# **Anderson County Board of Commissioners**

# **Regular Agenda** Thursday, February 22, 2024 @ 6:30 p.m.

- 1. Call to Order / Roll Call
- 2. Prayer
- 3. Pledge of Allegiance
- 4. Appearance of Citizens Items on or not on the agenda

#### 5. Approval and Correction of Agendas

- Consent Agenda
- Regular Agenda

#### 6. Presentation of Reports

- A. Elected Officials
  - 1. County Mayor Terry Frank
    - Re-appointment of Jeremy Huddleston to E911; term expiring 1/2028
    - Re-appointment of Nathan Sweet to E911; term expiring 1/2028

#### B. Department Heads

- 1. Director of Finance Robby Holbrook
  - Budget Committee Report by Robby Holbrook, Finance Director
  - Purchasing Committee Report by Robby Holbrook, Finance Director
- 2. Director of Schools
  - Written Report including BOE Minutes (02/08/24)
- 3. Law Director Jay Yeager
  - Contract Approvals
  - Anderson County Zoning Violations
  - Bankruptcies
  - Delinquent Taxes
  - New Lawsuits
  - Ratification of Endo Bankruptcy previously approved by Budget and Operations Committees
  - Ratification of Resolution Honoring Leon Jaquet
  - Opioid Settlement Agreement
- C. Committees/Boards Reports
  - 1. Operations Committee Report by Chairman Isbel
    - Authorize the mayor to submit the annual Payment-In-Lieu-of-Taxes for 2023 and execute 2023 agreement.
    - Authorize the mayor to submit a letter of support for the Tennessee Valley Authority (TVA)'s Construction Permit Application for the Clinch River Nuclear Site in Oak Ridge.
    - Motion for the mayor to draft a letter to TVA in regards to Bull Run Steam Plant scope of work in the future, objected cost, timelines, etc.
    - Approve Warranty Deed for the Animal Shelter

- Accept the Endo Bankruptcy Settlement
- Approve Anderson County High School Quitclaim Deed
- Motion for the mayor to get information on another I-75 North-South Bypass.
- 2. Rules Committee Report by Vice-Chairman Allen
  - Amendment to Rule 13
  - Amendment to Rule IV
- 3. Anderson County Fire Commission Report by Chairman Wandell
- 7. Unfinished Business
- 8. New Business
- 9. Announcements
- 10. Adjourn

**Respectfully Submitted H. Tyler Mayes, Chairman** 



# **ANDERSON COUNTY GOVERNMENT**

Terry Frank County Mayor

February 14, 2024

Commissioner Tyler Mayes Chairman, Anderson County Board of Commissioners

**RE: Agenda** 

Dear Chairman Mayes and Honorable Members of Commission,

I wish to add the following items to the agenda:

- 1. Re-appointment of Jeremy Huddleston to E911; term expiring 1/2028
- 2. Re-appointment of Nathan Sweet to E911; term expiring 1/2028

Sincerely,

**Terry Frank** 

# ANDERSON COUNTY GOVERNMENT SUMMARY OF BUDGET AMENDMENTS

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# February 8, 2024

PAGE NO. ITEM NO.		D. FUND - DEPARTMENT		AMOUNT
Group 1 Cons	ent Ager	nda - Transfers (No Commission Action Necessary)		
1	1	General Fund 101 - Human Resources	\$	400.00
2	2	General Fund 101 - Finance	\$	500.00
2	3	General Fund 101 - Mayor	\$	750.00
2	4	General Fund 101 - Conservation	\$	750.00
3	5	Omitted	\$	-
3	6	General Fund 101 - Sheriff	\$	400.00
3	7	General Fund 101 - Sheriff	\$	2,200.00
3	8	General Fund 101 - County Clerk	\$	2,000.00
4	9	General Fund 101 - Trustee	\$	524.00
4	10	General Fund 101 - Trustee	\$	4,725.44
4	11	General Fund 101 - Finance/General Administration	\$	330.00
5	12	General Fund 101 - Finance/Grant	\$	1,000.00
5	13	Fund 141 - School Maintenance	\$	30,000.00
5	30	General Fund 101 - EMA	\$	4,500.00
Group 2 - App	propriatio	ons - School (Commission Approval by Board Vote)		
6	14	Fund 143 - School Nutrition	\$	75,000.00
Group 3 - Tra		School (Commission Approval by Board Vote)		
6	15	Fund 141 - Fiscal Services (Major Line Item)	\$	79,800.00
7	16	Fund 143 - School Nutrition (Payroll)	\$	207,000.00
Group 4 - App		ons - NonSchool (Commission Approval by Board Vote)		
7	17	Fund 131 - Highway	\$	254,000.00
8	18	Fund 131 - Highway	\$	6,700.00
8	19	General Fund 101 - County Clerk	\$	4,200.00
9	20	Omitted	\$	-
9	21	General Fund 101 - Sheriff	\$	1,470.18
9	22	General Fund 101 - Sheriff	\$	6,636.40
9	23	General Fund 101 - Sheriff	\$	12,584.80
10	24	General Fund 101 - Sheriff	\$	10,000.00
11	26	General Fund 101 - Conservation	\$	4,000.00
11	27	Fund 152 - Debt Service/Finance	\$	6,500.00
11	28	General Fund 101 - Finance/Grant	\$	194,000.00
12	29	Fund 263 - Self Insurance	\$	55,000.00
Group 5 - App	propriatio	ons - General Fund Unassigned Fund Balance (Commission Ap	proval by Boar	d Vote)
Group 6 - Tra	nsfers - N	NonSchool (Commission Approval by Board Vote)		
10	25	General Fund 101 - Sheriff (Payroll)	\$	1,800.00
Group 7 - Mis	cellaneo			
12	Α	Rocky Top Sewer/ Commissioner Vowell	No	Action/ Deferred
12	В	FY 24/25 Budget Preparation		Motion Passed
13	С	Longevity Program		Information
13	D	New Business - BA #30, Endo Opioid Claims Ballot		Motions Passed

Group 8 - Addional Items not discussed during budget committee (requires 3/4 majority vote)

#### ANDERSON COUNTY GOVERNMENT CASH AND FUND BALANCE REPORT January 31, 2024

			NON-	R	RESTRICTED	С	OMMITTED	ASSIGNED		NASSIGNED		TOTAL	
FUND	DESCRIPTION	SPEI	NDABLE		FUNDS		FUNDS	 FUNDS	- 2,7	ND BALANCE		ND BALANCE	CASH
101	General Fund	\$	-	\$	1,579,710	\$	1,289,965	\$ 4,123,188	\$	10,432,662	* \$	17,425,525	\$ 19,384,181
115	Library Fund	\$	-	\$	345,742			\$ -	\$	-	\$	345,742	\$ 363,913
116	Solid Waste/Sanitation Fund	\$		\$	503,654	\$	-	\$ -	\$	-	\$	503,654	\$ 741,686
118	Ambulance Fund	\$	-			\$	<u></u>	\$ 2	\$	492,982	\$	492,982	\$ 639,735
121	American Rescue Plan												\$ 6,904,415
122	Drug Control Fund	\$	-	\$	144,973	\$	8,754	\$ -	\$	-	\$	153,727	\$ 163,514
127	Channel 95 Fund	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$ 62,928	\$	-	\$	62,928	\$ 86,497
128	Tourism Fund	\$	-	\$	365,140	\$	-	\$ 100,000	\$	-	\$	465,140	\$ 1,118,941
131	Highway Fund	\$	60,294	\$	269,737	\$	2,587,491	\$ -	\$	-	\$	2,917,522	\$ 4,455,200
141	General Purpose School Fund	\$	-	\$	-	\$	8,568,414	\$ -	\$	-	\$	8,568,414	\$ 14,006,985
143	Central Cafeteria	\$ 1	151,640	\$	4,302,460	\$	-	\$ -	\$	-	\$	4,454,100	\$ 4,571,304
151	General Debt Service Fund	\$	-	\$	846,196	\$	-	\$ -	\$	-	\$	846,196	\$ 1,656,560
152	Rural Debt Service Fund	\$	-	\$	728,784	\$	-	\$ -	\$	-	\$	728,784	\$ 697,080
156	Education Debt Service Fund	\$	-	\$	153,059	\$	113,813	\$ -	\$	-	\$	266,872	\$ 1,050,565
171	Capital Projects Fund	\$	-	\$	426,393	\$	-	\$ -	\$	-	\$	426,393	\$ 611,857
177	Education Capital Projects Fund			\$	640,012	\$	-	\$ -	\$	-	\$	640,012	\$ 997,412
263	Employee Benefit Fund	\$	33,174	\$	-	\$	-	\$ 937,843	\$	-	\$	971,017	\$ 847,109
		\$ 2	245,108	\$	10,305,860	\$	12,568,437	\$ 5,223,959	\$	10,925,644	\$	39,269,008	\$ 58,296,954

\* General Unassigned Fund Balance limit of \$6M requiring 2/3 (11) votes for budget amendments.

	Cash Trends January
Cash 19/20	11,102,210
Cash 20/21	12,482,769
Cash 21/22	15,870,096
Cash 22/23	17,197,688
Cash 23/24	19,384,181



July         \$532,923.44         \$914,841.33         \$96,253.63         \$43,577.47         \$2,036,216.62         \$110,323.96         \$47,738.24         \$3,781,874.69         -2%           August         \$496,008.63         \$881,402.52         \$93,638.47         \$45,773.92         \$1,932,708.18         \$105,733.03         \$31,347.95         \$3,586,612.70         -4%           September         \$477,157.45         \$856,091.74         \$90,408.78         \$43,562.31         \$1,804,819.40         \$98,786.60         \$52,878.85         \$3,423,705.13         -9%           October         \$473,724.70         \$873,285.57         \$90,968.90         \$42,759.97         \$2,054,259.98         \$111,437.89         \$37,122.94         \$3,683,559.95         0%           November         \$496,087.49         \$875,444.28         \$85,734.94         \$40,023.47         \$2,435,489.42         \$105,640.46         \$43,317.82         \$4,081,737.88         3%           December         \$536,129.62         \$891,690.20         \$92,730.44         \$44,750.97         \$2,514,347.33         \$113,591.36         \$555,791.44         \$4,249,031.36         7%           Janary         \$577,363.93         \$983,474.85         \$99,823.93         \$54,597.61         \$2,810,404.98         \$123,084.63         \$38,047.80         \$4,686,797.7	FY2023	Anderson Co.	Clinton	Rocky Top	Norris	Oak Ridge	Oliver Springs	Out of State	Total	+/-
August         5496,008.63         \$581,402.25         593,638.47         545,773.22         51,312,708.18         510,733.03         533,347.95         53,386,612.70         -4%.           September         \$477,1157.45         \$85,6091.74         \$90,408.78         \$43,562.31         \$1,804,819.40         \$98,764.60         \$52,878.85         \$3,423,705.13         .9%.           November         \$565,017.40         \$87,244.28         \$85,734.44         \$2,094,259.94         \$11,437.88         \$33,147.95         \$3,866,797.73         0%           December         \$555,017.44         \$4,249.93         \$2,447,097         \$2,514,437.33         \$113,591.36         \$55,974.44         \$4,686,797.73         0%           March         \$402,603.65         \$792,013.08         \$89,970.12         \$4,415.13         \$2,308,372.1         \$98,026.17         \$47,708.20         \$3,7,123.00         \$3,7,230.16         8%           March         \$402,603.65         \$792,013.08         \$89,970.12         \$4,415.13         \$2,308,372.1         \$98,026.17         \$47,708.20         \$3,7,723.00         \$3,7,723.00         \$3,7,723.00         \$3,7,723.00         \$3,7,723.00         \$3,7,723.00         \$3,7,723.00         \$3,7,723.00         \$3,42,901,171.92         6%           June         \$510,889.49				And the second se				Statement & statement in statement in the statement in the statement is not a statement in the statement in the statement is not a statement in the statement in the statement is not a statement in the statement in the statement in the statement is not a statement in the statement in the statement is not a statement in the statement in the statement in the statement is not a statement in the statement in the statement is not a statement in the s		
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February       5451,005.03       5792,205.54       590,544.60       540,952.34       52,492,887.42       5112,060.65       558,937.22       54,038,592.80       16%         March       5402,603.65       5792,203.108       583,998.72       534,415.13       52,308,537.21       598,060.17       547,708.20       53,707,320.16       8%         Mary       5472,277.10       593,701.25       541,952.63       52,519,300.61       5108,875.40       543,269.20       54,221,303.45       54,021,57.45       54,431.57.65       51,34,129.20       541,515.74       54,051.74 </td <td>December</td> <td></td> <td></td> <td></td> <td></td> <td>\$2,514,347.33</td> <td>\$113,591.36</td> <td>\$55,791.44</td> <td></td> <td>7%</td>	December					\$2,514,347.33	\$113,591.36	\$55,791.44		7%
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May         \$479,277.10         \$931,927.26         \$95,701.25         \$41,952.63         \$2,519,300.61         \$109,875.40         \$43,269.20         \$4,221,303.45         \$5%           June         \$510,889.49         \$506,295.97         \$97,499.57         \$53,532.00         \$2,440,604.57         \$127,490.31         \$48,233.08         \$4,222,544.99         \$%           Totals:         \$5,957,683.53         \$106,79,834.90         \$1,16,337.77         \$\$3,1367.88         \$27,447,677.62         \$1,343,129.32         \$\$48,035,252.76         \$%           FY2024         Anderson Co.         Clintom         Rocky Top         Norris         Oak Ridge         Olive F\$prings         Out of State         Total         4/-           July         \$499,637.60         \$935,432.32         \$102,179.70         \$46,607.31         \$2,247,025.24         \$118,499.145         \$40,009,180.72         6.0%           August         \$500,254.95         \$926,747.98         \$98,402.33         \$43,576.87         \$2,213,23.387         \$556,142.24         \$3,685,151.49         11.2%           September         \$539,501.38         \$93,682.75         \$82,697.27         \$2,386,633.93         \$124,162.50         \$34,294.14         \$4,169,027.27         2.1%           November         \$571,075.78         \$9	March	\$402,603.65	\$792,031.08	\$83,998.72	\$34,415.13	\$2,308,537.21	\$98,026.17	\$47,708.20	\$3,767,320.16	8%
June         \$\$10,889.49         \$946,295.97         \$97,499.57         \$53,532.00         \$2,440,604.57         \$127,490.31         \$48,233.08         \$4,224,544.99         5%           Total:         \$5,975,489.53         \$10,079,884,90         \$1,116,37.77         \$531,367.88         \$27,847,577.02         \$1,343,129.32         \$541,515.74         \$48,035,252.76         3%           FY2024         Anderson Co.         Clinton         Rocky Top         Norris         Oak Ridge         Oliver Springs         Out of State         Total         +/-           July         \$499,637.60         \$935,432.32         \$102,159.70         \$46,607.31         \$2,247,025.24         \$118,499.10         \$59,819.45         \$4,009,180.72         6.0%           August         \$500,254.95         \$926,747.98         \$98,402.33         \$43,576.87         \$2,221,218.53         \$113,274.05         \$54,814.98         \$3,988.504.00         11.2%           September         \$398,201.018         \$838,582.77         \$97,479.82         \$2,220,981.13         \$112,62.05         \$34,4159.027.27         \$2,386.41.02         \$3,624,729.66         \$5.9%           October         \$396,910.18         \$922,440.70         \$100,427.07         \$44,352.65         \$2,320,943.19         \$111,7.88.48         \$32,817.52         \$4,0	April	\$542,319.00	\$941,144.56	\$99,034.54	\$45,470.06	\$2,498,001.90	\$127,078.86	\$37,123.00	\$4,290,171.92	6%
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	Remaining Allocation	\$	1,596,397.02	\$	(6,322.79)	\$	1,590,074.23			
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	Project Name		BUDGETED		EXPENDED TO-DATE	- 1	UDGETED BUT	PROJECT STATUS	REVENUE LOSS	Date Approved b Commissio
1	Employee Retention Payments -Exempt	\$	85,013.68	\$	85,013.68	\$	-	Complete	YES	4/18/2022
2	Employee Retention Payments -Non-Exempt	\$	614,826.78	\$	614,826.78	\$	-	Complete	NO	4/18/2022
3.1	TN Emergency Broadband Fund Grants -MF Highland	\$	11,636.84	\$	11,636.84	\$	-	Complete	YES	2/22/2022
4	GIS Digitized Stormwater System And Outfall Map	\$	103,060.00	\$	103,060.00	\$	-	Complete	YES	11/21/202
5	EMS Budget Fund Balance Adjustment (Worker	\$	280,000.00	\$	280,000.00	\$	-	Complete	YES	8/15/2022
6	Whole Body Scanner for Jail	\$	135,000.00	\$	135,000.00	\$	-	Complete	YES	12/20/2021
	County Paving Projects	\$	766,991.63	+	766,991.63	•		Complete	YES	8/15/2022
11	Senior Center Kitchen Improvements	Ś	667,365.84		667,365.84	<u> </u>	-	Complete	YES	5/16/2022
12	A/V Technology for Room 118A	\$	15,182.53	Ś	15,182.53		-	Complete	YES	5/16/2022
18	Family Justice Center -Building Purchase	\$	175,000.00		175,000.00		-	Complete	YES	8/15/2022
19	EMS Stretchers (12)	\$	398,409.00	+	398,409.00	÷		Complete	YES	11/21/202
21	Oak Ridge Fire Dept. Training Center	\$	273,500.00	+	273,500.00	•	-	Complete	YES	8/15/2022
22	Other County Capital Outlay Requests (e.g., \$10k Judges)	\$	9,334.76		9,334.76	+	•	Complete	YES	8/15/2022
23	Repair Chimes	Ś	18,635.00	· · · · ·	18,635.00	+	-	Complete	YES	1/17/2023
24	A/V Technology for Room 312	Ś	13,994.24		13,994.24	÷.	•	Complete	YES	3/20/2023
26	EMS Budget Fund Balance Adjustment (FY24)	\$	516,000.00	+	516,000.00			Complete	YES	6/19/2023
30	Claxton Area Repeater	\$	13,475.23	+	13,475.23			Complete	YES	8/21/2023
3	TN Emergency Broadband Fund Grants -MF Comcast	\$	250,000.00	÷		Ś	250,000.00	In Progress	NO	2/22/2022
7.1	County Paving Projects - New Eligibility	\$			1,364,891.58	+	120,952.43	In Progress	NO	8/15/2022
8	County-wide Assessment for Water & Sewer Planning	\$		· •	50,715.50	+ <u>-</u>	41,284.50	In Progress	YES	3/10/2022
9	Claxton Sewerline Study	Ś			22,500.00		i		YES	8/15/2022
10	Witness Room/Archives Relocation	Ś		<u> </u>	736,017.85				YES	8/15/2022
13	IT Infrastructure Needs (e.g., Multi-Factor Authentication)	Ś		•	64,089.24				YES	8/15/2022
15	EMS Ambulances for 2 years	\$			500,511.66				NO	8/15/2022
14	Other Vehicles on Capital Requests	Ś			145,948.00			In Progress	YES	8/15/2022
15	Sheriff's Vehicles for 2 Years	\$		• - <u>`</u>	632,405.30	4			YES	8/15/2022
20	CDBG Waterline Project (Buchanan Ln, Judson Rd, Savage Garden)	\$				Ŝ		In Progress	YES	8/15/2022
	Jail Medical Services	\$		· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	17,088.60				YES	5/15/2023
25		Ś	379,514.92		and the second second second second	S	······		YES	6/19/2023
27	TDEC ARP Water Infrastructure Investment Plan (WIIP)	\$		• • •	547,389.89	- <u>-</u>			YES	8/21/202
28	Fire Department/Rescue Squad Equipment	\$	·	- <u>+-</u>		> \$		In Progress	NO	8/21/202
32	County-wide Emergency Communications System	\$				$\pm$		Pending	YES	8/15/202
17	Digital Poll Books -Election Office					\$ \$			YES	· • · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
29	EMS AED's	\$			•			Pending	YES	8/21/202
31	Dental Clinic Redesign/Relocation/Bldg Improvements	\$	500,000.00	>	-	\$	500,000.00	Pending	162	9/18/2023
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County Contract#	Account Codes (101 unless specified)	Department	Description	A	nount of Grant	Amn match fu	All the second second	Grant begin date	Grant end Date	Fed thru State	State	Grantor	Indirect Cost Recover
23-0094	53600-VOCA	District Attorney's Office	Victim's Coordinator Grant (VOCA)	\$	130,000	\$	-	7/1/2023	6/30/2024	\$ 130,000		OCJP/VOCA	
22-0091	53500-SAFEB	Juvenile Court	Safe Baby Court Grant	\$	250,000	\$	-	7/1/2022	6/30/2023		\$ 100,000	TDMHSAS/ DCS	
23-0117	53330	Anderson County Drug Court	TN Certified Recovery Court (TCRCP)	\$	100,000	\$	-	7/1/2023	6/30/2024		\$ 100,000	TDMHSAS	\$ 8,26
23-0030	53600-499-TCAD	Mayor's Office/Office on Aging	TCAD - Senior Center Maintenance	\$	8,000		-	7/1/2022	9/30/2023		\$ 8,000	TCAD	
23-0015	101-56300	Mayor's Office/Office on Aging	COVID: ETHRA/CARES Act -Office on Aging	s	126,904				06/30/2023 OOA 09/30/2023 V5	\$ 111,823	\$ 15,081	ETHRA/ TCAD	
21-0058	91170-791-CDBG1	Mayor's Office	CDBG Waterlines	\$	523,207	\$ 107,	163	10/15/2020	10/14/2024	\$ 523,207		TDEC/CDBG	
	53600-FJC	District Attorney's Office	Family Justice Center	\$	200,000			7/1/2023	6/30/2024	\$ 200,000	-	OCJP/VOCA	\$ 3,68
21-0090	54410-499-	Emergency Management	Homeland Security Grant 2020	\$	25,000	\$	-	9/1/2020	4/30/2023	\$ 25,000		TEMA/DHS	
24-0031-A1	55190-3000	Health Department	Reimburse County for Contract employees Salaries, Benefits, Travel	\$	605,600	\$	_	7/1/2023	6/30/2024	\$ 160,894	stated in some or south the state of the second state of	TDH/ MULTIPLE	
<u>23-0130</u>	116-55739	Mayors Office/Solid Waste	Litter Grant (Pick-Up & Prevention Education)	\$	52,100		-	7/1/2023	6/30/2024		\$ 52,100	and the second se	
	101-54110	Sheriff's Department	Governor's Highway Safety Grant	\$	22,000	Contraction of the Owner of the	-	10/1/2023	9/30/2024	\$ 22,000	which is a second of the second s	TDSHS/ NHSTA	
23-0079	54110-VCIF1	Sheriff's Department	Violent Crime Intervention Grant	\$	210,000	\$	-	3/15/2023	6/30/2024		\$ 210,000	OCJP	
23-0061	101-54410	Emergency Management	EMA ARPA	\$	50,000			10/1/2020	9/30/2023	\$ 50,000		TEMA	
23-0050	128-58110-ARPA	Tourism	Tourism ARPA	\$	163,357			12/1/2021	11/30/2026	\$ 163,357		TDTD	
23-0083	51900-799-NWDSP	Mayors Office	TDOT Oliver Springs 1 of 2	\$	942,020	\$ 216,	580				\$ 942,020	TDOT	
23-0084	51900-799-NWDSP	Mayors Office	TDOT Oliver Springs 2 of 2	\$	711,396	\$ 177.	849			\$ 711,396		TDOT	
23-0088	55110-707-SPNMG	Health Department	Health Department Renovation	\$	349,000	\$ 116,	400	1/13/2023	6/30/2026		\$ 349,000	TDH	
20-0089		Mayors Office	TDOT Old State Circle Bridge	\$	950,900					\$ 950,900		TDOT	
20-0093	54230-EBP1	Sheriff's Department	Evidenced Based Programming (EBP)	\$	295,707			5/15/2023	6/30/2025		\$ 295,707	sensitive statements in the physical barries are been been by an in an internal of	
24-0033	128-58110	Tourism	Tourism Marketing Grant	\$	30,000	\$ 30,	000	7/1/2023	6/30/2024		\$ 30,000	TDTD	
23-0108	55110-707-AWN	Health Department	Immunization Funding	\$	227,000			7/1/2023	the second s	\$ 227,000		TDH	
23-0097	54410-499-EMPG	Emergency Management	Emergency Management EMPG 2024	\$	37,080			10/1/2021	9/30/2023	\$ 37,080		TEMA	
24-0002	54110-VCIF2	Sheriff's Department	VCIF Collaborative	\$	1,885,000			8/1/2023	6/30/2025		\$ 1,885,000	and the second state of th	\$ 16,90
23-0116	171-91401-TDEC1	Mayors Office/ACWA	Water Infrastructure Investment Plan (WIIP)	\$	3,795,149	and the second se	515	3/3/2021	and the second se	\$ 3,795,149	\$ -	TDEC	
23-0114	54410-499-DHS	Emergency Management	Homeland Security Grant 2023	\$	28,250	\$	-	9/1/2022	4/30/2025	and the second state in the local data of the		TEMA/DHS	
23-0124	53310-DVCC	Sessions Judges	STOP, DV Court	\$	201,000			7/1/2023	and the second se	\$ 201,000		OCJP	
24-0001	55120-399-ANML1	Mayors Office	Animal Friendly - Spay/Neuter	\$	1,200			7/3/2023	5/31/2024		\$ 1,200	and the second se	
24-0028	54110-170	Sheriff's Department	SRO Grant	\$	1,275,000			7/1/2023	6/30/2024		\$ 1,275,000	states and an and a second state and a second state	
24-0023	101-56300	Mayor's Office/Office on Aging	Office on Aging and Senior Center	\$	66,741			7/1/2023	6/30/2024	\$ 52,015	and the second s	ETHRA/ETAAAD	
	54210-SMHT4	Sheriff's Department	Mental Health Transport	\$	227,743	and the second sec	-	7/1/2023	6/30/2024		\$ 227,743	the set of the local division of the set of the local division of	
	53310-399-AEM1	Mayor's Office/Gen Sessions	Alternate Electronic Monitoring	\$	13,430	Party in the local division in the local div		10/1/2023	6/30/2024		\$ 13,430	the state of the local data and the second state of the second sta	
24-0061	128-58110-ENGR	Tourism	Tourism Enhancement Grant	\$	100,000	\$ 30,	000	7/1/2023	6/30/2025	\$-	\$ 70,000	Contractory of the second distance of the sec	
24-0064	55160-2001	Health Department	Safety Net Grant for Dental Extractions Adults	\$	4,000,000	-		7/1/2023	6/30/2024		\$ 4,000,000	substantian substantian and substantia	
	53200-CSEC1	Circuit/Criminal Court	Court Security Grant 2023	\$	77,500	And in case of the second second	-	12/6/2023	6/7/2024		\$ 77,500		
24-0071	No Budget Currently	Mayors Office	CDBG Food Insecurity	\$	194,000	\$	-	12/15/2023	3/31/2026	\$ 194,000		CDBG	
							-	Current Year	Grante	\$ 7 583 072	\$10,111,213	Total \$ 17,694,285	\$ 28.84

