REQUEST FOR BOARD ACTION

Date of Meeting: July 15, 2024

11.A. Participation in the National Opioids Settlement - Kroger

To: Mayor and Board of Commissioners

From: Andrew Grant, Town Manager

Action Requested:

A new proposed national opioids settlement has been reached with Kroger. This is another in a series of national settlements that has occurred with other defendants. With each settlement, all counties and municipalities may participate in the settlement. The municipalities of Mecklenburg County have historically participated in the settlement and pledged all settlement funds to Mecklenburg County for use in existing opioid addiction prevention and treatment programs for Mecklenburg County residents. The Town has the ability to participate in the same manner with the Kroger settlement.

Manager's Recommendation:

Participate in the new national opioids settlement with Kroger, providing authority to the Town Manager and Town Attorney to finalize the terms & conditions and execute & submit participation form.

ATTACHMENTS:
national_opioid_settlement_notice_settlement_overview.pdf
Kroger-Ex.-K-Subdivision-Participation-Form.pdf
Statement_of_PEC.pdf
Kroger-Multistate-Settlement-Agreement-Circulated-to-States-March-25-2024.pdf
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