

GARDEN GROVE CITY COUNCIL

RESOLUTION NO. ____

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GARDEN GROVE, CALIFORNIA, APPROVING AND RATIFYING PARTICIPATION IN NATIONAL OPIOID SETTLEMENT AGREEMENTS AND AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO EXECUTE ALL RELATED DOCUMENTS

WHEREAS, on December 14, 2021, the City Council adopted Resolution No. 9717-21 approving participation in the settlement that was reached in multi-district litigation in Ohio brought by states and cities against McKesson, Cardinal Health and Amerisource Bergen, and the opioid manufacturer Janssen Pharmaceuticals, Inc. (a subsidiary of Johnson & Johnson); and

WHEREAS, additional settlements have been reached with manufacturers Teva and Allergan, and pharmacies Walgreens, Walmart and CVS, for their roles in the opioid epidemic; and

WHEREAS, opting-in to the settlement will enable to the City receive funds from the Settlement, which can be used to treat opioid use disorder and for other specified purposes related to opioid abatement costs, as defined; and

WHEREAS, the City wishes to agree to the material terms of the proposed Settlement in order to receive monetary payments therein to fund opioid abatement costs; and

WHEREAS, jurisdictions must opt-in to the Settlement before April 18, 2023; and

WHEREAS, the City Council wishes to approve participation in future settlements.

NOW, THEREFORE, THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GARDEN GROVE HEREBY RESOLVES AND ORDERS AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION 1. Participation in National Opioid Settlements. The City Council hereby approves, ratifies, and elects to “opt in” to the settlement agreements reached with manufacturers Teva and Allergan, and with pharmacies Walgreens, Walmart and CVS relating to the National Multi-District Opioid Litigation, as a full participant. The City Council further authorizes the City Manager to approve participation in any additional National Opioid Settlements as they may be approved in the future by the State of California.

SECTION 2. City Manager Appointment. The City Manager is hereby appointed as the City’s Authorized Representatives and authorizes the City Manager to take all necessary and reasonable actions to effectuate the City’s participation in the settlements and sign

all necessary agreements and documents, each following review and approval of the City Attorney.

Adopted this 11th day of April, 2023.