# **BUDGET COMMITTEE MINUTES FEBRUARY 8, 2024**

<u>Members Present</u>: Michael Foster, Commissioner–Chairman Aaron Wells, Commissioner Jerry White, Commissioner Sabra Beauchamp, Commissioner Shain Vowell, Commissioner Tyler Mayes, Commissioner

<u>Members Absent:</u> Shelly Vandagriff, Commissioner Bob Smallridge, Commissioner

Meeting Facilitator: Robby Holbrook, Finance Director

# TRANSFERS (Approved through Consent Agenda)

<u>THE 1<sup>st</sup> ITEM</u>, to be presented to the Anderson County Budget Committee, was a written request from Kim Jeffers-Whitaker, Human Resources & Risk Management, that the following **TRANSFER** in General Fund 101 be approved.

Increase Expenditure	e Codes:	
101-51310-307	Communication	\$30.00
101-51310-348	Postage Charges	320.00
101-51310-320	Dues & Memberships	<u>50.00</u>
	•	\$400.00
Decrease Expenditur	re Code:	
101-51310-499	Other Supplies & Materials	\$400.00

<u>Justification</u>: Due to an unexpected increase of mobile device, additional funds are needed to cover the cost-reoccurring. Due to an increase in medical leave, benefit submission via overnight mail and mail out of 1095-C's, additional postage is needed to cover required communicationreoccurring. To maintain HR requirements of L&D and processing of forms, a transfer is being requested to cover additional membership of notary-not reoccurring. A transfer of funds from 499 is being requested to cover the additional charges-the budgeted charges for this FY were submitted and paid from 435 code.

Motion by Commissioner Sabra Beauchamp, seconded by Commissioner Aaron Wells, and passed to approve the transfer request. Absent: Commissioner Tyler Mayes

<u>**THE 2<sup>nd</sup> ITEM**</u>, to be presented to the Anderson County Budget Committee, was a written request from Robby Holbrook, Finance, that the following **TRANSFER** in General Fund 101 be approved.

Decrease Expenditure Code:								
101-52100-414	Finance-Duplicating Supplies	\$500.00						
Increase Expenditure C	Increase Expenditure <u>Code:</u>							
101-52100-349	Finance-Printing, Stationery, Forms	\$500.00						

*Justification:* Increased cost for the purchase of W-2's and 1099's. Less employees have opted in to receive W-2's online which causes a need for more forms and envelopes.

Motion by Commissioner Sabra Beauchamp, seconded by Commissioner Aaron Wells, and passed to approve the transfer request.

<u>THE 3<sup>rd</sup> ITEM</u>, to be presented to the Anderson County Budget Committee, was a written request from Mayor Terry Frank, Mayor's Office, that the following **TRANSFER** in General Fund 101 be approved.

Increase Expenditure	<u>e Code:</u>	
101-51300-524	Staff Development	\$750.00
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Decrease Expenditur	re Code:	
101-51300-499	Other Supplies & Materials	\$750.00

*Justification:* I am serving in a leadership position on the Mayor's Association, and therefore, this year I have attended and will attend more ACM & TCSA conferences than in years prior. This transfer request is to ensure budget can accommodate any registration fees until end of fiscal year.

Motion by Commissioner Sabra Beauchamp, seconded by Commissioner Aaron Wells, and passed to approve the transfer request.

<u>**THE 4<sup>th</sup> ITEM**</u>, to be presented to the Anderson County Budget Committee, was a written request from Ben Taylor, Conservation, that the following **TRANSFER** in General Fund 101 be approved.

Decrease Expenditure Code:								
101-51240-455	Conservation Commission-Wood Products	\$750.00						
Increase Expenditure Code:								
101-51240-451	Conservation Commission-Uniforms	\$750.00						

Justification: Transfer is needed to purchase new boots for Park employees.

Motion by Commissioner Sabra Beauchamp, seconded by Commissioner Aaron Wells, and passed to approve the transfer request.

THE 5<sup>th</sup> ITEM, was omitted.

<u>**THE 6<sup>th</sup> ITEM**</u>, to be presented to the Anderson County Budget Committee, was a written request from Zach Allen/Russell Barker, Sheriff's Department, that the following **TRANSFER** in General Fund 101 be approved.

Decrease Expenditure Code:							
Furniture & Fixtures (commissary)	\$400.00						
Code:							
Other charges (commissary)	\$400.00						
	Furniture & Fixtures (commissary)						

Justification: To purchase mattresses for inmates.

Motion by Commissioner Sabra Beauchamp, seconded by Commissioner Aaron Wells, and passed to approve the transfer request.

<u>**THE 7<sup>th</sup> ITEM**</u>, to be presented to the Anderson County Budget Committee, was a written request from Zach Allen/Russell Barker, Sheriff's Department, that the following **TRANSFER** in General Fund 101 be approved.

Increase Expenditure	<u>Code:</u>	
101-54210-359	Disposal Fees	\$2,200.00
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Decrease Expenditure	Code:	
101-54210-422	Food Supplies	\$2,200.00
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Justification: To cover increase in disposal fees.

Motion by Commissioner Sabra Beauchamp, seconded by Commissioner Aaron Wells, and passed to approve the transfer request.

<u>**THE 8th ITEM**</u>, to be presented to the Anderson County Budget Committee, was a written request from Jeff Cole, County Clerk, that the following **TRANSFER** in General Fund 101 be approved.

Decrease Expenditure Code:			
101-52500-351	County Clerk-Rentals	\$2,000.00	
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Increase Expenditure	<u>Code:</u>		
101-52500-335	County Clerk-Maint & Repair	\$2,000.00	

Justification: Finishing up details at new Norris location.

Motion by Commissioner Sabra Beauchamp, seconded by Commissioner Aaron Wells, and passed to approve the transfer request.

<u>THE 9<sup>th</sup> ITEM</u>, to be presented to the Anderson County Budget Committee, was a written request from Regina Copeland, Trustee, that the following **TRANSFER** in General Fund 101 be approved.

Decrease Expenditur	re Code:	
101-52400-711	Furniture & Fixtures	\$524.00
Increase Expenditure 101-52400-317 101-52400-332	e Codes: Data Processing Services Legal Notices	\$424.00 <u>100.00</u> \$524.00

*Justification:* 317-Data Processing Services-Comptroller yearly bill. 332-Legal Services- Ad in paper for property taxes.

Motion by Commissioner Sabra Beauchamp, seconded by Commissioner Aaron Wells, and passed to approve the transfer request.

<u>THE 10<sup>th</sup> ITEM</u>, to be presented to the Anderson County Budget Committee, was a written request from Regina Copeland, Trustee, that the following **TRANSFER** in General Fund 101 be approved.

Decrease Expenditure C	<u>ode:</u>	
101-52400-351	Rentals	\$4,725.44
Increase Expenditure Co 101-52400-707	ode: Building Improvements	\$4,725.44

Justification: To pay for improvements to new Norris location.

Motion by Commissioner Sabra Beauchamp, seconded by Commissioner Aaron Wells, and passed to approve the transfer request.

<u>**THE 11<sup>th</sup> ITEM**</u>, to be presented to the Anderson County Budget Committee, was a written request from Robby Holbrook, Finance, that the following **TRANSFER** in General Fund 101 be approved.

Decrease Expenditure Code:101-51900-399Other General Administration-Other Contracted services \$330.00

Increase Expenditure Code:101-51900-301Other General Administration-Accounting Services\$330.00

*Justification:* OPEB Actuarial Valuation for GASB 75 reporting completed by CBIZ increased \$330. I had budgeted \$5,500 and the invoice was for \$5,830.

Motion by Commissioner Sabra Beauchamp, seconded by Commissioner Aaron Wells, and passed to approve the transfer request.

<u>THE 12<sup>th</sup> ITEM</u>, to be presented to the Anderson County Budget Committee, was a written request from Melissa Miller/Randy Walters, General Sessions Judge/Finance, that the following **TRANSFER** in General Fund 101 be approved.

Increase Expenditure Co 101-53310-524-DVCC	\$1,000.00	
Decrease Expenditure C 101-53310-355-DVCC	Code: Gen Ses Judge-Travel-DV Court Coordinator	\$1,000.00

Justification: This transfer is to pay for the cost of a trainer to assist the grant program.

Motion by Commissioner Sabra Beauchamp, seconded by Commissioner Aaron Wells, and passed to approve the transfer request.

<u>THE 13<sup>th</sup> ITEM</u>, to be presented to the Anderson County Budget Committee, was a written request from Bobby Crawford, Maintenance, that the following **TRANSFER** in General Purpose School Fund 141 be approved.

Decrease Expenditure C 141-72610-720	<u>Code:</u> Plant Equipment	\$30,000.00
Increase Expenditure C 141-72610-499	<u>ode:</u> Other Supplies	\$30,000.00

*Justification:* To transfer funds to cover materials and supplies needed for the Maintenance Department.

Motion by Commissioner Sabra Beauchamp, seconded by Commissioner Aaron Wells, and passed to approve the transfer request.

<u>THE 30<sup>th</sup> ITEM</u>, to be presented to the Anderson County Budget Committee, was a written request from Brice Kidwell, EMA, that the following **TRANSFER** in General Fund 101 be approved.

Increase Expenditure Codes:

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101-54410-336	Maintenance & Repair of Equipment	\$2,500.00
101-54410-499	Other Supplies & Materials	<u>2,000.00</u>
		\$4,500.00
Decrease Expenditu	re Codes:	
101-54410-711	Furniture & Fixtures	\$2,500.00
101-54410-435	Office Supplies	<u>2,000.00</u>
		\$4,500.00

5 |Budget Committee Minutes February 8, 2024 <u>Justification</u>: To have available funds to repair air monitoring system. To have funds available for miscellaneous hazmat material supplies for emergency response.

Motion by Commissioner Sabra Beauchamp, seconded by Commissioner Shain Vowell, and passed to approve the transfer request. Absent: Commissioner Aaron Wells

# APPROPRIATIONS REQUIRING FULL COMMISSION APPROVAL

<u>THE 14<sup>th</sup> ITEM</u>, to be presented to the Anderson County Budget Committee, was a written request from Margaret Burrell, School Nutrition, that the following **APPROPRIATION** in Food Service Fund 143 be approved.

Increase	Revenue	Code:

143-44110	Food Service Interest Earned	\$75,000.00
Decrease Revenue		¢50,000,00
143-43521	Food Service Lunch Payments-Children	\$50,000.00
143-47114	Food Service SCA-USDA Other	25,000.00
		\$75,000.00

*Justification:* A. Increase due to interest earned on investment account. We were unsure of estimated returns at creation of the budget. B. Projected decrease due to start of mid-year CEP at ACHS and NES. C. Supply Chain Assistance revenue will be more than anticipated and we will appropriate when it is received.

Motion by Commissioner Aaron Wells, seconded by Commissioner Sabra Beauchamp, and passed to refer to the Anderson County Board of County Commissioners with a recommendation for approval. Absent: Commissioner Tyler Mayes

<u>THE 15<sup>th</sup> ITEM</u>, to be presented to the Anderson County Budget Committee, was a written request from Julie Minton, Fiscal Services, that the following TRANSFER (Major Line Item) in General Purpose School Fund 141 be approved.

Increase Expenditure Codes:			
141-72310-506	Liability Insurance	\$68,000.00	
141-72410-213	Payments to Retirees	<u>11,800.00</u>	
		\$79,800.00	
Decrease Expenditure Codes:			
141-72310-210	Unemployment Compensation Insurance	\$3,310.00	
141-72310-513	Worker's Compensation Insurance	38,706.00	
141-72710-315	Contracts with Vehicle Owners	<u>37,784.00</u>	

*Justification:* To transfer funds for longevity bonus to deceased employee's estate and unanticipated increase in liability insurance costs.

Motion by Commissioner Aaron Wells, seconded by Commissioner Sabra Beauchamp, and passed to refer to the Anderson County Board of County Commissioners with a recommendation for approval. Absent: Commissioner Tyler Mayes

<u>THE 16<sup>th</sup> ITEM</u>, to be presented to the Anderson County Budget Committee, was a written request from Margaret Burrell, School Nutrition, that the following TRANSFER (Payroll) in Food Services Fund 143 be approved.

Increase Expenditure Codes:

143-73100-119	Food Service Account/Bookkeepers	\$73,000.00
143-73100-201	Food Service Social Security	8,000.00
143-73100-204	Food Service State Retirement	6,000.00
143-73100-207	Food Service Medical Insurance	20,000.00
143-73100-422	Food Service Food Supplies	100,000.00
		\$207,000.00
Decrease Expenditu	re Codes:	
143-73100-105	Food Service Supervisor/Director	\$73,000.00
143-73100-710	Food Service Food Service Equipment	<u>134,000.00</u>
	• •	\$207,000.00

*Justification:* A. Increase to correct additional supervisor salary which was budgeted to a different code. B. Increase due to projections for the year exceed the original amount budgeted. C. Increase due to projections for the year exceed the original amount budgeted. D. Increase due to not budgeting enough for the rise in costs and employee opting for insurance. E. Increase due to rising food costs. F. Decrease to correct additional supervisor salary which was budgeted to a different code. G. Decrease based in the projected equipment needs for the remainder of the school year.

Motion by Commissioner Aaron Wells, seconded by Commissioner Sabra Beauchamp, and passed to refer to the Anderson County Board of County Commissioners with a recommendation for approval. Absent: Commissioner Tyler Mayes

<u>THE 17<sup>th</sup> ITEM</u>, to be presented to the Anderson County Budget Committee, was a written request from Gary Long, Highway Department, that the following APPROPRIATION in Highway Fund 131 be approved.

 Increase Expenditure Codes:

 131-62000-408
 Concrete

 131-62000-409
 Rock

 131-62000-451
 Uniform

 131-63100-336
 Maintenance & Equip Repair

 131-63100-418
 Machinery & Equipment

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Decrease Expenditure Code:			
131-34550	Restricted for Hwy		\$254,000.00

Justification: Needed to continue ACHD operating expenses.

Motion by Commissioner Shain Vowell, seconded by Commissioner Sabra Beauchamp, and passed to refer to the Anderson County Board of County Commissioners with a recommendation for approval. Absent: Commissioner Tyler Mayes

<u>THE 18<sup>th</sup> ITEM</u>, to be presented to the Anderson County Budget Committee, was a written request from Gary Long, Highway Department, that the following APPROPRIATION in Highway Fund 131 be approved.

Increase Expenditure	<u>Code:</u>	
131-62000-399	Other Contracted Services	\$6,700.00
Increase Revenue Coc	le:	
131-49700	Insurance Recovery	\$6,700.00

Justification: Insurance recovery for guard rail destroyed.

Motion by Commissioner Shain Vowell, seconded by Commissioner Sabra Beauchamp, and passed to refer to the Anderson County Board of County Commissioners with a recommendation for approval. Absent: Commissioner Tyler Mayes

<u>THE 19<sup>th</sup> ITEM</u>, to be presented to the Anderson County Budget Committee, was a written request from Jeff Cole, County Clerk, that the following **APPROPRIATION** in General Fund 101 be approved.

Increase Revenue Cod 101-43383	le: Additional Fees-Title and Registration	\$4,200.00
101 -5505	Additional Fees The and Registration	<b>\$1,200.00</b>
Increase Expenditure	Codes:	
101-52500-709	Data Processing Equipment	\$2,200.00
101-52500-349	Printing, Stationery, Forms	1,000.00
101-52500-335	Maint. & Repair	<u>1,000.00</u>
	-	\$4,200.00

Justification: Finishing up details at Norris location. Paper Supplies for all offices.

Motion by Commissioner Sabra Beauchamp, seconded by Commissioner Aaron Wells, and passed to refer to the Anderson County Board of County Commissioners with a recommendation for approval. Absent: Commissioner Tyler Mayes THE 20<sup>th</sup> ITEM, was omitted.

<u>THE 21<sup>st</sup> ITEM</u>, to be presented to the Anderson County Budget Committee, was a written request from Zach Allen/Sheriff Barker, Sheriff's Department, that the following **APPROPRIATION** in General Fund 101 be approved.

Increase Revenue Code:

101-47250-DFEULaw Enforcement Grants-Detention Facility Equipment \$1,470.18Upgrades

Increase Expenditure Code:

101-54210-499-DFEU Law Enforcement Grants-Detention Facility Equipment \$1,470.18 Upgrades Other Supplies & Materials

*Justification:* Remaining funds available from last year's Detention Facility Equipment Upgrades Grant to be spent on lines per the grant guidelines.

