## A RESOLUTION BY THE COUNTY OF ALAMANCE TO DIRECT THE EXPENDITURE OF OPIOID SETTLEMENT FUNDS

**WHEREAS** Alamance County has joined national settlement agreements with companies engaged in the manufacturing, distribution, and dispensing of opioids.

**WHEREAS** the allocation, use, and reporting of funds stemming from these national settlement agreements and bankruptcy resolutions ("Opioid Settlement Funds") are governed by the Memorandum of Agreement Between the State of North Carolina and Local Governments on Proceeds Relating to the Settlement of Opioid Litigation ("MOA") and the Supplemental Agreement for Additional Funds from Additional Settlements of Opioid Litigation ("SAAF");

**WHEREAS** Alamance County has received Opioid Settlement Funds pursuant to these national settlement agreements and deposited the Opioid Settlement Funds in a separate special revenue fund as required by section D of the MOA;

**WHEREAS** section E.6 of the MOA states that, before spending opioid settlement funds, the local government's governing body must adopt a resolution that:

- (i) indicates that it is an authorization for expenditure of opioid settlement funds; and,
- (ii) states the specific strategy or strategies the county or municipality intends to fund pursuant to Option A or Option B, using the item letter and/or number in Exhibit A or Exhibit B to identify each funded strategy; and,
- (iii) states the amount dedicated to each strategy for a specific period of time.

**NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED,** in alignment with the NC MOA and SAAF, Alamance County authorizes the expenditure of opioid settlement funds as follows:

- 1. First strategy authorized
  - a. Name of strategy: Collaborative Strategic Planning
  - b. Strategy is included in Exhibit A
  - c. Item letter and/or number in Exhibit A or Exhibit B to the MOA: 1
  - d. Amount authorized for this strategy: \$45,013.77
  - e. Period of time during which expenditure may take place: Start date July 15th, 2024 through End date June 30<sup>th</sup>, 2025
  - f. Description of the program, project, or activity: Funding salary and fringe benefits for county personnel who dedicate at least 50% of their time to support the opioid planning, coordination, implementation, and monitoring of services and programs related to opioid settlement and opioid remediation activities.
- g. Provider: Alamance County Government
- 2. Second strategy authorized
  - a. Name of strategy: Evidence-based Addiction Treatment
  - b. Strategy is included in Exhibit A
  - c. Item letter and/or number in Exhibit A or Exhibit B to the MOA: 2
  - d. Amount authorized for this strategy: \$599,999.00
  - e. Period of time during which expenditure may take place: Start date July 15<sup>th</sup>, 2024 through End date June 30<sup>th</sup>, 2026

- f. Description of the program, project, or activity: To expand evidence-based addiction treatment including medication-assisted treatment with Suboxone and Methadone to clients in detox and residential treatment.
- g. Provider: Residential Treatment Services of Alamance

## 3. Third authorized strategy

- a. Name of strategy: Recovery Support Services
- b. Strategy is included in Exhibit A
- c. Item letter and/or number in Exhibit A or Exhibit B to the MOA: 3
- d. Amount authorized for this strategy: \$400,295.80
- e. Period of time during which expenditure may take place: Start date July 15<sup>th</sup>, 2024 through End date June 30<sup>th</sup>,2026
- f. Description of the program, project, or activity: To fund recovery support services, including care navigators to support connections to care when leaving residential treatment services and reentering into the community following treatment \$360,295.80 and to fund peer support services for victims of domestic violence with Opioid Use Disorder (OUD) or any co-occurring Substance Use Disorder (SUD) or mental health condition \$40,000.00.
- g. Provider: Residential Treatment Services of Alamance and Family Justice Center

## 4. Fourth authorized strategy

- a. Name of strategy: Early Intervention
- b. Strategy is included in Exhibit A
- c. Item letter and/or number in Exhibit A or Exhibit B to the MOA: 6
- d. Amount authorized for this strategy: \$119,899.20
- e. Period of time during which expenditure may take place: Start date July 15<sup>th</sup>, 2024 through end date June 30<sup>th</sup>, 2026
- f. Description of the program, project, or activity: To fund services that identify and address children and adolescents who may be struggling with problematic use of drugs or mental health conditions.
- g. Provider: CrossRoads: Sexual Assault Response and Resource Center

## 5. Fifth authorized strategy

- a. Name of strategy: Reentry Programs
- b. Strategy is included in Exhibit A
- c. Item letter and/or number in Exhibit A or Exhibit B to the MOA: 12
- d. Amount authorized for this strategy: \$137,654.50
- e. Period of time during which expenditure may take place: Start date July 15<sup>th</sup>,2024 through End date June 30<sup>th</sup>,2026
- f. Description of the program, project, or activity: To fund Benevolence Farms which works with formerly incarcerated women- connecting them with treatment, recovery support, harm reduction services, primary care, health care, and other services, including housing upon release from incarceration \$117,654.50 and to fund transportation for incarcerated individuals linked with treatment through pretrial services, peer support services, and recovery court services \$20,000.00
- g. Provider: Benevolence Farms and Alamance County Government

The total dollar amount of Opioid Settlemen authorized strategies is \$1,302,862.27.	t Funds appropriated across the above named and
Adopted this the 15 <sup>th</sup> day of July, 2024.	
	John Paisley, Chair Alamance County Board of Commissioners
ATTEST:	
Tory Frink, Clerk to the Board	

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