

CITY OF OBERLIN, OHIO

ORDINANCE No. 25-50 AC CMS

AN ORDINANCE ESTABLISHING AN OPIOID SETTLEMENT SPECIAL REVENUE FUND TO GO INTO IMMEDIATE EFFECT

WHEREAS, this Council passed Ordinance No. 23-28 AC CMS accepting the terms of the OneOhio subdivision settlement pursuant to the OneOhio memorandum of understanding (MOU); and

WHEREAS, this Council passed Ordinance No. 25- 21 AC CMS accepting the terms of and to participate in a settlement with Purdue Pharmaceutical and the Sakler family; and

Whereas, this Council passed Ordinance No. 25-28 AC CMS accepting the terms of and to participate in a settlement with Alvogen Amneal, Apotex, Hikma, Indivior, Mylan, Sun, and Zydus Pharmaceuticals; and

WHEREAS, the Ohio Auditor of State issued Bulletin No. 2022-003 indicating that Ohio Revised Code Section 5705.09 (F) requires subdivisions to establish separate funds for each class of revenue derived from a source other than the general property tax, which the law requires to be used for a particular purpose; and

WHEREAS, the Bulletin further states that the funds can only be used for the approved purposes as required by the OneOhio memorandum of understanding (MOU); and

WHEREAS, the MOU states that the "approved purposes shall mean evidence-based forward-looking strategies, programming and services used to (i) expand the availability of treatment for individuals affected by substance use disorders, (ii) develop, promote and provide evidence-based substance use prevention strategies, (iii) provide substance use avoidance and awareness education, (iv) decrease the oversupply of licit and illicit opioids, and (v) support recovery from addiction services performed by qualified and appropriately licensed providers, as is further set forth in the agreed Opioid Abatement Strategies"

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the Council of the City of Oberlin, County of Lorain, State of Ohio:

SECTION 1. That the Finance Director for the City of Oberlin is hereby authorized and directed to establish a "OneOhio Opioid Settlement Fund," a special revenue fund.

SECTION 2. That all opioid settlement funds distributed to the City of Oberlin be deposited into the Opioid Settlement Funds to be used only for the approved purposes as required by the OneOhio MOU.

SECTION 3. It is hereby found and determined that all formal actions of this Council concerning or relating to the adoption of this ordinance were adopted in an open meeting of this Council and that all deliberations of this Council and of any of its committees that resulted in such

formal action were in meetings open to the public in compliance with all legal requirements, including Section 121.22 of the Ohio Revised Code.

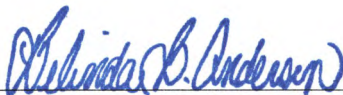
SECTION 4. To ensure the accurate tracking and expenditure of opioid settlement funds, and provided that at least five (5) members of Council determine by motion, this Ordinance shall go into full force and effect immediately after its passage; otherwise, it shall take effect on the earliest date allowed by law.

PASSED: 1st Reading: September 15, 2025

2nd Reading: _____

3rd Reading: _____

ATTEST:



BELINDA B. ANDERSON, MMC
CLERK OF COUNCIL



EBONI A. JOHNSON
PRESIDENT OF COUNCIL

POSTED: 09/16/2025

EFFECTIVE DATE: 09/15/2025