Motion by Commissioner Sabra Beauchamp, seconded by Commissioner Aaron Wells, and passed to refer to the Anderson County Board of County Commissioners with a recommendation for approval. Absent: Commissioner Tyler Mayes

<u>THE 22<sup>nd</sup> ITEM</u>, to be presented to the Anderson County Budget Committee, was a written request from Kenny Sharp/Russell Barker, Sheriff's Department, that the following **APPROPRIATION** General Fund 101 be approved.

Increase Expenditure		
101-54110-338	Vehicle Maintenance	\$6,636.40
Increase Revenue Co	<u>ode:</u>	
101-49700	Insurance Recovery	\$6,636.40

*Justification:* This money is insurance recovery funds paid from TN Risk Management after three of our vehicles were involved in incidents.

Motion by Commissioner Sabra Beauchamp, seconded by Commissioner Aaron Wells, and passed to refer to the Anderson County Board of County Commissioners with a recommendation for approval. Absent: Commissioner Tyler Mayes

<u>THE 23<sup>rd</sup> ITEM</u>, to be presented to the Anderson County Budget Committee, was a written request from Kenny Sharp/Russell Barker, Sheriff's Department, that the following **APPROPRIATION** in General Fund 101 be approved.

Increase Expenditure Codes:

101-54490-148	Other Emergency Management Dispatchers	\$11,200.00
101-54490-201	Other Emergency Management Social Security	694.40
101-54490-204	Other Emergency Management State Retirement	528.00
101-54490-212	Other Emergency Management Employer Medicare	<u>162.40</u>

		\$12,584.80
Increase Revenue	Code:	
101-48130	Contributions	\$12,584.80

*Justification:* This money was a contribution from Emergency Communications District to cover training supplement and fringe benefits for dispatchers.

Motion by Commissioner Sabra Beauchamp, seconded by Commissioner Aaron Wells, and passed to refer to the Anderson County Board of County Commissioners with a recommendation for approval. Absent: Commissioner Tyler Mayes

<u>THE 24<sup>th</sup> ITEM</u>, to be presented to the Anderson County Budget Committee, was a written request from Kenny Sharp/Russell Barker, Sheriff's Department, that the following **APPROPRIATION** in General Fund 101 be approved.

Increase Expenditure (	Code:	
101-54210-716-5700	SOR Law Enforcement Equipment	\$10,000.00
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101-39000	Unassigned Fund Balance	\$10,000.00

(Amendment will be from 101-34520-4000 SOR Restricted and a JE will replenish the reserve for 39000)

Justification: This is to purchase equipment for the SOR section.

Motion by Commissioner Sabra Beauchamp, seconded by Commissioner Aaron Wells, and passed to refer to the Anderson County Board of County Commissioners with a recommendation for approval. Absent: Commissioner Tyler Mayes

<u>**THE 25<sup>th</sup> ITEM**</u>, to be presented to the Anderson County Budget Committee, was a written request from Steve Owens/Russell Barker, Sheriff's Department, that the following **TRANSFER** (**Payroll**) in General Fund 101 be approved.

Increase Expenditure Control Increase Expenditure Expenditure Control Increase Expenditure Expenditure Expenditure Control Increase Expenditure Expendi	<u>ode:</u> L.E. Equipment-THSO	\$1,800.00
<u>Decrease Expenditure C</u> 101-54110-187-9007		\$1,800.00

*Justification:* To purchase hand held radars. I put all the grant funds in overtime code 187 in August, not aware that these funds could be used to purchase hand held radars.

Motion by Commissioner Sabra Beauchamp, seconded by Commissioner Aaron Wells, and passed to refer to the Anderson County Board of County Commissioners with a recommendation for approval. Absent: Commissioner Tyler Mayes

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<u>**THE 26<sup>th</sup> ITEM**</u>, to be presented to the Anderson County Budget Committee, was a written request from Ben Taylor, Conservation, that the following **APPROPRIATION** in General Fund 101 be approved.

Decrease Reserve Code		
101-39000	Unassigned Fund Balance	\$4,000.00

# (Amendment will be from 101-34610-PARKS Committed for General Government-Parks & Recreation and a JE will replenish the reserve for 39000)

Increase Expenditure	Code:	
101-51240-790	Conservation Commission-Other Equipment	\$4,000.00

Justification: Purchase a new gate for entrance of Anderson County Park up to \$4,000.

Motion by Commissioner Sabra Beauchamp, seconded by Commissioner Shain Vowell, and passed to refer to the Anderson County Board of County Commissioners with a recommendation for approval. Absent: Commissioner Tyler Mayes

<u>**THE 27<sup>th</sup> ITEM**</u>, to be presented to the Anderson County Budget Committee, was a written request from Robby Holbrook, Finance, that the following **APPROPRIATION** in General Fund 101 be approved.

Decrease Reserve Code 152-34580	Restricted for Debt Service	\$6,500.00
Increase Expenditure Co	odes:	\$1,500.00
152-82330-325	Debt Service-Education-Fiscal Agent Charges	<u>5,000.00</u>
152-82330-510	Debt Service-Education-Trustee's Commission	\$6,500.00

*Justification:* Trustee's commission and fiscal agent charges for Debt Service Fund 152. These codes were not in original budget.

Motion by Commissioner Sabra Beauchamp, seconded by Commissioner Shain Vowell, and passed to refer to the Anderson County Board of County Commissioners with a recommendation for approval. Absent: Commissioner Tyler Mayes

<u>**THE 28<sup>th</sup> ITEM**</u>, to be presented to the Anderson County Budget Committee, was a written request from Robby Holbrook, Finance, that the following **APPROPRIATION** in General Fund 101 be approved.

Increase Revenue Code:101-46190-FIGOther General Government Grant-Food InsecurityGrant

Increase Expenditure Codes:

101-58190-399-FIG	Other Economic & Comm Develop-Other Contracted Services	\$10,000.00
101-58190-499-FIG	Other Economic & Comm Develop-Other Supplies & Materials	2,500.00
101-58190-799-FIG	Other Economic & Comm Develop-Other Capital Outlay	<u>181,500.00</u> \$194,000.00

Justification: Budget amendment to place food insecurity grant on the books.

Motion by Commissioner Sabra Beauchamp, seconded by Commissioner Shain Vowell, and passed to refer to the Anderson County Board of County Commissioners with a recommendation for approval. Absent: Commissioner Tyler Mayes

<u>**THE 29th ITEM</u>**, to be presented to the Anderson County Budget Committee, was a written request from Randy Walters, Finance, that the following **APPROPRIATION** in Self Insurance Fund 263 be approved.</u>

Increase Expenditure Codes:

263-51900-399-THRV	Other G & A-Other Contracted Services THRV/Clinic	\$45,000.00
263-51900-599-THRV	Other General Administration-Other Charges	<u>10,000.00</u>
	-	\$55,000.00
Decrease Reserve Code		
263-39900	Net Assets-Unrestricted	\$55,000.00

<u>Justification</u>: This appropriation allocates funds for the Vendor Implementation Fee and miscellaneous minor equipment purchases (e.g., medication/lab refrigerator and freezer; bariatric chairs), and other costs associated with changing our Employee Health Clinic service provider and updating the clinic. All unspent funds will roll to the Fund 263 fund balance.

Motion by Commissioner Sabra Beauchamp, seconded by Commissioner Shain Vowell, and passed to refer to the Anderson County Board of County Commissioners with a recommendation for approval. Absent: Commissioner Tyler Mayes

## SECTION A, Rocky Top Sewer/Commissioner Vowell

Commissioner Shain Vowell, Rocky Top Mayor Kerry Templin, and Rocky Top City Manager Mike Ellis provided an information on the status of the Rocky Top sewer system, the necessary repairs, and the funding short-fall.

No action taken.

# SECTION B, FY 24/25 Budget Preparation/Robby Holbrook

Finance Director Robby Holbrook presented the Budget Guidelines, Budget Calendar, and Budget forms for Committee approval.

Motion by Commissioner Sabra Beauchamp, seconded by Commissioner Tyler Mayes, and passed to approve the Budget Guidelines, Budget Calendar, and Budget forms.

Absent: Commissioner Aaron Wells

## SECTION C, Longevity Program/HR Advisory

Finance Director Robby Holbrook opened a discussion of Longevity Program options.

No action taken.

#### SECTION D, New Business

1. Finance Director Robby Holbrook presented a Budget Transfer request, on behalf of the EMA Director Brice Kidwell.

This is reflected as the "30<sup>th</sup> Item" above.

2. Law Director Jay Yeager presented options for responding to the Endo International Local Government Opioid Claims Ballot.

Motion by Commissioner Sabra Beauchamp, seconded by Commissioner Shain Vowell, to accept the plan.

Absent: Commissioner Aaron Wells

Motion passed to refer to the Anderson County Board of County Commissioners with a recommendation for approval.

Meeting Adjourned.

Robby Holbrook, Finance Director

# Anderson County Board of Commissioners Purchasing Committee Meeting Minutes February 12, 2024 4:30 p.m. Room 312 of the Courthouse

**Members Present:** Phil Yager (Committee Chair), Tyler Mayes, Aaron Wells and Steve Verran. **Members Absent:** Denise Palmer

Commissioner Wells made a motion to add the Stryker Contract and the Judicial Drug Task Force Grant Amendment under New Business. Commissioner Mayes seconded the motion. Motion passed unanimously.

# A. Contracts Approved by Law Director

- <u>State of TN Dept of Finance and Admin, Office of Criminal Justice, Mayor, Contract</u> <u>#23-0094 A1</u> – Amendment to extend Domestic Violence Victim Coordinator Grant through FY 2025 for an additional \$130,000.
- 2. <u>Heritage Health Solutions, Sheriff, Contract #24-0094</u> Three-year contract for Medical Bill Scrubbing. Provides more in-depth review than current contract.
- 3. <u>HealthPlan Freedom, Sheriff, Contract #24-0095</u> Three-year Memorandum of Understanding to assist eligible inmates with finding health insurance. No cost to the County.
- 4. <u>Devin Burnett, EMS, Contract #24-0096</u> Agreement to provide EMS employee tuition in the amount of \$1,500 for the Critical Care Course with the conditions that the employee passes the course, obtains his Critical Care Paramedic State License and remains employed full-time with EMS for one-year after obtaining license.
- 5. <u>MathSpace, BOE, Contract #24-0098</u> Five-year curriculum contract in the High Schools in the amount of \$115,500. Sole Source Purchase (public notice posted on Vendor Registry for ten business days).
- 6. <u>City of Clinton, Mayor, Contract #24-0100</u> Deed to convey land for Animal Shelter for a cost of \$70,000.

Commissioner Mayes made a motion to approve as a group. Commissioner Wells seconded the motion. Motion passed unanimously.

# **B.** Contracts Pending Law Director Approval

- State of TN Dept of Finance and Admin, Office of Criminal Justice, Mayor, Contract #23-0105 A1 – Amendment to extend Family Justice Center VOCA Grant through FY 2025 for an additional \$200,000.
- Energy Systems Group, BOE, Contract #24-0099 Contract to upgrade Wastewater Treatment and Septic at Dutch Valley and Briceville Elementary Schools and to enhance security at all schools. Cost is \$1,854,000.
- **3.** <u>MBI, BOE, Contract #24-0101</u> Architectural Services for the new Claxton Elementary School Building. Work estimated to be completed by July 2026.

Commissioner Mayes made a motion to approve as a group contingent upon the Law Director's approval. Commissioner Verran seconded the motion. Motion passed unanimously.

# C. Other Business

**1.** Request to surplus 2011 Ford Crown Victoria in order to donate it to the City of Norris. Vehicle runs, has front end damage.

Commissioner Mayes made a motion to approve. Commissioner Verran seconded the motion. Commissioner Wells voted No. Motion passed.

# **D. New Business**

1. <u>Stryker, EMS, Contract #24-0102</u> – Contract for the purchase of AED equipment to include five years of maintenance. Pricing from the cooperative purchasing Consortium, Savvik, that was established by competitive bid. Budget is approved.

Commissioner Wells made a motion to approve contingent upon the Law Director's approval. Commissioner Mayes seconded the motion. Motion passed unanimously.

 State of TN Dept of Finance and Admin, Office of Criminal Justice, District Attorney, Contract #22-0110 A1 – Amendment to extend the Judicial Drug Task Force Grant through FY 2025 for an additional \$70,000.

Commissioner Wells made a motion to approve contingent upon the Law Director's approval. Commissioner Mayes seconded the motion. Motion passed unanimously.

## E. Unfinished Business



**Office of the Director of Schools** 

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Dr. Tim Parrott, Director

# **MEMORANDUM**

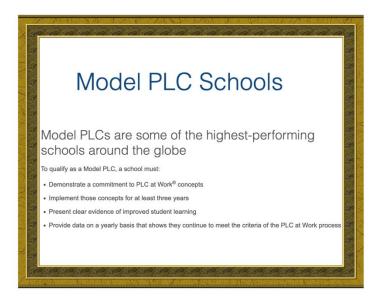
- TO: County Commission Members Terry Frank, County Mayor Robbie Holbrook, Finance Director
- FROM: Dr. Tim Parrott, Director of Schools  $\Omega_{\mathcal{A}} \neq \mathcal{P}_{\text{arrow}}$
- DATE: February 2024
- RE: Report to County Commission

# ATTENDANCE

Student enrollment stands at 5918 students including Kindergarten standing at 381.

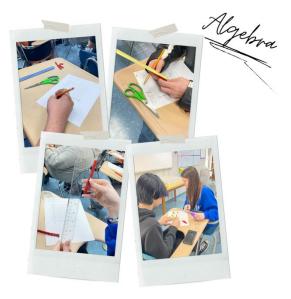
# **HIGH SCHOOL**

## **Clinton High**



Clinton High School has submitted its application to be a Model PLC School. If chosen, they will be the only high school in Tennessee to achieve this status. In fact, there are only 53 high schools in the country that have earned this recognition! Gear Up has kicked off the FAFSA season by hosting six nights of help sessions until 8:00 PM. College representatives from TCAT and Roane State have been onsite to meet with parents and students as this important financial aid step has been completed.





Mrs. Meres Algebra I classes have been learning about exponential decay. Twizzlers are the perfect tool to simulate cutting a rope in half, and they make for a pretty sweet learning experience, too!

## **Anderson County**



Mrs. Smith's Geometry students have been learning to set up and solve trigonometric equations in order to eventually apply their skills to real-world problems. Recently, they were working on solving for missing sides of a right triangle. It was the first time students had been introduced to manipulating equations with sine, cosine, and tangent. Therefore, Mrs. Smith embedded a lot of equation review in the lesson in order to scaffold her student's learning. Students were engaged in the lesson; they asked and answered questions, and were comfortable taking risks to participate in the lesson. Mrs. Smith is an integral part of Anderson County High School's math department.

#### **MIDDLE SCHOOL**

#### Lake City



Students enjoyed a "book tasting" in their library related arts class as they snacked on cookies while "tasting" books that they might want to check out and read. This special event was a highlight for our students this winter.

Our UTrust Appreciation days are going strong! On January 8<sup>th</sup>, we celebrated our wonderful food service workers. We have a friendly staff that is wonderful to our students. We appreciate them greatly! Pictured here are some of the team along with our Laker Leaders.





Our CTE Coach has been taking small groups of students out into the field, as well as making numerous trips to ACCTC, to prepare our 8th graders for high school and beyond! After visiting Techmer, they had the opportunity to visit central office and see the CTE man himself, Mr. Kelly Myers.

#### Norwood

8th grade students at Norwood Middle School have had the opportunity to complete their OSHA certification. As students are being exposed to CTE job opportunities and pathways after high school graduation, the OSHA certification helps them get one step ahead. So far, we have had 3 students complete their certification and receive their card, with several more students anticipated to finish very soon.





With baseball season right around the corner, our Norwood Jaguars baseball team received a donation of gloves and baseballs from members of the Anderson County Sheriff's Department. Equipment and supplies are one less thing we will have to think about as we prepare for the spring season, and we are very grateful for the community's support.

# Clinton



On February 13th, students and staff welcomed members of Leadership Anderson County to Clinton Middle. Teacher Jonathon Lewis invited members to listen as he worked with students to develop plans for this year's Dream it, Do it competition, and showcased student work in his CTE classes. Dean of Students, Hope Holdaway, spoke about several of our school-wide career and engagement initiatives, including "Employeeable Skill of the Month" where students who exhibit a specific skill are recognized and rewarded by their teacher at the end of the month. Before leaving, students from our Culinary Arts classes presented our visitors with

goody bags filled with sweet treats to take on their way. We are grateful for the opportunity to present the hard work our students have been doing to the community, and look forward to more visits in the future.









#### **ELEMENTARY SCHOOL**

#### Andersonville



Congratulations to our LEAD poster winners. We have some amazing artists and they did a great job!

We celebrated our January Student of the Month for the hard work and great Tiger behavior.





This month we celebrated our food service staff members. They love each of our students and do so much for them whether it is cooking up the famous "crispitos" or fun decorations in the cafeteria. We are lucky to have them at AES!

#### Briceville



Students got to enjoy some of their fresh butter crunch lettuce in technology class. They grew their lettuce from seeds in a





hydroponic garden, and enjoyed a healthy and delicious salad today as a reward for their hard work!



Our Kindergarten classes celebrated their 100th day of Kindergarten this month!





Claxton



Claxton PTO was able to recognize our leadership team today with a gift for Principal's Appreciation Day. We are very grateful for all of the work and heart they put into making Claxton a great place to learn!



Mrs. Akers class practiced adding multiple two digit numbers. Thanks to Mrs. Kirk, they were able to show their thinking on a Lego board as well as their paper. They used blue Legos to represent the tens, red Legos to represent the ones, and then found the total. Way to go Cougars!



Congratulations to our recent grant winners - The Education Foundation awarded Leah Treadway, Brandon Ward, and Jennifer Frost with grants for their recent projects. Leah and Jennifer were awarded a grant for decodable readers. Brandon was awarded a grant for Nine Square in the Air. Kim VanBuskirk was awarded a grant for student tickets through the TN Arts. Nikki Kirk was awarded a grant for the STEM lab for new 3D printers. Precia Beebe was awarded a grant for a new piano lab for her music class. We are really proud of our teachers for writing grants and taking on the initiative to make Claxton to make the best it can be!





Mrs. Kirk's STEM class 5th graders were challenged to design a contraption to protect a raw egg from breaking when dropped from our rooftop. They experimented with different materials and shapes for their protective barriers. Most eggs survived and only a couple did not!

The news is out- Claxton Elementary is building a new school. As we also work towards becoming STEAM (Science, Technology, Engineering, Art and Math) certified in our new building, we want to practice using the engineering process. Over the next few months, students will have a chance to engineer some ideas on ways to make our new school the best it can be. Stay tuned to see what our Claxton students design if they "built a school." <u>STEAM Video</u>

**Dutch Valley** 



Our 4th grade class had their monthly 4H meeting. They were rewarded for the poster competition they took part in last month. Six of the students took home a blue or red ribbon. Three of the other students took 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place in the county wide competition! Our 1st place student is moving on to the state wide competition. We are all so proud of these Pioneers!



February is UTRUST Principal Appreciation month, so we brought the safari to her. The kids made her lots of great crafts, and the staff treated her to a lunch! We have a Fantasssstic principal!



# Fairview



Two of our 5th graders also placed in the 4-H speech competition. Emmett placed 1st and Brenna placed 2nd!

We celebrated our 100th day of school on Feb. 9th. Our students and teachers had an "old" day of fun integrating literacy and math with the number 100 as the focus.



## **Grand Oaks**



No "LION", Our Principal is THE BEST! This past Thursday was Principal Appreciation Day! We had a blast animal printing the school in celebration of Mrs. Conatser! She received thoughtful notes from the students, lunch from Chicken Salad Chick, and a goodie basket full of all kinds of WILD things including a gift certificate to Zoo Knoxville! We love and appreciate our fearless leader and the "roar" she puts forward!







Our third grade students had the best time at WonderWorks Pigeon Forge today! It was a day full of hands on STEM fun and our students did not want to leave. Huge shout out to Malcom and the rest of their staff for making today so special for our group!



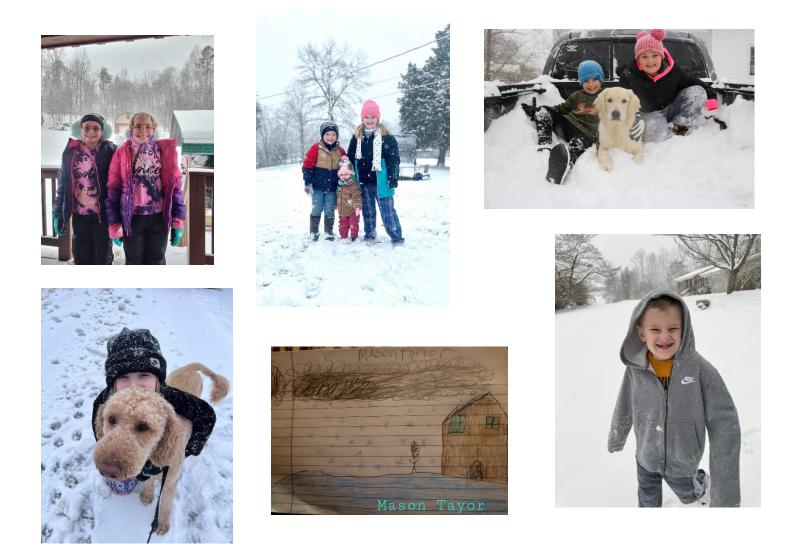




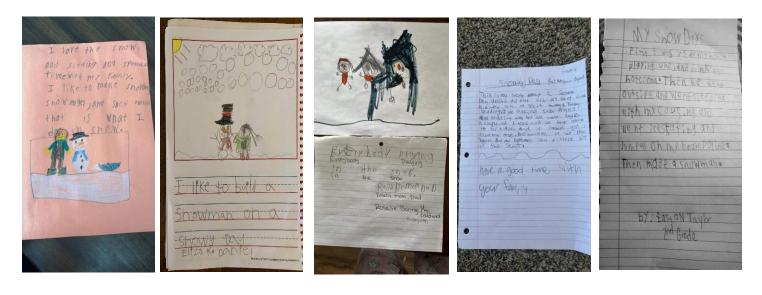
Did you know there is a National Pizza Day? Our third graders have been celebrating during "Pizza Week" where they have learned about all things fractions. We are so proud of their hard work mastering their fraction standards!



