

**RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING ENTRY OF PARTICIPATION
AGREEMENTS IN PARTIAL SETTLEMENT OF THE NATIONAL
PRESCRIPTION OPIATE LITIGATION**

WHEREAS, the **COUNTY OF IRON** filed a lawsuit to address the public nuisance that is the Opioid Epidemic;

AND WHEREAS Associated Pharmacies, Inc.; J M Smith Corporation; Louisiana Wholesale Drug Company, Inc.; Morris and Dickson Co.; North Carolina Mutual Wholesale Drug Company, Inc.; United Natural Foods, Inc.; and their subsidiaries (hereinafter "*Six Remnant Defendants*") have negotiated a proposed settlement agreement (hereinafter "*Proposed Settlement*") for Eligible Entities;

AND WHEREAS the *Proposed Settlement* contains an agreement for the *Six Remnant Defendants* to pay a combined \$97,625,000.00 in cash to resolve pending opioid-related litigation;

AND WHEREAS the **COUNTY OF IRON** previously executed Participation Agreements for the Distributor and Janssen Settlements, the Teva, Allergan, CVS, Walmart, Walgreens Settlements, the Kroger Settlement, the Sandoz Settlement and the Secondary Manufacturer and Purdue/Sackler Settlements, which have conferred and continue to confer valuable benefits;

NOW THEREFORE, **COUNTY OF IRON** authorizes the execution of a Participation Agreement for the Remnant Defendants Settlement.

The foregoing resolution was offered by Commissioner Ean Bruette
and supported by Commissioner Jake Conery.

Yeas: Judd, Stauber, Conery, Bruette


Nays: None

Absent: Peretto

Resolution: Adopted

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the resolution adopted at a meeting of the **BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF THE COUNTY OF IRON** of the State of Michigan held March 25, 2026.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
OF THE COUNTY OF IRON

By: 
Amy Donati
Its Clerk