to execute the Kroger/Harris Teeter National Opioid Settlement and State-Subdivision Agreement(s) and related documentation.

ADOPTED by the Mayor and City Council this ____ day of September 2024.

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	Talisha Searcy, Mayor
THIS IS TO CERTIFY that the foregoing Resolution was adopted by the Mayor & Ci Council in public meeting assembled on the day of September 2024	ty
Jessie Carpenter, City Clerk	
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