## Lake City



January's snow was one for the record books (and one for our students to talk about when they are grown). Our families shared some of their snow pictures with us while school was out. We also challenged students to write and draw about the snow. It looks like our LCES snow angels had a blast playing outside in the snow!





January's character word was "fairness." We are proud of these students who excel at showing fairness at school. Congratulations to our Character Students of the Month!

Stay tuned! In just a few days, Mrs. Bozeman and her students will be observing these button quails hatch in our STREAM lab. The picture shows how tiny the egg is compared to a regular chicken egg.



# Norris



The teachers at Norris Elementary have been busy. First grade teacher, Sarah Abbott, has recently finished all the requirements for acquiring a Master's Degree in Curriculum and Instruction. She is dedicated to learning the most



effective practices for the classroom. Congratulations Sarah! Also, our teachers have been getting into the spirit of the Super Bowl but cheering for the Kansas City Chiefs, sort of.



At Norris we are fortunate to offer dance to all our students each week. Our students are currently learning how to tap dance with tap shoes that strap onto their shoes. Olivia Bartlett, owner of Dream Dance Studio is in her second year teaching our students.











Kindergarten recently celebrated their 100th day of school.





Gym teacher Jim Kuban built monkey bars for our students to use. See pre-school trying them out. He also recently earned his certification to teach archery to 4th and 5th grades. Some equipment has been donated and our PTO is purchasing the rest.



As a part of the fourth grade's study of the American Revolution, students recently learned about life in colonial America and role played various jobs from the 1700s.

#### Norwood



K-2 participated in an in-school Valentine dance. The students and staff had a fabulous time.



Second grade was chosen to have lunch with Mr. Vinny. Two of our new Jags were chosen to eat with friends! Mr. Vinny does an awesome job at NWES.



NWES celebrated School Counselor Week with different themed days. It's been a great week so far! Thank you to everyone who has participated. Teachers will be adding more pictures throughout the week.







Hip-Hip hooray! It's our 100th day! Students in Ms. Courtney's Kindergarten class celebrated being 100 days smarter by dressing up as 100 year olds, doing 100 day themed math stations, and even celebrated meeting their goal of 70 percent and above on their benchmark testing with a milkshake party! Way to go Kindergarten!



We would like to give a huge thank you to Anna Hurt with Coordinated School Health for a new Glow in the Dark 9 Square structure for our gym! Coach B., Coach Myers, and Mr. Vinny tested it out and gave it two thumbs up.





## ANDERSON COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION 101 S. Main Street Clinton, TN 37716 Board of Education Meeting February 8, 2024 6:00 PM

Board Members	Present	Absent
Dr. John Burrell	√	
Don Bell	✓	
Dail Cantrell	√	
Scott Gillenwaters, Chairman	$\checkmark$	
Glenda Langenberg	√	
Andy McKamey	✓	
Teresa Portwood, Vice Chairman	✓	
Jo Williams	✓	
Dr. Tim Parrott	✓	
Student Board Members		
Audrey Wood – ACHS	✓	
Ansley Barker - CHS	✓	

# **OTHERS PRESENT**

Paula Sellers, Rae Ann Owens, Kelly Myers, Kathryn Price, Anne Ford, Rick Turnbull, Tammy Turnbull, Clay McKamey Andrea Russell, Katrina Oakley, Rhonda Phillips.

# I. CALL TO ORDER

Chairman Scott Gillenwaters called the meeting to order at 6:00 PM as a regular monthly meeting of the Board of Education. Don Bell led the Pledge of Allegiance.

## II. <u>RECOGNITION OF GUESTS</u>

## III. PERSONS TO BE HEARD

# IV. APPROVAL OF AGENDA

**Motion** by John Burrell and seconded by Andy McKamey to approve the agenda. **Motion** carried.

## V. APPROVAL OF CONSENT AGENDA

#### 2-8-24 Minutes of Anderson County Board of Education Regular Meeting

- A. Regular Meeting Minutes January 11, 2024
- B. Human Resources Report
- C. Student Services Report
- D. Field Trips
- E. CMS Softball Schedule
- F. Preschool Property Resolution

**Motion** by Jo Williams and seconded by Teresa Portwood to approve Consent Agenda. **Motion** carried.

# VI. <u>EXECUTIVE APPROVAL</u> - None

# VII. COMMENTS FROM THE CHAIR

Chairman Scott Gillenwaters reminded the Board to complete Dr. Parrott's Evaluation as well as the Board Self Evaluation. Chairman Gillenwaters additionally expressed his gratitude for Mr. Sam Myers' hard work televising Board meetings.

# VIII. COMMENTS FROM STUDENT BOARD MEMBERS

- A. Audrey Wood CHS: Received \$10k donation for Education Foundation's Helping Hands grant program; met with several mentors from the community who have been working with students; sophomores and juniors working on dual enrollment grants for free college credits.
- B. Ansley Barker ACHS: Basketball team won District; wrestling won 5<sup>th</sup> place at State, swim team headed to State; spring sports starting up; school is looking forward to Winter Formal.

## IX. DIRECTOR'S REPORT

Dr. Parrott informed every one of the Governor's State of the State Address outlining his plan to grant \$144 million in vouchers for next year. Anderson County, Oak Ridge, and Clinton City schools are all in opposition and letters have been sent to Legislators; Although embargoed, Andersonville Elementary, Claxton Elementary, Grand Oaks Elementary, and Clinton High School have all been named as Reward Schools for next year per the State Board of Education Agenda; District has been designated as "advancing" as we were 0.03 points shy of being an Exemplary School District; 381 enrolled in Kindergarten, 5918 total – up 12 from last month, and 47 early grad; reminder for Teacher of the Year Banquet Thursday, February 15th, at First Baptist Church hosted by the Education Foundation; property tax still short, but positive it will continue to catch up; no updates for lawsuits; building updates - Claxton still waiting on traffic study, working with Finance on Resolution for USDA loan as it will be more cost effective, met with softball parents last week to review construction - GCE working on the building, concrete

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was scheduled, however, unable to pour due to rain, sprinklers moved, working on building permit for concession stand, American Sports Field waiting on concrete, fencing etc. to start work but only have about three days' worth of work to complete; CTE welding building – three pieces of property were purchased under different names and need to be combined under one deed prior to starting any work; Dragon Drive deeded to ACS; Life Development Center – waiting on signed agreement; GEC project (upgrades to wastewater treatment plant) contract will be in purchasing next week, largest portion will be covered from Safety Grant and ESSER funds.

# X. ACTION ITEMS

# XI. FINANCIAL REPORT

## A. Addendum

**Motion** by Teresa Portwood and seconded by Don Bell to approve budget appropriations 1a – 1c. **Motion carried.** 

Scott Gillenwaters	Yea
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Teresa Portwood	Yea
Don Bell	Yea
John Burrell	Yea
Dail Cantrell	Yea
Glenda Langenberg	Yea
Andy McKamey	Yea
Jo Williams	Yea

B. Transfers

**Motion** by Teresa Portwood and seconded by Jo Williams to approve budget transfers 2a-2e. **Motion carried.** 

Adjourned at 6:33 PM

Scott Gillenwaters, Chairman

Dr. Tim Parrott, Director of Schools

CERTIFIED ON:\_\_\_\_\_\_ BY:

# OFFICE OF THE COUNTY LAW DIRECTOR ANDERSON COUNTY, TENNESSEE

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# **MEMORANDUM**

TO:	Ms. Annette Prewitt, Chief Deputy to the County Commission
CC:	County Commission
FROM:	N. Jay Yeager
DATE:	February 14, 2024
RE:	Law Director's Report -February 22, 2024 - County Commission Meeting

# Please add the following to the County Commission Agenda under the Law Director's Report.

# Please Note - Action Item listed in Sections F and G.

#### A. Contract Approvals:

- 1. Kathy Price- Strategic Planning Follow-Up Meeting
- 2. Bleachers & Seats- Schools
- 3. Office of Aging and Senior Center Grant- Mayor's Office
- 4. Axon- Sheriff's Dept.
- 5. Devin Burnett- Tuition Reimbursement- EMS
- 6. MathSpace- Schools
- 7. My Benefits Chanel- Human Resources
- 8. State of TN Dept of Finance and Admin- Criminal Justice Grant Amendment
- 9. Heritage Health Solutions- Sheriff's Dept.
- 10. Comcast Business- Trustee & County Clerk
- 11. ESG- Schools
- 12. City of Clinton-Deed
- 13. MBI- New Claxton Elem.
- 14. Janelle Fontaine- Tuition Reimbursement- EMS
- 15. FJC Grant- VOCA- Family Justice Center
- 16. Stryker (AED's) -EMS
- 17. JAG Grant Amendment- District Attorney's Office

# B. Anderson County Zoning Violations:

Newly Opened

- 1. 510 Red Hill Road
- 2. 168 Queen Street

#### Newly Filed

1. 213 Donald Lane

## Motion for Default Judgment

1. 902 Foust Carney Rd- Hearing set for March 4, 2024

### **Default Judgment Granted**

- 1. 303 Frost Bottom Road
- 2. 364 Half Moon Road
- 3. 151 Moccasin Hollow Road

#### Show Cause and Petition for Contempt

- 1. 146 Blacksferry Rd- Hearing set for March 11, 2024
- 2. 222 Old Tacora Hills Rd- Hearing set for March 25, 2024

#### Contempt Granted

1. 215 Jarnigan Chapel Road

### Parcels

1. 837 Briceville Highway

## C. Bankruptcies:

- 1. S & D Pinthanond- Chapter 13 Bankruptcy. Received Agreed Order Increasing Plan Payments. Property Taxes are paid by the Mortgage Company, no claim was filed. No action needed.
- 2. M. Coker- Chapter 13 Bankruptcy. Received Order Confirming Chapter 13 Plan. Property Taxes are paid by the Mortgage Company. No claim needed for property taxes, no action needed.
- 3. J& D Mallett- Chapter 13 Bankruptcy. Received Order Resolving Trustee's Motion to Dismiss. Property Taxes paid by Mortgage Company. No action needed.
- 4. A. Idles- Chapter 7 Bankruptcy. Received Notice of Chapter 7 Case, no proof of claim deadline due to no assets. No action needed.
- 5. A. Maldonado- Chapter 13 Bankruptcy. Received Order of Discharge. No action needed.
- 6. In Re Endo- Chapter 11 Bankruptcy. Received Plan Voting Ballot. Presented information to Operations and Budget Committees for vote on how to vote. Budget Voted to Accept Plan and Releases.

## D. Delinquent Taxes

2019 and 2020 City of Oak Ridge Delinquent Real and Personal Property Taxes- 22CH3979

1. Decree Confirming Sale- Sale held via online auction on Saturday, January 27th, 2024. One property remained of the one-hundred and forty-nine (149) turned over, sale price\$ 38,503.36 which was \$34,150.00 in excess of what was owed. (See attached)

# E. New Lawsuits

- 1. Benny Lowe v. AC (Inmate Medical)
- 2. Dylan Dotson v. AC (Re-filed K-9 bite)
- 3. Samuel J. Marra v. AC (Various Inmate Claims)

# F. Ratification of Endo Bankruptcy previously approved by Budget and Operations Committees.

# G. Ratification of Resolution Honoring Leon Jaquet.

# H. Opioid Settlement Agreement

\*All other matters contained in committee reports.

# IN THE 7<sup>TH</sup> JUDICIAL DISTRICT FOR ANDERSON COUNTY, TENNESSEE, CHANCERY DIVISION

THE STATE OF TENNESSEE in its own behalf and for the use and benefit of the ANDERSON COUNTY, Tennessee, Plaintiff,

No. 22CH3979

V

DELINQUENT TAXPAYERS as shown on the 2019 and 2020 REAL PROPERTY and PERSONAL PROPERTY DELINQUENT TAX RECORDS OF THE CITY OF OAK RIDGE, TENNESSEE, and as more fully set out in Exhibit "A" annexed hereto, Defendants.

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#### CLERK AND MASTER'S REPORT OF TAX SALE

The undersigned respectfully reports that, in obedience to the Order dated December 18, 2023, and entered upon the Records of the Chancery Court, commanding me to sell the property therein mentioned, advertised as required by law on December 18, 2023, in the Clinton Courier and the Oak Ridger.

At the Courthouse in Clinton, Anderson County, Tennessee, I sold such real properties, with an On-Line Auction Company, GovEase, subject to the equity of redemption, to the purchasers listed below, they being the highest and best bidders at such on On-Line sale, for the total amount of \$38,503.36. The list of properties, names of owners and purchasers, and the amounts of the final bids are set forth in Exhibit A, which is attached. The sum represents the amount received by your Clerk and Master, from individuals who purchased property, and has been deposited into the Registry of the Chancery Court, and is being held subject to the further orders of the court. The Anderson County Clerk and Master will receive \$2,908.39, Anderson County Trustee will receive \$896.97; and the City of Oak Ridge will receive \$548.00, for taxes due, leaving an excess bid amount of \$34,150.00.

#### ЕХНІВІТ А

Your Clerk and Master respectfully request this Honorable Court conduct a hearing to confirm the sale as reported.

Respectfully submitted, this the 2<sup>nd</sup>, day of February, 2024.

HAROLD P. COUSINS, JR. ANDERSON COUNTY CLERK AND MASTER

#### CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

This certifies that a true and exact copy of this Clerk and Master's Report to the Delinquent Tax Sale has been served on Philip R. Crye, Jr., 2018 Delinquent Tax Attorney, N. Jay Yeager, County Law Director, Anderson County Trustee, and the City of Oak Ridge, by mailing or hand delivering an exact copy of the same.

This the 2<sup>nd</sup> day of February, 2024:

HAROLD P. COUSINS, JR. ANDERSON COUNTY CLERK AND MASTER

# Exhibit A

Dao Nguyen 102 Artesia Drive 02 95P A 95P 053.00 Book/Page: 1725/148 Purchaser: First Place Finish, Inc. Purchase Amount: \$38,503.36

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# Anderson County, Tennessee Board of Commissioners

# RESOLUTION NO. 24-02-1159 RESOLUTION HONORING LEON JAQUET, DIRECTOR OF THE ANDERSON COUNTY VETERAN SERVICE OFFICE

WHEREAS, Leon Jaquet has served as Director of the Anderson County Veteran Service Office since September 17, 2007. Prior to becoming the Director, Leon served in the United States Navy from February 1979 until May 2003; and

WHEREAS, while serving in the Navy, Leon began his career as a night baker and worked his way up to Senior Chief Mess Management Specialist (E-8). He served on five (5) Naval ships: The USS San Jose AFS-7; USS England CG-20; USS Richmond K. Turner CG-22; USS Ingraham FFG-61; commissioned the USS Chancellorsville CG-62; and served with the Seabees of Naval Mobile Construction Battalion 133. He served three (3) tours in the Persian Gulf, including Operation Desert Storm in 1991; and

WHEREAS, while in the Navy, he obtained his degree in Hospitality Management from the American Hotel and Motel Association. Through his degree he began teaching classes to others in the industry and that is how he met his wife of sixteen (16) years, Barbara Jean. Mrs. Jaquet was born and raised in Clinton. After a brief stint up north and once Leon retired from the Navy, Barbara Jean insisted she and Leon return home to Clinton; and

WHEREAS, after his retirement from the Navy, Leon attempted life in the civilian world, holding nine (9) different jobs from November 2003 until September 2007. Leon knew he wanted to find a place to serve veterans such as himself and help them adjust to civilian life. Barbara Jean pointed out the job posting with the Anderson County Veteran Service Office and they knew that was the job for Leon. Out of forty (40) applicants, it was narrowed down to five (5) that were then submitted to the Nominating Committee and then to County Commission, where Leon was the obvious choice for the job; and

WHEREAS, through his tenure as Director, Leon has more than tripled the amount of VA benefits paid to the veterans of Anderson County, increasing from Sixteen Million Dollars (\$16,000,000) in 2007 when he started to over Fifty-Nine Million Dollars (\$59,000,000) in the fiscal year of 2021-2022. He has also been instrumental in the development and organization of the Memorial Day Program and Veteran's Day Parade to ensure that those that have served and those that have paid the ultimate sacrifice for our freedom are honored appropriately; and

WHEREAS, other than his duties as Director of Veteran Service Office, Leon also serves as a member of several Veteran Service Originations, including; The American Legion Post #172 in Clinton, where he has served as Post Commander from 2009 to 2020 and again in 2023 to the current year, The Veterans of Foreign War Post #6494 in Rocky Top, The Disabled Veterans Chapter 26 in Oliver Springs and Alpha Lodge #376 in Clinton; and

WHEREAS, Leon's dedication and service to the veterans and their families has been nothing short of exemplary. His personal motto has always been to excel beyond what is expected and do his absolute best for everyone he can help. He has definitely excelled far above and beyond while acting as Director for Anderson County Veteran Services Office.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Anderson County Board of Commissioners meeting this 22nd day of February 2024 that we honor Leon for his legacy of service to the veterans and their families, not only of Anderson County, but all across the United States and wish him well as he leaves to serve the veterans of the great state of Hawaii.

RESOLVED, DULY PASSED, AND EFFECTIVE this 22nd day of February 2024.

H. Tyler Mayes, Chairman

Terry Frank, County Mayor

ATTEST:

Jeff Cole, County Clerk

From: DirectingAdministrator@NationalOpioidOfficialSettlement.com
<<u>DirectingAdministrator@NationalOpioidOfficialSettlement.com</u>
Sent: Friday, February 16, 2024 4:16 PM
To: DirectingAdministrator@NationalOpioidOfficialSettlement.com
Cc: acaldeyro@browngreer.com; rpetkauskas@browngreer.com
Subject: External: National Opioid Settlements –Settlement Allocation Notice – Payment Years 1 (Allergan, Teva, Walmart, CVS, and Walgreens) and 2 (Walgreens only) – Tennessee
Importance: High

**CAUTION:** This email originated from outside the organization. Do not click links or open attachments unless you recognize the sender and know the content is safe.

This is an official communication from the Directing Administrator of the National Opioid Settlements.

# **Important Dates**

Date of Notice: 2/16/2024 Deadline to Dispute Allocation: 3/8/2024

# **Payment Allocation Determination**

This Notice is an official communication from the Directing Administrator of the National Opioid Settlements. All capitalized terms used in this letter have the meanings ascribed to them in the Allergan Public Global Opioid Settlement Agreement, Teva Global Opioid Settlement Agreement, Walmart Settlement Agreement, CVS Settlement Agreement, and Walgreens Settlement Agreement (collectively, the "Settlement Agreements"). All references to Participating Subdivisions in this letter also refer to Participating Special Districts for purposes of the Teva and Allergan Settlement Agreements. The Settlement Agreements can be viewed online at <u>https://www.nationalopioidofficialsettlement.com/Home/ImportantDocuments</u>.

Pursuant to Exhibit M and other applicable terms of the Settlement Agreements, for Payment Years 1 (*all Settlement Agreements*) and 2 (*Walgreens Settlement Agreement only*), we have determined the Payments and the amounts to be paid to each Settling State and its Participating Subdivisions included on Exhibit G for each of the Settlement Agreements. The attached Allocation Spreadsheet, which includes seven tabs covering each payment at issue, shows the intrastate calculations and allocations for Tennessee following the methodology that Tennessee has instructed the Directing Administrator to follow. You may also find the calculations spreadsheet in your Beneficiary Portal at <u>https://www.nationalopioidofficialsettlement.com/</u>.

Undisputed amounts shown on each spreadsheet tab will be paid beginning shortly after March 8, 2024. Participating Litigating Subdivisions in the attached Allocation Spreadsheets with missing dismissal information will not be eligible to receive Payments for the applicable Settlement(s) until such dismissal with prejudice against the applicable Released Entities for the listed Settlement(s) has been filed and entered.]

## **Use of Settlement Funds**

As a reminder, it is the intent of the Settlement Agreements that 100% of the Annual Payment be used for Opioid Remediation, as defined in the Settlement Agreements, subject to certain exceptions. Each Settlement Agreement imposes a penalty on any Settling State in which the spending of Annual Payments on non-Opioid Remediation exceed specified percentages. *See the Sections referenced in Table 1*. Tennessee's State-Subdivision Agreement or Allocation Statute may impose stricter limits on allowable spending.

In addition to the above, under the CVS Settlement Agreement, 95.5% of CVS's Annual Payments over the entirety of all Payment Years must be spent on Opioid Remediation, and the remaining 4.5% may only be spent outside of Opioid Remediation to the extent necessary to satisfy (a) back-stop attorney fee agreements entered into by Settling States with respect to at least one opioid settlement on or before November 30, 2022, even if such an agreement did not as of that date apply to CVS's Annual Payments; or (b) contingency fee agreements entered into by Settling States covering CVS's Annual Payments. Any amounts not spent to satisfy such agreements must be spent on Opioid Remediation.

	Table 1 – Opioid Remediation References			
	Settlement	Settlement Agreement Sections		
1.	Allergan	I.62, VIII.B-C, XIV.C.2		
2.	Teva	I.62, VIII.B-C, XV.C.2		
3.	Walmart	I.QQ, V.B, VI.C.2		
4.	CVS	I.VV, V.B, VI.C.2		
5.	Walgreens	I.UU, V.B, VI.C.2		

# Your Right to Dispute

The Settlement Agreements provide that within twenty-one (21) calendar days of this notice, certain parties may dispute, in writing, the calculations of the amount to be received by a Settling State or Participating Subdivision listed on Exhibit G. See Table 2 for more information on particulars for each Settlement Agreement regarding who may dispute, who may respond to such dispute, and the corresponding Settlement Agreement references. A dispute will be deemed invalid and disregarded if it challenges the allocations adopted by a State-Subdivision Agreement approved pursuant to the provisions of Exhibit O or by statute.

A party has until the Deadline to Dispute Allocation listed at the top of this Notice to provide a written notice of dispute. The amounts listed in this Allocation Notice will be deemed undisputed if the Directing Administrator has not received a party's notice of dispute by email

to <u>DirectingAdministrator@NationalOpioidOfficialSettlement.com</u> before midnight Eastern Time on the Deadline to Dispute Allocation. Written notice must identify the nature of the dispute, the amount of money that is disputed, and the Settling State(s) or Participating Subdivision(s) affected.

The parties to a dispute shall promptly meet and confer in good faith to resolve any dispute. If the parties cannot resolve the dispute informally, and unless otherwise agreed in writing, disputes except National Disputes shall be resolved in either the Court that entered the relevant Consent Judgment or, if no such Consent Judgment was entered, a state or territorial court with jurisdiction located wherever the seat of the relevant state or territorial government is located. National Disputes shall be resolved by the National Arbitration Panel.

	Table 2 – Dispute Procedure References				
Self ement		Settlement Agreement Sections	Who may Dispute	Who may Respond to Dispute	
1.	Allergan	VII.B.6.b, VII.B.6.c, VII.B.6.e, XIV.G.1, XIV.G.4		Any affected Settling State or any affected Exhibit G Participant	
2.	Teva	TI.B.6.b, VII.B.6.c,Any Settling State or Exhibit GTI.B.6.e, XV.G.1, XV.G.4Participant		Any affected Settling State or any affected Exhibit G Participant	

3.	Walmart	IV.C.2.b, IV.C.2.c, VI.F.1, VI.F.3	Walmart, any Settling State, the Enforcement Committee, or a Participating Subdivision	Any affected party
4.	cvs	IV.C.4.b, IV.C.4.c, VI.F.1, VI.F.3	Any Settling State or Participating Subdivision listed on Exhibit G	Any affected Settling State or affected Participating Subdivision
5.	Walgreens	IV.C.4.b, IV.C.4.c, VI.F.1, VI.F.2	Any Settling State or Participating Subdivision listed on Exhibit G	Any affected Settling State or affected Participating Subdivision

# To Accept Payment

If you do not dispute the payment and have previously created a Portal Account and completed your Payment Election Forms and W-9 Forms, no further action is needed unless you wish to provide updated payment instructions. The Directed Trustee will begin issuing payments after the applicable deadlines have passed using the payment instructions entered in the Portal. If you have not previously created a Portal Account, please do so and complete the Payment Election Forms and W-9 Forms to create payment instructions for any Settlement Payments. Keep your payment instructions current in your Portal Account at <a href="https://www.nationalopioidofficialsettlement.com/">https://www.nationalopioidofficialsettlement.com/</a> to prevent any delays in receiving your settlement

payments.

As a reminder, your Case Manager is Adreyan Caldeyro whose email address is <u>acaldeyro@browngreer.com</u>. We invite you to direct any questions you may have about creating a Portal, providing payment information, or the National Opioid Settlements in general to Adreyan.

Sincerely,

Directing Administrator National Opioid Settlements BROWNGREER PLC Telephone: (888) 441-2010 DirectingAdministrator@NationalOpioidOfficialSettlement.com

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### Anderson County Board of Commissioners **OPERATIONS COMMITTEE** MINUTES February 12, 2024 6:00 PM Room 312

Members Present:	Tim Isbel, Tracy Wandell, Phil Yager, Joshua Anderson, Stephen Verran, Anthony Allen and Robert McKamey
Members Absent:	Denise Palmer
Call to Order:	Chairman Isbel called the meeting to order.

Mayor Frank said the prayer.

Commissioner Wandell led the Pledge of Allegiance.

Commissioner Yager requested to move Resolution No. 24-02-1156 to after number 8 as 8.5. Commissioner Anderson requested to table numbers 5, 6, 7 & 8 under the Law Director's Report to next month.

Unfinished Business - Commissioner Yager reminded everyone of the Strategic Planning Committee meeting on March 27<sup>th</sup> from 8:00 am – 4:00 pm at the Anderson County Health Department.

Commissioner Anderson requested an update on Brookstone Ridge from the Law Director. Agenda is approved as amended and passed.

No citizens addressed the committee.

Commissioner Wandell made a motion to defer Resolution No. 2024-01-1151, To Create the Animal Shelter Oversight Committee, to next month. Seconded by Commissioner Allen. Motion passed.

Commissioner Wandell made a motion to defer Resolution No. 24-01-1150, To Create the Veterans Service Office, to May Operations meeting. Seconded by Commissioner McKamey. Motion passed.

Twenty (20) Year Growth Plan – Discussion. No Action Taken.

Commissioner Allen made a motion to approve Resolution No. 24-02-1156 To Protect Children. Chairman Isbel passed the gavel to Commissioner Anderson and seconded the motion for discussion.

Commissioner Yager called to question. Seconded by Commissioner McKamey. Motion passed.

Original motion failed.

#### Mayor

Commissioner McKamey made a motion to authorize the mayor to submit the annual Payment-In-Lieu-of-Taxes request for 2023 and execute 2023 agreement. Seconded by Commissioner Allen. Motion passed unanimous to forward to full commission for approval.

Commissioner Wandell made a motion to authorize the mayor to submit a letter of support for the Tennessee Valley Authority (TVA)'s Construction Permit Application for the Clinch River Nuclear Site in Oak Ridge. Seconded by Commissioner Anderson. Motion passed unanimous to forward to full commission for approval.

Commissioner Wandell made a motion for the mayor to draft a letter to TVA in regards to Bull Run Steam Plant - scope of work in the future, objected cost, timelines, etc. Seconded by Commissioner McKamey. Motion passed unanimous to forward to full commission for approval.

#### Law Director

Commissioner McKamey made a motion to approve the Warranty Deed for the Animal Shelter USDA Loan. Seconded by Commissioner Verran. Motion passed unanimous to forward to full commission for approval.

Commissioner McKamey made a motion to accept the Endo Bankruptcy Settlement. Seconded by Commissioner Anderson. Motion passed unanimous to forward to full commission for approval.

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Commissioner McKamey made a motion to approve the Anderson County High School Quitclaim Deed. Seconded by Commissioner Anderson. Motion passed unanimous to forward to full commission for approval.

Internet Access in Dutch Valley Area No Action Taken



I-75 North – South Bypass

Commissioner Wandell made a motion for the mayor to get information on another I-75 North-South bypass. Seconded by Commissioner McKamey. Motion passed to forward to full commission for approval.

Unfinished Business: Brookstone Ridge Update – No Action

New Business: None.

**Meeting Adjourned** 



# **ANDERSON COUNTY GOVERNMENT**

Terry Frank County Mayor

February 23, 2024

# VIA ELECTRONIC MAIL AND UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE

Mr. Geoffrey DeBeauclair Manager, Office of Science Consolidated Service Center U.S. Department of Energy, Oak Ridge Office PO Box 2001 Oak Ridge, TN 37831-2001

Re: Payment-In-Lieu-of-Taxes 2023

Dear Mr. DeBeauclair,

Anderson County respectfully requests payment-in-lieu-of-taxes for the 2022 year. The calculation to reach the amount is to be computed with the following amounts:

11,464.16 acres @ \$9,083.00 per acre = \$104,128,965.28 Appraisal @ 25 % Assessment Rate for Farms = \$26,032,241.32 Assessment @ \$2.46 Tax Rate for Oak Ridge = \$640,393.14

If you need more information, or if you have any questions at all, please don't hesitate to contact me by phone at (865) 457-6200 or by e-mail at <u>tfrank@andersoncountytn.gov</u>.

Thank you for your attention and assistance. Anderson County is honored to partner with the Department of Energy to provide funds for vital services and education.

My best regards,

Mrs. Terry Frank Anderson County Mayor

CC: Ms. Marla Larsen-Williams, USDOE Office of Acquisition & Business Services (via E-mail)

# 2023 US DOE In-Lieu of Tax

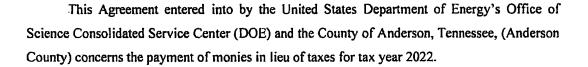
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Indicated per acre appraisal of subject property:	\$ 9,083.00
DOE, Anderson County Acreage: Appraisal: Assessment rate for farms:	11,464.16 \$104,128,965.28 25%
Assessment:	\$26,032,241.32
County Tax Rate for Oak Ridge:	2.46
Indicated In Lieu of Tax for Anderson County	\$640,393.14
Oak Ridge City Tax Rate	2.31
Indicated In Lieu of Tax for Oak Ridge	\$601,344.77

# Intergovernmental Agreement Between United States Department of Energy and Anderson County, Tennessee Regarding Payment in Lieu of Taxes



#### RECITALS

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The Parties acknowledge that:

1. The United States Government has acquired and owns land for use in its nuclear and other energy programs located in Anderson County. which land was previously subject to ad valorem property taxes as agricultural property; and

2. The United States Government has erected facilities on said land in Anderson County, which has been and is being used in carrying on the activities of the Atomic Energy Commission and successor agencies, including DOE, under the Atomic Energy Act of 1954, as amended; and

3. The land and facilities owned by the United States Government are not subject to taxation by Anderson County under the Constitution and laws of the United States and the State of Tennessee, and that Anderson County has suffered the loss of the ad valorem property tax on the land acquired by the Government; and

4. The activities of the United States Government in Anderson County have been and are being carried on, in large part, through contractors in the operation, construction, maintenance, or other utilization of said land and facilities; and

5. It is the opinion of Counsel for DOE and Counsel for Anderson County that such contractors are not liable for taxes on, with respect to, or measured by, the value or other use of such United States Government-owned real property under existing state and federal law; and

6. Under and pursuant to the provisions of the Atomic Energy Act of 1954, as amended, in order to render financial assistance to the states and localities in which the activities of DOE are carried on, and in which DOE has acquired property previously subject to state and local taxation, DOE has been and is authorized to make payments in lieu of property taxes; and

7. Anderson County has requested financial assistance from DOE, and has stated that it will waive and release any claims for tax year 2022 for taxes against DOE and its contractors on, with respect to, or for real property owned by the United States Government; and

8. Anderson County represents that it is authorized to make contracts and execute instruments containing such terms and conditions as may be necessary, proper, or advisable to accomplish the purposes for which it was created.

#### THEREFORE, the Parties agree as follows:

1. For the purpose of rendering financial assistance to Anderson County, DOE will pay Anderson County, as a payment in lieu of property taxes for public purposes, the sum of <u>\$640,393.14</u> for the tax year 2022. The payment will occur as soon as funding is available. The computation and the basis therefor are shown in more detail in the attached Exhibit 1. This payment represents the amount of the loss of ad valorem tax revenue for public purposes for the tax year 2022 which Anderson County has suffered by reason of the acquisition by the United States of real property in Anderson County for nuclear and other energy purposes. This Agreement does not apply to any other tax years.

2. Such payment shall constitute full satisfaction of any and all claims Anderson County may have for taxes for the tax year 2022 against DOE and DOE's contractors, of any nature whatsoever, on, with respect to, or measured by, the value or use of federally-owned real property which is utilized in carrying on activities of DOE; provided that the acceptance of this payment shall not prejudice eligibility for any payment in lieu of taxes based on the benefits and burdens test prescribed in Section 168 of the Atomic Energy Act. The term "contractors" means and includes the companies and organizations listed in Exhibit 2, and such other contractors and subcontractors who perform work on DOE real property during the tax year.

3. Payments in lieu of taxes are subject to suspension during the pendency of any lawsuit filed by Anderson County which seeks from the federal government any real property taxes or their equivalent.

4. As further consideration for such payment, Anderson County agrees to and hereby waives and releases, as to each and all of said companies and organizations, any and all claims for said taxes for the tax year 2022, and agrees further that, if requested by DOE. Anderson County will join in friendly litigation before a court having jurisdiction of the Parties and subject matter and in the entry of a consent judgment in keeping with the spirit and intent of this Agreement.

5. No member of or delegate to Congress or resident commissioner shall be admitted to any share or part of this Agreement nor to any benefit that may arise therefrom, but this provision shall not be construed to extend to this contract if made with a corporation for its general benefit.

6. Anderson County agrees that DOE and the Comptroller General of the United States, or any of their duly authorized representatives, shall have access to and the right to examine any directly pertinent books, documents, papers, and records of Anderson County involving transactions related to this Agreement until the expiration of three years after final payment under this Agreement, unless DOE authorizes their prior disposition. Nothing in this Agreement shall be deemed to preclude an audit by the Government Accountability Office of any transaction under this Agreement.

7. Any requirement for the payment or obligation of funds by DOE established by this Agreement shall be subject to the availability of funds, and no provision herein shall be interpreted to require obligation or payment of funds in violation of the Anti-Deficiency Act, 31 U.S.C. § 1341.

 Payment of funds by DOE in lieu of property taxes are not entitlements and nothing in this Agreement modifies the discretionary authority given to the Secretary of Energy by Section 168 of the Atomic Energy Act of 1954, as amended. Said funds are also subject to legislative or administrative reductions in funding levels.

9. The term "DOE" includes any duly authorized representative of DOE.

10. The effective date of this agreement is the date the agreement is signed by the last signatory.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Parties hereby execute this Agreement by the signatures of their authorized representatives.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY Geoffrey G. Digitally signed by Geoffrey G. Debeauclair Debeauclair Date: 2023.03.20 Geoffrey G. deBeauclair, Manager Office of Science Consolidated Service Center

Date:

COUNTY of ANDERSON

By: Terry Frank Anderson, County Mayor 22 2023 Q Date:

APPROVED AS 20 EGAL N. Jay Yeage Anderson Coone Director

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# EXHIBIT 1

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# Computation and Basis for Payment in Lieu of Taxes

	Anderson County
Number of Acres (x)	11,464.16
Value per Acre	\$9,083.00
Total Appraised (x)	\$104,128,965.28
Total Assessment (x) (25%)	\$26,032,241.32
Tax Rate (2.46%)	0.0246
PILT Due	\$640,393.14
Total PILT Due	\$640,393.14

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#### **EXHIBIT 2**

#### **DOE Contractors**

UT-Battelle, LLC Managing and Operating Contractor Oak Ridge National Laboratory I Bethel Valley Road Oak Ridge, TN 37830

Consolidated Nuclear Security, LLC Managing and Operating Contractor Y-12 National Security Complex 602 Scarboro Road Oak Ridge, TN 37830

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URS | CH2M Oak Ridge LLC Cleanup Contractor East Tennessee Technology Park 2010 TN-58 Oak Ridge, TN 37830

Oak Ridge Associated Universities ORISE Contractor 100 ORAU Way Oak Ridge, TN 37830 <u>TAX EXEMPT PROPERTY</u>: (OWNER) Anderson County c/o County Mayor 100 N. Main St., Room 208 Clinton, TN 37716 THIS INSTRUMENT PREPARED BY: N. Jay Yeager, County Law Director for Anderson County, Tennessee 101 S. Main Street, Suite 310 Clinton, TN 37716

Map/Parcel: 074 054.03 (11 074 074 05403 000)

#### **TENNESSEE WARRANTY DEED**

THIS DEED OF CONVEYANCE, executed and delivered by the City of Clinton, TN, a governmental entity and chartered municipality of the State of Tennessee, whose address is c/o City of Clinton Mayor, 100 North Bowling Street, Clinton, Tennessee 37716, hereinafter referred to as the "Grantor", to Anderson County, TN, a governmental entity and political subdivision of the State of Tennessee, whose address is c/o County Mayor, 100 North Main Street, Room 208, Clinton, Tennessee 37716, hereinafter referred to as the "Grantee";

#### WITNESSETH:

That, for and in consideration of the sum of Seventy Thousand Dollars and No/One Hundredths (\$70,000.00), cash in hand paid, and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, and pursuant to the approval of the City Council of Clinton, Tennessee, adopted at its regular meeting held on December 15, 2023, the said Grantor has this day bargained and sold and does by these presents hereby sell, transfer, and convey unto the said Grantee, its successors, and assigns, all of its right, title, and interest in and to certain real property situated in the FIRST (1<sup>st</sup>) Civil District of Anderson County, Tennessee, and described more particularly as follows, to-wit:

SITUATE in the First Civil District of Anderson County, Tennessee, within the City of Clinton, Tennessee, and being all of Lot 4R-2 of the Resubdivision of Lot

4 of Carden Farm Industrial Park as shown on the unrecorded final plat of same, and being more particularly described as follows:

BEGINNING on an existing 5/8<sup>ths</sup> inch iron rod with cap (BWSC) in the southeasterly right-of-way line of Carden Farm Drive and approximately 40 feet from the center of said road, said rod marking the southwestern-most corner of the property described and being a corner to property of TVA (Tax Parcel No. 074-060.00), said point of beginning further located North 78° 05' 53" East 466.12 feet from the point of intersection of the rights-of-way of Carden Farm Drive and Norfolk Southern Railway; thence leaving the point of beginning and running with the southeasterly right-of-way of Carden Farm Drive along four (4) bearings and distances as follows: (1) along a curve turning to the left having a delta angle of 10° 14' 24", a radius of 449.28 feet, a tangent of 40.26 feet, an arc of 80.30 feet, and a chord of 80.19 feet at North 25° 42' 28" East to an existing 5/8<sup>ths</sup> inch iron rod with cap (BWSC); (2) North 20° 34' 17" East 339.09 feet to an existing 5/8<sup>ths</sup> inch iron rod with cap (BWSC) (witness existing TVA monument PT# 15-46 at Northing 626,011.6, Easting 2,552,364.8, located South 61°56' 20" West 1.984.94 feet from said rod); (3) along a curve turning to the right having a delta angle of 33° 00' 25", a radius of 676.20 feet, a tangent of 200.34 feet, an arc of 389.54 feet, and a chord of 384.18 feet at North 36° 53' 56" East to an iron rod with cap (CCI) set; and (4) North 53° 34' 43" East 102.52 feet to an iron rod with cap (CCI) set, a corner to lot 4R-1 (property formerly owned by Robert L. Daugherty et ux, Tax Parcel No. 074-054.10); thence leaving the right-of-way of Carden Farm Drive and running with Lot 4R-1, South 36° 25' 17" East 400.37 feet to an iron rod with cap (CCI) set in the property line of TVA (Tax Parcel No. 074-060.00); thence running with the TVA property along three (3) bearings and distances as follows: (1) South 55° 10' 15" West 13.12 feet to an existing 5/8<sup>ths</sup> inch iron rod with punch mark; (2) South 60° 02' 42" West 497.99 feet to an existing 5/8<sup>ths</sup> inch iron rod with cap (BWSC); and (3) South 55° 38' 26" West 318.06 feet an existing 5/8<sup>ths</sup> inch iron rod with cap (BWSC), being the POINT OF BEGINNING, and containing 4.677 acres, more or less, according to the survey of Robert J. Lusby, Jr., RLS No. 1332, of Cannon and Cannon, Inc., dated August 15, 2006, Project No. 231-13.

BEING part of the property conveyed from the United States of America, by and through its legal agent, the Tennessee Valley Authority, to the Town of Clinton, Tennessee, by Special Warranty Deed dated February 15, 1985, and recorded February 15, 1985, in Deed Book E-16, page 610, in the Anderson County Register of Deeds Office.

This property is subject to all applicable land use regulations, easements and restrictions of record in the Anderson County Register's Office, including, without limitation, the Declaration of Restrictive Covenants recorded in Book 1636, Page 1846.

THIS INSTRUMENT HAS BEEN PREPARED SOLELY ON INFORMATION FURNISHED THE PREPARER WHO MAKES NO REPRESENTATION WHATSOEVER AS TO THE CORRECTNESS OF THE SAME OTHER THAN IT HAS BEEN ACCURATELY TRANSCRIBED FROM INFORMATION PROVIDED AND THIS INSTRUMENT HAS BEEN PREPARED WITHOUT BENEFIT OF A TITLE OPINION.

TO HAVE AND TO HOLD the premises aforesaid, together with all appurtenances, hereditaments and immunities thereto pertaining, unto the said Grantee, and its representatives, successors, and assigns.

GRANTOR COVENANTS with the said Grantee, and its representatives, successors, and assigns: (1) That it is lawfully seized in fee of said premises; (2) That it has a good and perfect right to make this conveyance; (3) That said premises are unencumbered; and (4) That it will warrant and defend the title to said premises against the lawful claims and demands of all persons whomsoever. Property is exempt from property tax as of the date of transfer.

**POSSESSION** of the premises shall be given to Grantee with delivery of deed.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, the Grantor has hereunto set its official signature(s), this

the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2024.

For City of Clinton, Tennessee (Grantor):

City of Clinton, Tennessee

By:

Scott Burton, Mayor

# STATE OF TENNESSEE COUNTY OF ANDERSON

Personally appeared before me, the undersigned Notary Public, Scott Burton, with whom I am personally acquainted, (or proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence) and who, upon oath, acknowledged himself to be the Mayor of the City of Clinton, Tennessee, a municipal corporation, and that he as such officer, executed the foregoing instrument for the purpose therein contained, by personally signing the name of the corporation by himself as Mayor.

Witness my hand and official seal at office this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2024.

Notary Public	
My Commission Expires:	

Acceptance by Anderson County, TN (Grantee):		
Terry Frank, Anderson County	Mayor	H. Tyler Mayes, Chair, AC Commission
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STATE OF TENNESSEE COUNTY OF ANDERSON	) )	

Before me, a Notary Public of the State and County aforesaid, personally appeared, **Terry Frank, Anderson County Mayor,** an authorized representative and agent of the within named Grantee, with whom I am personally acquainted (or proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence), and who acknowledged that she has full legal authority to execute this Warranty Deed on behalf of the Grantee.

Witness my hand and official seal, this the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2024.

Notary Public

My Commission Expires:

Before me, a Notary Public of the State and County aforesaid, personally appeared, H. **Tyler Mayes, Chair, Anderson County Board of Commissioners**, an authorized representative and agent of the within named Grantee, with whom I am personally acquainted (or proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence), and who acknowledged that he has full legal authority to execute this Warranty Deed on behalf of the Grantee.

Witness my hand and official seal, this the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2024.

Notary Public

#### **Affidavit of Consideration**

I, or we, hereby swear or affirm, that the actual consideration for this transfer, or value of the property or interest in property transferred, whichever is greater, is \$\_\_\_\_\_\_ which amount is equal to or greater than the amount which the property or interest in property transferred would command at a fair and voluntary sale.

Affiant

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2024.

Notary Public

My Commission Expires: \_\_\_\_\_

#### In re Endo International Plc, Case No. 22-22549 (JLG)

#### The OCC's Letter to Opioid Claimants in Support of the Plan

To all holders of Opioid Claims against Endo International Plc and its subsidiaries and affiliates (collectively, the "<u>Debtors</u>" or "<u>Endo</u>"):

We write this letter as counsel to, and on behalf of the Official Committee of Opioid Claimants (the "<u>OCC</u>") appointed in the Debtors' bankruptcy cases (the <u>"Chapter 11 Cases</u>") to share the OCC's views on the Joint Chapter 11 Plan of Reorganization of Endo International Plc and its Affiliates Debtors (the "<u>Plan</u>")<sup>1</sup> and the resolution for private<sup>2</sup> Opioid Claimants that is part of the Plan (the "<u>OCC Resolution</u>").

In summary, the OCC recommends that you (a) vote to accept the Plan and (b) grant the third party release by checking the box on your ballot (if you are a PI, NAS, or IERP claimant) or by not opting out of the release on your ballot (if you are any other type of opioid claimant, such as a Hospital or Third Party Payor).

#### Your Ballot must be received by February 22, 2024 at 4:00 p.m. (ET) to be counted.

This letter is divided into the following sections:

- 1. The OCC and its Members
- 2. The Reasons that the OCC Supports the Plan
- 3. A Summary of the Chapter 11 Cases
- 4. The OCC Settlement/the Plan
- 5. Important Information About Voting and Granting the Releases

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Capitalized terms used but not defined herein shall have the meanings ascribed to such terms in the Plan. This summary is for informational purposes only and is subject in all respects to the Plan. In the event of a conflict between this summary and the Plan, the Plan controls.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> The OCC Resolution included in the Plan, and as discussed in this letter, provides recoveries to present private opioid claimants (PI's, NAS Claimants, Hospitals, Third Party Payors, and Independent Emergency Room Physicians). The Plan provides for separate recoveries for various Public Opioid Claimants: (1) More than 40 states (the majority of which negotiated a resolution with Endo prior to the Petition Date) will receive \$273 million on the Effective Date (which will increase to \$460 million if paid over 8 years); (2) Tribes will receive up to \$15 million paid over 8 years (subject to potential prepayment at a discount); (3) certain Canadian governmental entities will receive up to \$7.25 million paid over a number of years (subject to a potential prepayment at a discount); and (4) Public Schools will receive up to \$3 million paid over a number of years (subject to a potential prepayment at a discount). Local governments in the United States will receive the right to participate in their applicable State distribution, subject to the determination of each State. Although the OCC did not directly negotiate any of these resolutions, the OCC facilitated many of them and supports all of them. The OCC would also note that Endo paid approximately \$240 million in settlement payments prior to chapter 11 to various States, political subdivisions, and one NAS claimant. Therefore, the sum total of Endo's payment for its opioid liability, on an NPV basis, is more than \$600 million, and on a nominal basis, is close to \$800 million. The OCC recommends that each State, Public School, Tribe, and Canadian Governmental entity that is subject to these various settlements vote in favor of the Plan and, to the extent applicable, grants the releases.

#### 1. The OCC And Its Members

The OCC is the official independent fiduciary for the interests of *all* Opioid Claimants. Each member of the OCC was appointed by the Office of the United States Trustee (the "<u>UST</u>")<sup>3</sup> to serve on the OCC.

The OCC consists of the following unpaid and volunteer members:4

- 1. *Robert Asbury*, who serves as a Guardian *Ad Litem* representing two children afflicted with Neonatal Abstinence Syndrome ("<u>NAS</u>") who are plaintiffs in a Tennessee lawsuit seeking damages under Tennessee's Drug Dealer Liability Act from certain of the Debtors.
- 2. Sabrina Barry, who is a mother and caregiver of two children exposed to opioids in utero. In 2011, Ms. Barry suffered a car accident. When she was admitted to the hospital for treatment for her injuries, she learned she was pregnant. Without receiving information from her doctors regarding the risks, Ms. Barry was prescribed opioids, including Percocet, throughout her entire pregnancy and for a year and a half after she gave birth.
- 3. Blue Cross and Blue Shield Association, a national association of 34 independent, community-based Blue Cross and Blue Shield companies (the "<u>BCBS Companies</u>"). The BCBS Companies provide healthcare coverage to one-third of all Americans, including approximately 5.5 million federal employees and annuitants who are members of a health plan established under the Federal Employee Health Benefits Act that BCBSA administers.<sup>5</sup>
- 4. Erie County Medical Center Corporation, one of Western New York's leading hospitals, serving Western New York and its surrounding areas. ECMCC specializes in trauma care, transplantation and kidney care, oncology and behavioral health, including the care and treatment of those afflicted with opioid addiction. ECMCC has been at the forefront of addressing the opioid crisis in Western New York, and has borne the brunt of uncompensated and undercompensated care for harm inflicted by the Debtors. Not only is ECMCC a leader in the treatment and care of those afflicted with opioid addiction, but it also is at the cutting-edge of researching, strategizing and developing new protocols and remedies to fight the opioid crisis to ease the burdens of those affected most.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> The UST is an agency within the United States Department of Justice (the "<u>DOJ</u>") tasked, among other things, with determining whether to appoint a committee (or multiple committees) of unsecured creditors to represent the interests of unsecured creditors in chapter 11 cases.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> For more information about the members of the OCC, we refer you to the Verified Statement of the Official Committee of Opioid Claimants of Endo International plc, et al., Pursuant to Bankruptcy Rule 2019, dated September 27, 2022 [ECF No. 299], a copy of which can be accessed on the Debtors' case website at: https://restructuring.ra.kroll.com/endo/Home-DownloadPDF?id1=MTM0Nz110A==&id2=-1.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>5</sup> BCBSA's claims arise from payments of excessive amounts for prescription medications used by members of private Medicare Part C and Medicaid plans, Federal Employee Health Benefits Act plans and coverage and administrative services for fully insured and self-funded employer health plans under ERISA. BCBSA's claims also arise from the downstream effects of these opioid prescriptions, including paying for the treatment—emergency treatment and protracted rehabilitation—of current and former members who have suffered the effects of improper opioid prescriptions.

- 5. Sean Higginbotham, is the husband of Lisa, whom he met in Texas. Sean and Lisa moved to rural Oklahoma to raise their family. However, a hit-and-run accident left Lisa with severe back problems and intense chronic pain. A number of surgeries and years of use of prescription opioids—including opioids manufactured by certain of the Debtors—did little to solve these issues. By 2012, Lisa had a noticeable change in her personality, having become increasingly reserved and refusing to leave her home. Lisa's opioid dependence symptoms worsened until her children found her deceased due to an opioid overdose in 2018.
- 6. Alan MacDonald was prescribed opioids—including oxycodone manufactured by certain of the Debtors—to treat his pain after suffering an injury. Soon thereafter, his growing dependence on opioids affected his life and his family. Mr. MacDonald lost his job, suffered a divorce from his wife and lost custody of his two daughters. He subsequently pursued rehabilitation seeking the help he needed; however, he needed more time than he had to recover from his dependence on opioids. After struggling with recovery for many years, Mr. MacDonald now attends and hosts AA meetings to help others who have also suffered from opioid addiction.
- 7. *Michael Masiowski, M.D.*, is an independent emergency room physician who has provided emergency opioid treatment services to patients who were uninsured, indigent or otherwise eligible for services through programs such as Medicaid. Dr. Masiowski is the putative class representative for a class of emergency room physicians who have been forced to provide an inordinate amount of emergency room services related to the "opioid epidemic," either for no compensation or for compensation substantially below market rates.

In addition to these voting members, Rochester City School District serves as an *ex officio* member of the OCC on behalf of certain public school districts.

On September 8, 2022, the OCC selected Cooley LLP to serve as lead and general bankruptcy counsel and Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP ("<u>Akin</u>") to serve as special counsel. The OCC selected Province, Inc. ("<u>Province</u>") to serve as its financial advisor and Jefferies LLC ("<u>Jefferies</u>") to serve as its investment banker on September 9, 2022. Akin, Province and Jefferies also served as the main legal and financial advisors to the opioid claimants' committees or official committees of unsecured creditors in the bankruptcy cases of *Purdue* and *Mallinckrodt*, and Akin and Province also served as the main legal and financial advisors to the official committee of unsecured creditors in the bankruptcy.

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#### 2. The Reasons that the OCC Supports the OCC Settlement in the Plan

The opioid epidemic is the single worst man-made public health crisis of our time. Countless lives have been devastated by the opioid crisis, and the number continues to grow. The OCC is sensitive to and focused on the harm suffered by every Opioid Claimant and its sole mandate in the Chapter 11 Cases has been to advocate for Opioid Claimants and to do whatever is possible to further the

efforts of obtaining compensation for victims and abating the opioid crisis resulting from the harm that these particular Debtors have allegedly caused.<sup>6</sup>

The OCC acknowledges that the OCC Resolution included in the Plan (as well as the other settlements that public opioid claimants have reached) is not perfect and that the amount of money being provided to Opioid Claimants by Endo to resolve the OCC's objections and issues in the Chapter 11 Cases (as well as to resolve the issues raised by various public opioid claimants) will never provide enough value to make up for the harm allegedly caused by the Debtors—indeed, that no amount of money would ever remedy such harm. The OCC has had to balance this understanding against the need for Opioid Claimants to receive material cash in a meaningful timeframe. This was particularly challenging in these Chapter 11 Cases given the relatively small size of the Debtors' business, particularly as compared to *Purdue* (and even *Mallinckrodt*), and the significant amount of secured financial debt that the Company had (billions of dollars).

After significant work, the OCC concluded that the OCC Resolution embodied in the Plan—*i.e.*, the payment of \$119.7 million over two years to Private Opioid Claimants (or \$89.7 million if paid entirely on the Effective Date of the Plan)—was the best way now available to meet the OCC's goals and to ensure that funds reach Opioid Claimants as quickly as possible. The OCC Resolution, along with resolutions reached with public Opioid Claimants both during and before the chapter 11 case, will provide for more than \$600 million (net present value)<sup>7</sup> in funding for critical abatement efforts and victim compensation.

One of the factors that led the OCC to this conclusion is the substantial delay in payments to Opioid Claimants that has occurred in other opioid chapter 11 cases. In Mallinckrodt, for example, the settlement for opioid claimants in Mallinckrodt's first bankruptcy filing provided for an eight-year payment stream. However, as a result of Mallinckrodt's second bankruptcy filing, only a portion of those payments were ever made, and the remaining payments were heavily discounted, cutting off hundreds of millions of dollars that would have gone to opioid abatement and victim compensation. In *Purdue*, as a result of ongoing appeals brought by the DOJ and the UST, opioid claimants other than the DOJ have not received any money from Purdue or the Sackler family since Purdue filed for bankruptcy in September 2019, despite approval of the Purdue plan of reorganization by the bankruptcy court in the fall of 2021. In light of these cases, the OCC negotiated for a resolution that requires that all payments be made within two years of the Effective Date of the Plan. Private Opioid Claimants who filed proofs of claim, elect or are deemed to give the third party releases<sup>8</sup> and who meet the other relevant criteria for their specific sub-trust can

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>6</sup> The OCC also considers its mandate in these opioid cases to include doing what it can to protect public health and safety from the results of Endo's opioid practices. To that end, the OCC was instrumental in negotiating for the appointment of a monitor to oversee Endo's compliance with the voluntary business injunction it negotiated with the States to ensure that its business practices concerning opioids comply with such injunction. The OCC was also pleased that the States negotiated for the funding of a document repository to include tens of thousands of Endo documents to help educate the public about Endo's role in the opioid crisis.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>7</sup> As noted earlier, Endo paid approximately \$242 million in settlement payments to public opioid claimants and one NAS claimant prior to chapter 11. If Endo pays the amounts due under the Plan entirely on the Effective Date—which is likely—the net present value of those payments to Opioid Claimants is approximately \$370 million.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>8</sup> The third-party releases are discussed in more detail below.

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expect to receive payment on their claim as soon after the Effective Date as the trustees for their trusts are able to do so.

Another factor that led the OCC to support this Plan is the desire to distribute money to Private Opioid Claimants without harming the settlement reached by the State Attorneys General on their public side opioid claims. Private Opioid Claimants are not parties to the approximately \$50 billion in settlements negotiated outside of bankruptcy by certain public opioid claimants (including the Federal government, states, political subdivisions and Native American Tribes) with other opioid defendants (*i.e.*, companies not in bankruptcy such as Teva, McKesson and CVS). As a result, private Opioid Claimants have received almost none of the cash distributed to date in connection with those settlements and will receive none in the future. Indeed, to date, private opioid claimants have received only limited distributions in connection with just two bankruptcy cases: *Insys* and *Mallinckrodt*. The Endo Plan, conversely, will deliver \$119 million to private opioid claimants in two years (or, if prepaid, approximately \$90 million on the Effective Date).

A third important factor is the OCC's determination that the certainty of cash in the near term was more important than the more speculative possibility of value from non-cash and contingent assets, such as the rights to seek recovery from the Debtors' insurance assets or prosecute causes of action against third parties. This determination was based in part on the immediate need faced by Opioid Claimants, but also-and more importantly-on the OCC's work to evaluate these contingent assets and the problems that could be encountered in trying to recover from them. The OCC's advisors conducted extensive diligence regarding the Debtors' insurance assets, including the Debtors' access to products liability insurance coverage for claims related to their manufacture, marketing, and sale of opioid products. Based on this diligence, the OCC considered the strengths and weaknesses of any claims against such insurance, as well as potential estate causes of action against other defendants relating to such insurance and determined that the better option, in light of the OCC's goals set forth above, was to negotiate for payment of cash as soon as possible. The OCC also recognized that even if contingent assets could be more valuable in the longer term, the process of obtaining that value would delay much-needed recoveries for Opioid Claimants and would require funding that could be better used for opioid abatement and victim compensation. By negotiating for cash payment in the near term, the OCC Resolution avoids the significant costs and delays associated with pursuit of these contingent assets.

Fourth, the OCC considered the strength of its legal arguments against the proposed Plan (and prior to that, against the proposed sale), and weighed the strength of those legal arguments and the potential recoveries for opioid claimants if the OCC were successful, against the OCC Resolution and the associated factors discussed in this letter. The OCC included in that analysis the risks, costs, and delay associated with bringing any such litigation. The OCC concluded that the OCC Resolution was preferable.

A final important factor considered by the OCC was the recovery for Private Opioid Claimants (and the allocation among them) as compared to the recovery for Public Opioid Claimants. First, the OCC looked at both (i) the proposed allocations between public and private opioid claimants in *Purdue* and *Mallinckrodt* and (ii) the relative size of the resolution reached with the public Opioid Claimants in these Chapter 11 Cases. After engaging in this analysis, the OCC was comfortable that the outcome in this case was comparable to the allocations and total proposed recoveries agreed to in those cases. Second, the OCC worked with the various private claimant sub-groups (including through a two day mediation session) to ensure that each subgroup of private Opioid Claimants will receive an allocation percentage that is similar (taking into consideration the relative size of these Chapter 11 Cases when compared to *Purdue* and *Mallinckrodt*) to what its respective sub-group of private opioid claimants were allocated in *Purdue* and *Mallinckrodt*. The OCC was satisfied that these considerations also weighed in favor of supporting the OCC Resolution.

For all of these reasons, the OCC determined that it was in the best interests of private Opioid Claimants to support the settlement incorporated in the OCC Resolution and the Plan. The OCC encourages all holders of private Opioid Claims to vote to accept the Plan and to grant the releases as we explain herein.

In addition, the OCC is pleased the settlements were reached between Endo, its secured creditors, and certain Public Opioid Claimants. Therefore, and as noted above, the OCC recommends that each State, Public School, Tribe, and Canadian Governmental entity that is subject to the various settlements contained in the Plan for their claimant category vote in favor of the Plan and, to the extent applicable, grants the release.

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#### 3. A Summary of the Chapter 11 Cases

Endo filed for Chapter 11 on August 16, 2022. At that time, it announced, among other things, three important aspects of the framework it intended to use for the Chapter 11 Cases:

*First*, that it had entered into a restructuring support agreement with an ad hoc group of its first-lien secured lenders, pursuant to which that group would purchase Endo's assets during the bankruptcy case;

*Second*, that the ad hoc group of first lien lenders had in turn reached a resolution with the vast majority of State Attorneys General for a payment of roughly \$450 million over 10 years to resolve those States' opioid-related claims against Endo; and

**Third**, that the ad hoc group of first lien lenders would offer to any private opioid claimant the chance to participate in its pro rata share of \$85 million paid no earlier than *ten years* after the Closing Date (*i.e.*, no earlier than 2033), if and only if such claimants would agree to provide certain releases for the benefit of third parties, including Endo, Endo's directors and officers and the first-lien lenders themselves. This "open offer" had a total net present value of approximately \$27.4 million.

The OCC did not support the "open offer" to Private Opioid Claimants and resolved to challenge the proposed sale of Endo's assets, to seek ownership of Endo's insurance assets and causes of action, and to generally increase the value being "offered" to Private Opioid Claimants<sup>9</sup>.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>9</sup> At that time, there were no resolutions yet negotiated with the Canadian Provinces nor the Public Schools.

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The OCC's advisors concluded that the total value that could be available for distribution to Opioid Claimants would have to come from, among others, the following sources (and would come only after subtracting any amounts that would need to be paid to more senior or secured *valid* creditors): (i) the value of the Company's business operations; (ii) the Debtors' cash balance of approximately \$1 billion as of the Petition Date; and (iii) potential claims and causes of action for the benefit of the estate, including claims to recover from the Debtors' insurance policies and claims against fiduciaries and other third parties.

Unlocking portions of this value for Opioid Claimants may have depended on the results of litigation against certain of the Debtors' secured creditors. At the beginning of the Chapter 11 Cases, the OCC's advisors investigated, among other things, claims that could be pursued to bring value into the Debtors' estates and/or make value available for the benefit of Opioid Claimants, as well as other potential sources of value for Opioid Claimants. The OCC coordinated with the Official Committee of Unsecured Creditors (the "UCC") on investigating any such claims and on considering and analyzing the likelihood of success of any such claims and the likely recovery associated with any such claims, as well as the likelihood of collecting on any judgment rendered in favor of such claims.

To that end, in late January 2023, the OCC—together with the UCC—filed a motion seeking standing to bring certain causes of action, and attached four draft complaints, including complaints seeking to invalidate certain liens of the secured creditors, and a complaint seeking to unwind approximately \$90 million in bonus payments made to Endo's officers prior to filing for bankruptcy. (Of course, if the OCC had not ultimately reached a settlement, it would have pursued this litigation).

In late January, the Court ordered that certain parties participate in mediation and appointed Judge Shelley C. Chapman (Ret.) as mediator. The mediation parties consisted of, among others, (i) the Debtors, (ii) the Ad Hoc First Lien Group (*i.e.* the secured creditors whose liens the OCC was challenging), (iii) the UCC, (iv) the OCC, and (v) the United States of America (i.e. the DOJ).

Following multiple rounds of contentious negotiations, the OCC eventually entered into an agreement in principle with the Ad Hoc First Lien Group to resolve any and all disputes between the parties, which was subsequently reflected in the *Voluntary Present Private Opioid Claimant Trust Term Sheet*. This term sheet was initially filed in March 2023. The terms of the OCC resolution are more fully explained below. A resolution was also reached with the UCC.

Between March 2023 and August 2023, Endo and the Ad Hoc First Lien Group negotiated resolutions with other parties representing opioid interests, including certain Canadian provinces and certain public school districts. Endo and the Ad Hoc First Lien Group also negotiated a resolution with the court appointed future claimants' representative, which settlement included a resolution of future opioid-related claims. The OCC was not a party to these resolutions, but helped to facilitate them.

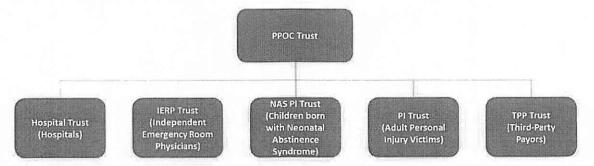
Beginning in the summer of 2023 and continuing into the fall, Endo and the Ad Hoc First Lien Group also negotiated with the Department of Justice regarding both civil and criminal opioid and non-opioid claims against Endo. As a result of those negotiations, Endo determined to pursue a plan of reorganization as opposed to a sale of its assets to its first lien secured lenders. \*\*\*\*\*

#### 4. The OCC Settlement/The Plan

The OCC Resolution reflects an agreement between the OCC and the Ad Hoc First Lien Group for the payment of \$119.7 million to present private opioid claimants, to be paid within no more than two years of closing (as opposed to one payment in ten years, per the original "open offer"), which may be paid in full in the amount of \$89.7 million if paid on the Effective Date. This resolution is in exchange for (i) the OCC's agreement to resolve all of the disputed matters (including those mentioned above) and (ii) present private Opioid Claimants agreeing to provide releases to, among others, the Ad Hoc First Lien Group and certain of Endo's directors and officers. More specifically, the Plan provides that each present private Opioid Claimant will:

- (i) Have its opioid claim channeled to a trust (the "PPOC Trust");
- (ii) Obtain payment, if any, from such trust in accordance with trust distribution procedures ("TDPs"); and
- (iii) Have the opportunity to release third parties from related claims in exchange for a right to a greater recovery (*i.e.*, an additional payment of four times the base amount) under the applicable TDPs.

The Plan contemplates the establishment of the following trusts, for the following groups of present private Opioid Claimants:



The PPOC Trust will be the initial recipient of all assets used to pay present private Opioid Claimants' claims. The PPOC Trust will forward this money, less administrative costs, to the various sub-trusts (the "<u>PPOC Sub-Trusts</u>") created for specific private Opioid Claimant constituencies, in the following allocation:

	A 11	Nominal Alloca	tion Assuming:
Trust	Allocation Percentage <sup>10</sup>	No Prepayment	Prepayment at Emergence
Hospital Trust	17.3%	\$20,621,600.00	\$15,431,600.00
IERP Trust II	2.2%	\$2,622,400.00	\$1,962,400.00
NAS PI Trust	7.2%	\$9,082,400.00	\$6,922,400.00
PI Trust	44.5%	\$53,044,000.00	\$39,694,000.00
TPP Trust	28.8%	\$34,329,600.00	\$25,689,600.00
TOTAL:	100.0%	\$119,700,000.00	\$89,700,000.00

Each of these PPOC Sub-Trusts will distribute their share of the money to the relevant group of claimants in accordance with its applicable TDPs, current drafts of which are available on the Bankruptcy Court docket and at the informational website established by the OCC, (https://cases.ra.kroll.com/EndoOpioidClaimantInfo/). It is anticipated that updated drafts of these trusts should be available around mid-February.

Importantly, each Present Private Opioid Claimant (assuming you hold a valid claim under your applicable TDP) will be entitled to receive an *additional four times* (thus, a total of five times the base amount) distribution if it provides releases to certain third parties (including certain of the Debtors' directors and officers) from claims and causes of action related to their Opioid Claims against Endo. Conversely, present private Opioid Claimants who choose not to grant the releases, but who are otherwise entitled to a distribution from their PPOC Sub-Trust, will only receive 20% of what they would be entitled to receive had they elected to grant the releases. For this reason, the OCC encourages all holders of present private Opioid Claims to elect to grant the releases.

For the avoidance of doubt, electing to grant the releases will not release any claims you may have against, among others, McKinsey & Company, Inc., Arnold and Porter, LLP or any of the opioid distributors, manufacturers (other than the Debtors) or pharmacies that have been frequently named as defendants in any of the nationwide opioid litigations. A summary of which parties are and are not being released if you choose to grant the releases is set forth in the following chart. This summary is qualified in its entirety by reference to the Disclosure Statement and the Plan.

Claim Type/Classes	Who Is Getting a Release?	Who is NOT Getting a Release?
Present Private Opioid Claimants (" <u>PPOCs</u> ") that	1) The Debtors and their Estates <sup>11</sup>	1) McKinsey Parties
opt into, or do not opt out of, the release	2) The Non-Debtor Affiliates	2) Arnold & Porter Parties
Classes 7(A), 7(B), 7(C),	3) The Post-Emergence Entities	<ol> <li>Any of the Debtors' current or former third-party agents</li> </ol>
7(D), 7(E)	<ol> <li>Each Consenting First Lien Creditor and Prepetition Secured Party, solely in their respective capacities as such</li> </ol>	partners, representatives, or consultants involved in the production, distribution, marketing, promotion, or

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>10</sup> In connection with the overall settlement of allocation of the consideration to be contributed to the PPOC Trust among the PPOC Sub-Trusts, certain third parties agreed to contribute an additional \$500,000 to the PPOC Trust, which will be directly reallocated to the NAS PI Trust.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>11</sup> Regardless of whether you choose to grant a release, if the Plan is confirmed any claims you may have against the Debtors and the Post-Emergence Entities will be discharged by the Plan.

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Claim Type/Classes	Who Is Getting a Release?	Wł	10 is NOT Getting a Release?
Public School Districts that do not opt out (or are deemed not to opt out) of the release Class 8	Same as the PPOCs	San	ne as the PPOCs
State Opioid Claimants	1) The Debtors and their Estates	1)	McKinsey Partics
Class 6(A)	2) The Non-Debtor Affiliates	2)	Arnold & Porter Parties
	3) The Post-Emergence Entities	3)	Any of the Debtors' current or former third-party agents,
	<ol> <li>Each Consenting First Lien Creditor and Prepetition Secured Party, solely in their respective capacities as such</li> </ol>	4	partners, representatives, or consultants involved in the production, distribution,
	5) The Ad Hoc Cross-Holder Group, the Ad Hoc First Lien Group, and each of the members of the forcgoing, in each case, solely in their respective capacities as such, and each of the advisors thereto or of the individual members hereof, in each case solely in their respective capacities as such		marketing, promotion, or sale of Opioids or Opioid Products (excluding the Debtors' (i) current and former officers, directors and employees (in each case, solely in their respective
	6) The OCC and each of the members thereof, in each case solely in their respective capacities as such, and each of the advisors thereto or of the individual members thereof, in each case, solely in their respective capacities as such		capacities as such); and (ii) professionals retained by the Debtors in the Chapter 11 Cases (including any ordinary course professionals)
	7) The UCC and each of the members thereof, in each case, solely in their respective capacities as such, and each of the advisors thereto or of the members thereof, in each case, solely in their respective capacities as such	4)	Practice Fusion, Inc.
	<ol> <li>The FCR, solely in his capacity as such, and the advisors to the FCR, solely in their respective capacities as such</li> </ol>	5) 6)	Publicis Health Parties ZS Associates Parties
	9) The Endo EC and each of the States that are members thereof and their respective officers and Representatives in each case solely in their respective capacities as such	7)	The PPOC Trust, the PPOC Sub-Trusts, the GUC Trust, the Distribution Sub-Trusts, the Future PI trust, the Publi
	<ol> <li>The First Lien Backstop Commitment Parties and the GUC Backstop Commitment Parties, in each case, solely in their respective capacities as such</li> </ol>		Opioid Trust, the Tribal Opioid Trust and the Trustees, administrators, boards or governing bodies
	11) With respect to anyone listed in (1) through (10) above, such Persons' predecessors, successors, permitted assigns, current and former subsidiaries and Affiliates, respective heirs, executors, estates, and nominees, in each case, solely in their respective capacities as such		of, any advisors to, and any other Persons with similar administrative or supervisor roles in connection with, any of the foregoing, in each case, solely in their respective capacities as such
	12) With respect to anyone listed in (1) through (11) above, such Persons' current and former officers, directors (including any Persons in analogous roles under applicable law), employees, and Representatives, in each case, solely in their respective capacities as such		and any of their predecessors, successors, permitted assigns, current and former subsidiaries and Affiliates, respective heirs, executors, estates, and nominees, or such Persons'

Claim Type/Classes	Who Is Getting a Release?	Who	) is NOT Getting a Release?
			current and former officers, directors (including any Persons in analogous roles under applicable law), employees, and Representatives in each case, solely in their respective capacities as such
		8)	The Unsecured Notes Indenture Trustees, solely in their capacities as such and any predecessors, successors, permitted assigns, current and former subsidiaries and Affiliates, respective heirs, executors, estates, and nominees or such Persons' current and former officers, directors (including any Persons in analogous roles under applicable law), employees, and Representatives, in each case, solely in their respective capacities as such
	Same as the PPOCs	1)	McKinsey Parties
Tribal Opioid Claimants that do not opt out of the release		2)	Arnold & Porter Parties
Classes 6(B) and 6(C)		3)	Any of the Debtors' current or former third-party agents, partners, representatives, or consultants involved in the production, distribution, marketing, promotion, or sale of Opioids or Opioid Products (excluding the Debtors' (i) current and former officers, directors and employees (in each case, solely in their respective capacities as such); and (ii) professionals retained by the Debtors in the Chapter 11 Cases (including any ordinary course professionals)
E de la		4)	Practice Fusion, Inc.
		5)	Publicis Health Parties
		6)	ZS Associates Parties

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#### 5. Important Information About Voting and Granting the Releases:

Please read this section, as it contains important information about voting and how you can ensure that you remain eligible for the enhanced compensation in these cases.

IF YOU VOTE TO ACCEPT THE PLAN, YOU WILL BE DEEMED TO CONSENT TO GRANT THE RELEASES and (i) automatically release such claims in the event the Plan is confirmed and goes effective and (ii) automatically receive an additional payment of <u>four times</u> the compensation to which you are entitled under the relevant TDPs. WE ENCOURAGE YOU TO VOTE TO ACCEPT THE PLAN AND GRANT THE RELEASES.

If you do not vote to accept the Plan, then your ability to receive the increased compensation in exchange for "giving" a release depends upon what type of claim you hold:

#### IF YOU HOLD A PERSONAL INJURY, NAS PERSONAL INJURY OR INDEPENDENT EMERGENCY ROOM PHYSICIAN CLAIM:

If you vote to reject the Plan, to receive the increased compensation, you must specifically elect to grant the releases by checking the "OPT IN" election in the same row on your ballot as your vote to "REJECT."

If you choose to abstain from voting on the Plan, in order to receive the increased compensation, you must specifically elect to grant the releases by checking the "OPT IN" election in the same row on your ballot as your election to "ABSTAIN."

To be clear, if you vote to reject the Plan or elect to abstain from voting on the Plan and you do not make the "OPT IN" election on your ballot, you will receive a greatly reduced distribution from your applicable PPOC Sub-Trust. If you fail to return your ballot by the voting deadline set forth on your ballot, you will be deemed to have elected to not grant the releases, and you will receive a greatly reduced distribution from your applicable PPOC Sub-Trust.

#### IF YOU HOLD A HOSPITAL OR THIRD PARTY PAYOR CLAIM:

If you vote to reject the Plan, to receive the increased compensation, you must specifically elect to grant the releases by checking the "OPT IN" election in the same row on your ballot as your vote to "REJECT."

If you choose to abstain from voting on the Plan, in order to receive the increased compensation, you should not check the "OPT OUT" election in the same row on your ballot as your election to "ABSTAIN." If you elect to "OPT OUT" of the releases, you will receive a greatly reduced distribution from your applicable PPOC Sub-Trust.

Finally, if you fail to return your ballot by the voting deadline set forth on your ballot, you will be deemed to have elected to grant the releases, which will entitle you to the greater recovery from your applicable PPOC Sub-Trust.

Type of Claimant	If you Vote Yes/Accept the Plan	If you Don't Vote on the Plan/Abstain	<u>If you Vote</u> <u>No/Reject the Plan</u>
State/DOJ	<u>N/A</u>	<u>N/A</u>	<u>N/A</u>
<u>PI/NAS/IERP</u>	Deemed to grant the Release and will receive the enhanced distribution	You must check a box to "Opt in" to the Release in order to get the enhanced distribution	You must check a box to "Opt in" to the Release in order to get the enhanced distribution
<u>Any Other Opioid</u> <u>Claimant<sup>12</sup></u>	Deemed to Grant the Release and will receive the enhanced distribution	You should refrain from checking a box to "Opt Out" of the Release in order to get the enhanced distribution	You must check a box to "Opt in" to the Release in order to get the enhanced distribution

#### The following chart explains the above:

# To the extent that any Opioid Claimant has any questions about the above (including voting or the release process), the Plan in general or these Chapter 11 Cases, the OCC encourages such claimant to reach out to the OCC's counsel at EndoCreditorInfo@akingump.com.

Very truly yours,

The Official Committee of Opioid Claimants of Endo International plc., <u>et al.</u>

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>12</sup> To be clear, the OCC would encourage any claimant that is part of a public opioid claimant group that negotiated its own resolution to discuss the specifics of that resolution and how claimants in that group can receive a distribution. The OCC can provide contact information for each public opioid claimant group upon request. Further, the OCC would note that some opioid claimants may not receive any distribution but are still required to "opt out" of the release in order to avoid granting the release. If you have any questions about the voting or release process, please contact the OCC at the contact information above.

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#### UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

In re

ENDO INTERNATIONAL plc, et al.,

Debtors.<sup>1</sup>

Chapter 11

Case No. 22-22549 (JLG)

(Jointly Administered)

## JOINT (I) BALLOT FOR VOTING TO ACCEPT OR REJECT THE SECOND AMENDED JOINT CHAPTER 11 PLAN OF REORGANIZATION OF ENDO INTERNATIONAL PLC AND ITS AFFILIATED DEBTORS AND (II) PROXY FOR VOTING ON SCHEME OF ARRANGEMENT OF ENDO INTERNATIONAL PLC

#### CLASS 6(B) - LOCAL GOVERNMENT OPIOID CLAIMS

IF YOU ARE A HOLDER OF A CLASS 6(B) LOCAL GOVERNMENT OPIOID CLAIM, PLEASE NOTE THE FOLLOWING IMPORTANT POINTS:

- SUBMITTING A BALLOT DOES NOT AFFECT YOUR ABILITY TO PARTICIPATE IN YOUR STATE OR TERRITORY'S OPIOID ABATEMENT PROGRAMS, INCLUDING IN SUCH PROGRAMS FUNDED FROM THE PUBLIC OPIOID TRUST, TO THE EXTENT APPLICABLE TO LOCAL GOVERNMENTS.
- ONLY HOLDERS OF CLASS 6(A) STATE OPIOID CLAIMS THAT VOTE IN FAVOR OF THE PLAN WILL BE ABLE TO PARTICIPATE IN THE PUBLIC OPIOID TRUST.
- PLEASE REVIEW THE RELEASE, EXCULPATION, AND INJUNCTION PROVISIONS AND OPTIONS BEGINNING AT ITEM 2 OF THIS BALLOT PRIOR TO DECIDING WHETHER TO OR HOW TO VOTE ON THE PLAN.

IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS REGARDING THIS BALLOT, THE VOTING INSTRUCTIONS OR THE PROCEDURES FOR VOTING, PLEASE EMAIL THE SOLICITATION AGENT AT ENDOINFO@RA.KROLL.COM (WITH "ENDO SOLICITATION INQUIRY" IN THE SUBJECT LINE) OR CALL THE SOLICITATION AGENT AT: (877) 542-1878 (U.S. / CANADA, TOLL-FREE); +1 (929) 284-1688 (INTERNATIONAL, TOLL). YOU MAY ALSO CONTACT THE

The last four digits of Debtor Endo International plc's tax identification number are 3755. Due to the large number of debtors in these chapter 11 cases, a complete list of the debtor entities and the last four digits of their federal tax identification numbers is not provided herein. A complete list of such information may be obtained on the website of the Debtors' claims and noticing agent at https://restructuring.ra.kroll.com/Endo. The location of the Debtors' service address for purposes of these chapter 11 cases is: 1400 Atwater Dr, Malvern PA 19355.



OPIOID CLAIMANTS' COMMITTEE WITH ANY QUESTIONS AT ENDOCREDITORINFO@AKINGUMP.COM.

PLEASE READ AND FOLLOW THE ENCLOSED INSTRUCTIONS CAREFULLY <u>BEFORE</u> COMPLETING THIS BALLOT. THIS BALLOT IS BEING SENT TO YOU TO SOLICIT YOUR (I) VOTE ON THE DEBTORS' PLAN OF REORGANIZATION AND APPOINT A SPECIAL PROXY TO VOTE ON THE SCHEME OF ARRANGEMENT AND (II) ELECTION WITH RESPECT TO CERTAIN RELEASES CONTAINED IN ARTICLE X OF THE DEBTORS' PLAN OF REORGANIZATION.

IF YOU ARE A HOLDER OF AN ALLOWED CLASS 6(B) LOCAL GOVERNMENT OPIOID CLAIM, PLEASE COMPLETE, EXECUTE, AND RETURN THIS BALLOT SO THAT IT IS <u>ACTUALLY RECEIVED</u> BY KROLL RESTRUCTURING ADMINISTRATION LLC (THE <u>"SOLICITATION AGENT</u>" OR <u>"KROLL</u>") BY OR BEFORE 4:00 P.M. (PREVAILING EASTERN TIME) ON FEBRUARY 22, 2024 (THE <u>"VOTING DEADLINE</u>"). DO NOT RETURN THIS BALLOT TO THE DEBTORS.

IF THE DEBTORS' PLAN OF REORGANIZATION IS CONFIRMED BY THE BANKRUPTCY COURT AND THE DEBTORS' SCHEME OF ARRANGEMENT IS SANCTIONED BY THE HIGH COURT OF IRELAND, BOTH WILL BE BINDING ON YOU WHETHER OR NOT YOU HAVE VOTED TO ACCEPT OR REJECT EITHER ONE. IF YOU DO NOT MAKE THE PROPER ELECTION WITH RESPECT TO CERTAIN RELEASES CONTAINED IN ARTICLE X OF THE DEBTORS' PLAN OF REORGANIZATION, THE RELEASES WILL BE BINDING ON YOU.

NO PERSON HAS BEEN AUTHORIZED TO GIVE ANY INFORMATION OR ADVICE, OR TO MAKE ANY REPRESENTATION, OTHER THAN WHAT IS INCLUDED IN THE MATERIALS ENCLOSED WITH THIS BALLOT.

Endo International plc ("Endo Parent") and its debtor affiliates, as debtors and debtors in possession (collectively, the "Debtors") in the above-captioned chapter 11 cases (the "Chapter 11 Cases") are soliciting votes to accept or reject the Second Amended Joint Chapter 11 Plan of Reorganization of Endo International plc and Its Affiliated Debtors, dated January 9, 2024 [Docket No. 3535] (together with all schedules and exhibits thereto, and as may be modified, amended, or supplemented from time to time, the "Plan")<sup>2</sup> as set forth in the Disclosure Statement with Respect to the Second Amended Joint Chapter 11 Plan of Reorganization of Endo International plc and its Affiliated Debtors, dated January 9, 2024 [Docket No. 3535] (together with all schedules and exhibits thereto, and as may be modified, amended, or supplemented from time to time, the "Plan")<sup>2</sup> as set forth in the Disclosure Statement with Respect to the Second Amended Joint Chapter 11 Plan of Reorganization of Endo International plc and its Affiliated Debtors, dated January 16, 2024 [Docket No. 3554] (together with all schedules and exhibits thereto, and as may be modified, amended, or supplemented from time to time, the "Disclosure Statement"). The Bankruptcy Court has conditionally approved the Disclosure Statement as containing adequate information pursuant to section 1125 of the Bankruptcy Code, by entry of an order on January 12, 2024 [Docket No. 3549] (the "Disclosure Statement Order").

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Capitalized terms used but not otherwise defined herein shall have the meaning ascribed to such terms in the Plan, Disclosure Statement, Disclosure Statement Order, Scheme Circular (each as defined herein), or the Solicitation and Voting Procedures (as defined in the Disclosure Statement Order), as applicable.



Entry of the Disclosure Statement Order does not indicate approval of the Disclosure Statement on a final basis or confirmation of the Plan by the Bankruptcy Court.

Endo Parent is concurrently proposing a "scheme of arrangement" under Part 9 of the Irish Companies Act 2014 (the "<u>Scheme</u>") which will implement certain terms of the Plan in Ireland and affects your rights. The High Court of Ireland (the "<u>Irish High Court</u>") has approved a Scheme Circular (the "<u>Scheme Circular</u>") describing the terms of the Scheme, including who it applies to, how it interacts with the Plan, and how to vote to approve or reject the Scheme. Votes in respect of the Scheme will be cast at the Scheme Meetings, which will be held on March 7, 2024, as set out in the Scheme Circular and the Notices of the Scheme Meetings.

You are receiving this Ballot because our records indicate that you are, as of the Voting Record Date (close of business on January 2, 2024), a holder of a Class 6(B) Local Government Opioid Claim against the Debtors. Accordingly, you have the right to (i) vote to accept or reject the Plan, (ii) vote at the relevant Scheme Meeting (in person or by proxy) to accept or reject the Scheme, and (iii) if applicable, make an election (the "<u>Release Election</u>") regarding the Non-GUC Releases contained in <u>Section 10.3</u> of the Plan (the "<u>Releases</u>") as provided in Item 2 below on account of your Class 6(B) Local Government Opioid Claim. You may submit a vote in respect of the Plan, submit a proxy in respect of the Scheme, and make your Release Election as provided at Item 2 below.

You are only required to vote once in respect of the Plan and the Scheme, and you may use this Ballot to submit both a vote in respect of the Plan and a proxy in respect of the Scheme.

For the purpose of the Scheme, the Voting Record Date for General Unsecured Scheme Creditors will be February 22, 2024 (the Voting Deadline under the Plan) (the "<u>General Unsecured</u> <u>Scheme Voting Record Date</u>"). As indicated above, you have received this Ballot and the accompanying Solicitation Package because our records indicate that you are, as of the Voting Record Date under the Plan, a holder of a Class 6(B) Local Government Opioid Claim and therefore are a General Unsecured Scheme Creditor. If you transfer or assign your Claim between the Voting Record Date and the General Unsecured Scheme Voting Record Date, you will not be entitled to attend or vote at the General Scheme Creditors' Meeting. You will remain entitled to vote on the Plan if you are a holder of a Class 6(B) Local Government Opioid Claim as of the Voting Record Date under the Plan. You should submit your vote in respect of the Plan in accordance with the Solicitation and Voting Procedures, but any vote in relation to the Scheme will not be counted for purposes of the Scheme to the extent there has been a valid transfer or assignment of the applicable Claim prior to the General Unsecured Scheme Voting Record Date.

The transferee or assignee of a relevant Claim transferred or assigned after the Voting Record Date, but prior to the General Unsecured Scheme Voting Record Date, will be entitled to vote on the Scheme at the General Scheme Creditors' Meeting, and to receive any distribution or consideration in respect of that relevant Claim. In order to do so, the transferee or assignee should contact the Solicitation Agent at endoballots@ra.kroll.com to request and obtain a Scheme Voting Form.



## **IMPORTANT NOTICE REGARDING TREATMENT FOR CLASS 6(B)**

As described in more detail in the Disclosure Statement and the Plan, if the Plan is confirmed and the Effective Date occurs, each holder of an Allowed Class 6(B) Local Government Opioid Claim shall receive the following treatment:

On the Effective Date, in full and final satisfaction, settlement, release, and discharge of, and in exchange for such Claims, holders of Local Government Opioid Claims shall be eligible to receive distributions from their respective State in accordance with such State's opioid abatement programs, subject to the laws and agreements of such State and such State's opioid abatement programs. For the avoidance of doubt, the treatment provided with respect to this Class 6(B) shall not prevent any Local Government from participating in its respective State's opioid abatement programs as provided by and in accordance with applicable State law and agreements, regardless of whether such Local Government filed a Local Government Opioid Claim and/or voted to accept or reject the Plan.

## PLEASE SEE <u>EXHIBIT A</u> FOR IMPORTANT INFORMATION REGARDING THE RELEASE, EXCULPATION, AND INJUNCTION PROVISIONS IN THE PLAN.

If you are the holder of a Class 6(B) Local Government Opioid Claim (and are entitled to vote) as of the Voting Record Date, please use this Ballot to (i) cast your vote to (a) accept or reject the Plan, and (b) appoint the Chairperson of the Scheme Meetings as a special proxy to submit an equivalent vote on your behalf to accept or reject the Scheme, and (ii) if applicable, make your Release Election. This Ballot may not be used for any other purpose. If you (i) wish to submit a proxy to vote on the Scheme differently to the vote you are submitting in relation to the Plan, (ii) wish to vote on the Plan but do not wish to vote on the Scheme, (iii) wish to appoint someone other than the Chairperson as your proxy for the purpose of the relevant Scheme Meeting, or (iv) wish to attend the relevant Scheme Meeting and vote in person, you must obtain a Scheme Voting Form from the Solicitation Agent by emailing endoballots@ra.kroll.com with a reference to "Endo Scheme Voting Form" in the subject line.

If you believe you have received this Ballot in error, or if you believe that you have received the wrong Ballot or any information thereon is incorrect, please contact the Solicitation Agent immediately at the address or telephone number set forth below.

Your rights are described in the Disclosure Statement and Scheme Circular, which, along with the Plan, Scheme, Disclosure Statement Order, a letter from the Opioid Claimants' Committee (the "<u>OCC Letter</u>"), and certain other materials, can be accessed electronically using the instructions provided in the Solicitation Package you are receiving with this Ballot. If you need to obtain additional solicitation materials, you may contact the Debtors' Solicitation Agent, Kroll Restructuring Administration LLC, by: (a) calling the Solicitation Agent at (877) 542-1878 (U.S. / Canada, toll-free) or +1 (929) 284-1688 (International, toll); (b) visiting the Debtors' case website at https://restructuring.ra.kroll.com/Endo (the "<u>Case Website</u>") and contacting the Solicitation Agent via the "Live Chat" feature at the "Info Center" panel of the landing page; (c) contacting the Solicitation Agent by mail at Endo Ballot Processing Center, c/o Kroll Restructuring Administration LLC, 850 Third Avenue, Suite 412, Brooklyn, NY 11232; or



(d) emailing endoinfo@ra.kroll.com with "Solicitation Package request" in the subject line. You may also access these materials for a fee via PACER at https://www.nysb.uscourts.gov/.

You should review the Disclosure Statement, the Scheme Circular, the Scheme, the Plan, and the OCC Letter before you vote. You may wish to seek legal advice concerning the Plan, the Scheme, and the classification and treatment of your Claim. Your Claim has been placed in Class 6(B) (Local Government Opioid Claims) under the Plan. You must use only this Ballot for all the Class 6(B) Local Government Opioid Claims you wish to vote, and you must vote either (i) to accept the Plan and the Scheme as to all such Claims or (ii) to reject the Plan and the Scheme as to all such Claims or (ii) to reject the Plan and the Scheme as in more than one Class, you will receive a Ballot for each Class in which you are entitled to vote.

The Bankruptcy Court can confirm the Plan and bind you if the Plan is accepted by the holders of at least two-thirds in amount and more than one-half in number of the Claims in each Impaired Class who vote on the Plan and if the Plan otherwise satisfies the applicable requirements of section 1129(a) of the Bankruptcy Code. If the requisite acceptances are not obtained, the Bankruptcy Court nonetheless may confirm the Plan if it finds that the Plan (a) provides fair and equitable treatment to, and does not unfairly discriminate against, each Class rejecting the Plan, (b) provides that at least one Impaired Class accepts the Plan without including the votes of insiders in accordance with section 1129(a)(10) of the Bankruptcy Code, and (c) otherwise satisfies the requirements of section 1129(b) of the Bankruptcy Code. If the Plan is confirmed by the Bankruptcy Court, it will be binding on you whether or not you vote or affirmatively vote to reject the Plan. If you opt out of granting the Releases, the Releases will not be binding on you.

The Irish High Court can sanction the Scheme if the Scheme is approved by Scheme Creditors representing at least 75% by value and a majority in number of those voting (either in person or by proxy) at each Scheme Meeting. If the Scheme is sanctioned by the Irish High Court, it will be binding on all Scheme Creditors whether or not they vote or affirmatively vote to reject the Scheme.

To have your vote counted, you must complete, sign, and return this Ballot so that it is actually received by the Solicitation Agent by or before the Voting Deadline.

## ITEM 1. Amount of Claim.

The undersigned hereby certifies that as of the Voting Record Date (close of business on January 2, 2024), the undersigned was the holder of Class 6(B) Local Government Opioid Claims against the Debtors in the following aggregate unpaid principal amount. Please note that, except as otherwise set forth in the Disclosure Statement Order, for purposes of tabulating your vote on the Plan, regardless of the amount set forth below, each Claim in Class 6(B) will be allowed and tabulated in the amount of \$1.00 on a non-priority, unsecured basis for voting purposes only, and not for distribution, allowance, or any other purpose.





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For purposes of voting on the Scheme, you may be requested to provide additional supporting documents to substantiate the value of your Claim for voting purposes. If the Chairperson is not satisfied that the documents provided support your Claim, the Chairperson may exercise its discretion to (i) admit your Claim for an alternative amount which appears to be supported by the evidence provided, (ii) admit the Claim for \$1.00, or (iii) reject the Claim, in each case, for voting purposes only.

ITEM 2. Vote on the Plan and the Scheme and Release Election.

#### IMPORTANT INFORMATION REGARDING CERTAIN RELEASE, EXCULPATION, AND INJUNCTION PROVISIONS IN THE PLAN

ARTICLE X OF THE PLAN CONTAINS RELEASE, EXCULPATION, AND INJUNCTION PROVISIONS, WHICH ARE SET FORTH AT THE END OF THIS BALLOT IN <u>EXHIBIT A</u>. YOU SHOULD REVIEW THESE PROVISIONS CAREFULLY.

How you vote on the Plan will govern your Release Election options. Please <u>read carefully</u> the following three options:

(1) If you vote to <u>accept</u> the Plan, you will be deemed to consent to the Releases. You may not opt out of granting the Releases if you accept the Plan.

(2) If you vote to <u>reject</u> the Plan, you will be deemed to have opted out of granting the Releases. Nevertheless, you may affirmatively <u>OPT IN</u> to grant the Releases. You may indicate this election by checking the appropriate box below.

(3) If you <u>abstain</u> from voting on the Plan, you will be deemed to consent to the Releases. You may affirmatively <u>OPT OUT</u> of granting the Releases by checking the appropriate box below.

PLEASE BE ADVISED THAT IF YOU FAIL TO RETURN THIS BALLOT, THEN YOU WILL BE DEEMED TO CONSENT TO GRANT THE RELEASES IN EACH AND EVERY CAPACITY IN WHICH YOU HOLD A CLAIM AGAINST, OR INTEREST IN, ANY OF THE DEBTORS. IF YOU ARE ABSTAINING FROM VOTING ON THE PLAN AND DO NOT WISH TO GRANT THE RELEASES, YOU MUST AFFIRMATIVELY CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX BELOW TO OPT OUT OF THE RELEASES.

PLEASE ALSO BE ADVISED THAT ARTICLE X OF THE PLAN CONTAINS THE DEBTOR RELEASES, NON-GUC RELEASES, GUC RELEASES, EXCULPATION, PLAN INJUNCTION, AND CHANNELING INJUNCTION. IF YOU OBJECT TO ANY OF THE RELEASE, EXCULPATION, OR INJUNCTION PROVISIONS CONTAINED IN ARTICLE X OF THE PLAN, YOU MUST FILE A SEPARATE OBJECTION WITH THE BANKRUPTCY COURT IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE PROCEDURES DESCRIBED IN THE DISCLOSURE STATEMENT ORDER.

The holder of the Class 6(B) Local Government Opioid Claim against the Debtors set forth in Item 1 above seeks to:



CHECK BOX(ES) IN ONE ROW ONLY □ ACCEPT (vote FOR) the Plan and to appoint the Chairperson as special proxy to vote in favor of the Scheme at the relevant Scheme Meeting and any adjournment thereof. **REJECT** (vote AGAINST) the  $\Box$  If you are voting to REJECT the Plan and to appoint the Chairperson as Plan, check this box to OPT IN to grant special proxy to vote against the the Releases contained in Section 10.3 Scheme at the relevant Scheme Meeting of the Plan. and any adjournment thereof. Carry If you are ABSTAINING from □ ABSTAIN from voting on the Plan. voting on the Plan, check this box to OPT OUT of granting the Releases contained in Section 10.3 of the Plan.

Any Ballot that is executed by the holder of a Claim, but that indicates both an acceptance and a rejection of the Plan and the Scheme, or does not indicate either an acceptance or rejection of the Plan and the Scheme, will not be counted.

THE DEBTORS RECOMMEND THAT YOU VOTE TO ACCEPT THE PLAN AND THE SCHEME.

ITEM 3. Certifications.

By signing this Ballot, the undersigned certifies to the Bankruptcy Court and the Debtors that:

- (a) either the undersigned is: (i) the holder of the Class 6(B) Local Government Opioid Claims being voted; or (ii) an authorized signatory for a person or entity that is a holder of the Class 6(B) Local Government Opioid Claims being voted, and, in either case, has the full power and authority to vote to accept or reject the Plan and the Scheme and make the Release Election with respect to the Claims identified in Item 1 above;
- (b) the undersigned asserts a claim against Endo Parent and is entitled to vote to accept or reject the Scheme;
- (c) the undersigned has received access to an electronic copy of the Disclosure Statement, the Scheme Circular and the Solicitation Package and acknowledges that the solicitation is being made pursuant to the terms and conditions set forth therein;
- (d) the undersigned has cast the same vote with respect to all of its Class 6(B) Local Government Opioid Claims; and



10100-20	(e)	no other Ballots with respect to the amount of the Class 6(B) Local Government Opioid Claims identified in Item 1 above have been cast or, if any other Ballots have been cast with respect to such Claims, then any such earlier Ballots are hereby revoked.
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No fees, commissions, or other remuneration will be payable to any person for soliciting votes on the Plan or the Scheme.

If your address or contact information has changed, please note the new information here.

YOUR RECEIPT OF THIS BALLOT DOES NOT SIGNIFY THAT YOUR CLAIM HAS BEEN OR WILL BE ALLOWED.

#### IF YOU DO NOT INTEND TO SUBMIT ELECTRONICALLY, PLEASE COMPLETE, SIGN AND DATE THIS BALLOT AND RETURN IT PROMPTLY BY FIRST-CLASS MAIL, OVERNIGHT COURIER, OR HAND DELIVERY IN THE PROVIDED RETURN ENVELOPE TO:

Endo Ballot Processing Center c/o Kroll Restructuring Administration LLC 850 Third Avenue, Suite 412 Brooklyn, NY 11232

If you plan to hand-deliver your Ballot to Kroll's office, please email Endoballots@ra.kroll.com with "Endo Ballot Submission" in the subject line at least twenty-four (24) hours in advance of your arrival at the Kroll address above to arrange delivery.



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## THIS BALLOT MUST BE <u>ACTUALLY RECEIVED</u> BY THE SOLICITATION AGENT BY OR BEFORE:

## 4:00 P.M. (PREVAILING EASTERN TIME) ON FEBRUARY 22, 2024.

## BALLOTS SENT BY FACSIMILE, TELECOPY, OR OTHER ELECTRONIC MEANS (OTHER THAN THROUGH THE SOLICITATION AGENT'S ONLINE PORTAL IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE BELOW) WILL <u>NOT</u> BE ACCEPTED.

To submit your Ballot electronically via the Solicitation Agent's E-Ballot online portal ("<u>Online Portal</u>"), please visit https://restructuring.ra.kroil.com/Endo/EBallot-Home or scan the QR Code provided in your Solicitation Package and click on the "Submit E-Ballot" link on the Case Website and follow the instructions provided within the E-Ballot platform to submit your Ballot.

IMPORTANT NOTE: You will need the following information to retrieve and submit your customized E-Ballot:

Unique E-Ballot ID#: RONC-GRS6-B3MO-51AT

The Solicitation Agent's Online Portal is the sole manner in which your Ballot will be accepted via electronic or online transmission. Ballots submitted by telecopy, facsimile, email, or other electronic means of transmission will not be counted.

Each Unique E-Ballot ID# is to be used solely for voting only those Claims described in Item 1 of your E-Ballot. Please complete and submit an E-Ballot for each Unique E-Ballot ID# you receive, as applicable.

Holders who cast a Ballot using the Solicitation Agent's Online Portal should <u>NOT</u> also submit a paper Ballot.

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## INSTRUCTIONS FOR COMPLETING THIS BALLOT

- 1. Capitalized terms used in the Ballot or in these instructions but not otherwise defined therein or herein shall have the meaning set forth in the Plan or Disclosure Statement Order, as applicable.
- 2. To ensure that your Ballot is counted, you *must either*: (a) complete and submit this hard copy Ballot or (b) vote through the Solicitation Agent's Online Portal at **https://restructuring.ra.kroll.com/Endo/EBallot-Home**. Ballots will not be accepted by facsimile, telecopy or other electronic means (other than through the Online Portal).
- 3. <u>Use of Hard Copy Ballot</u>. To ensure that your vote is counted, you <u>must</u> complete this Ballot and take the following steps: (a) make sure that the information required in Item 1



above has been inserted as \$1.00; (b) clearly indicate your decision either to accept or reject the Plan and Scheme in the boxes provided in Item 2 above; (c) if applicable, make the Release Election in Item 2 above; (d) provide the information required by Item 3 above; and (e) sign, date and return an original of your Ballot to the Kroll address set forth above by regular mail, overnight courier, or hand delivery or in the enclosed pre-addressed envelope.

- 4. <u>Use of the Online Portal</u>. To ensure that your E-Ballot is counted, please follow the instructions found at https://restructuring.ra.kroll.com/Endo/EBallot-Home. You will need to enter your Unique E-Ballot ID# indicated on your Ballot. The Online Portal is the sole manner in which Ballots will be accepted via electronic or online transmission. Ballots will not be accepted by facsimile, electronic mail, or other electronic means (other than through the Online Portal).
- 5. <u>Alternative Methods of Voting on the Scheme Only</u>. If you (i) wish to submit a proxy to vote on the Scheme differently to the vote you are submitting in relation to the Plan, (ii) wish to vote on the Plan but do not wish to vote on the Scheme, (iii) wish to appoint someone other than the Chairperson as your proxy for the purpose of the relevant Scheme Meeting, or (iv) wish to attend the relevant Scheme Meeting and vote in person, you must obtain a Scheme Voting Form from the Solicitation Agent by emailing endoballots@ra.kroll.com with a reference to "Endo Scheme Voting Form" in the subject line.
- 6. Solely with respect to holders of Claims in Classes 6(A)-(C), if any attorneys (i) represent more than five (5) such holders, and (ii) find it onerous to timely submit separate Ballots on behalf of such holders, such attorneys should contact the Solicitation Agent using the contact information provided herein to discuss accommodations to facilitate the simultaneous transmission of multiple votes.
- 7. If the transferee or assignee of a relevant Claim transferred or assigned after the Voting Record Date, but prior to the General Unsecured Scheme Voting Record Date, wishes to vote on the Scheme, they should contact the Solicitation Agent at endoballots@ra.kroll.com to request and obtain a Scheme Voting Form.
- 8. If a Ballot is received by the Solicitation Agent <u>after</u> the Voting Deadline, it will not be counted, unless the Debtors have granted an extension of the Voting Deadline in writing with respect to such Ballot. Additionally, the following Ballots will <u>NOT</u> be counted:
  - any Ballot that is illegible or contains insufficient information to permit the identification of the holder of the Claim;
  - any Ballot cast by or on behalf of a person or entity that does not hold a Claim in one of the Voting Classes as of the Voting Record Date;
  - any Ballot cast for a Claim that is not listed on the Schedules, or that is scheduled at zero, in an unknown amount, or, in whole or in part, as unliquidated, contingent, or disputed, and for which no Proof of Claim was timely filed;



- any Ballot that (a) is properly completed, executed and timely submitted, but does not indicate an acceptance or rejection of the Plan or an abstention from voting on the Plan, (b) indicates both an acceptance and rejection of the Plan or either or both of the foregoing and an abstention from voting on the Plan, or (c) partially accepts and partially rejects the Plan;
- any Ballot submitted by facsimile, electronic mail, or other unauthorized electronic transmission (other than through the Online Portal);
- any Ballot sent to the Debtors, the Debtors' agents/representatives (other than the Solicitation Agent), any indenture trustee, or the Debtors' financial or legal advisors;
- any unsigned Ballot; and/or
- any Ballot not cast in accordance with the procedures approved in the Disclosure Statement Order.
- 9. For purposes of voting on the Scheme, the Chairperson shall have discretion to accept Scheme Voting Forms or Ballots received after the Voting Deadline but is not required to do so. Scheme Creditors should refer to the Scheme Circular for further information regarding voting at the Scheme Meetings.
- 10. The method of delivery of Ballots to the Solicitation Agent is at the election and risk of each holder of a Claim. Except as otherwise provided herein, such delivery will be deemed made to the Solicitation Agent only when the Solicitation Agent <u>actually receives</u> the originally executed Ballot. Instead of effecting delivery by first-class mail, it is recommended, though not required, that holders use an overnight or hand delivery service. However, to ensure timely delivery, submission via the Online Portal is strongly recommended. In all cases, holders should allow sufficient time to assure timely delivery.
- 11. If multiple Ballots are received from the same holder of a Claim with respect to the same Claim prior to the Voting Deadline, the last properly completed, valid Ballot timely received will supersede and revoke any earlier received Ballots.
- 12. You must vote all of your Claims within a particular Class either to accept or reject the Plan and Scheme and may <u>not</u> split your vote. Further, if a holder has multiple Claims within the same Class, the Debtors may, in their discretion, aggregate the Claims of any particular holder within a Class for the purpose of counting votes.
- 13. The Ballot is not a letter of transmittal and may not be used for any purpose other than to (i) vote to accept or reject the Plan, and (ii) vote to appoint the Chairperson as a special proxy to submit an equivalent vote to accept or reject the Scheme, and (iii) if applicable, make your Release Election. Accordingly, at this time, holders of Claims should not surrender certificates or instruments representing or evidencing their Claims, and neither the Debtors nor the Solicitation Agent will accept delivery of any such certificates or instruments surrendered together with a Ballot.



- 14. This Ballot does <u>not</u> constitute, and shall not be deemed to be, (a) a Proof of Claim or (b) an assertion or admission of a Claim or Interest (except to the extent set out at Item 3(b) in relation to the entitlement to vote and be party to the Scheme).
- 15. Please be sure to sign and date your Ballot. If you are signing a Ballot in your capacity as a trustee, executor, administrator, guardian, attorney in fact, officer of a corporation or otherwise acting in a fiduciary or representative capacity, you must indicate such capacity when signing and, if required or requested by the Solicitation Agent, the Debtors, or the Bankruptcy Court, must submit proper evidence to the requesting party to so act on behalf of such holder. In addition, please provide your name and mailing address if it is different from what is set forth on the attached mailing label or if no such mailing label is attached to the Ballot. For the avoidance of doubt, an attorney representing any clients who are holders of Claims in Classes 4(B)-(F), 6(A)-(C), 7(A)-(E), and 8-12 may execute and submit a Ballot on behalf of each such client for such Claims so long as the attorney has the authority under applicable law to vote to accept or reject the Plan (and make Release Elections), and grant a special proxy to the Chairperson of the Scheme Meetings, on behalf of each such client.
- 16. If you hold Claims in more than one Class under the Plan, you may receive more than one Ballot coded for each different Class. Each Ballot votes only your Claims indicated on that Ballot, so please complete and return each Ballot you received.

## PLEASE RETURN YOUR BALLOT PROMPTLY!

IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS REGARDING THIS BALLOT, THESE VOTING INSTRUCTIONS, OR THE PROCEDURES FOR VOTING, PLEASE EMAIL THE SOLICITATION AGENT AT ENDOINFO@RA.KROLL.COM (WITH "ENDO SOLICITATION INQUIRY" IN THE SUBJECT LINE) OR CALL THE SOLICITATION AGENT AT: (877) 542-1878 (U.S. / CANADA, TOLL-FREE); +1 (929) 284-1688 (INTERNATIONAL, TOLL).

## YOU MAY ALSO CONTACT THE OPIOID CLAIMANTS' COMMITTEE WITH ANY QUESTIONS AT ENDOCREDITORINFO@AKINGUMP.COM.

#### IF THE SOLICITATION AGENT DOES NOT <u>ACTUALLY RECEIVE</u> THIS BALLOT BY OR BEFORE THE VOTING DEADLINE, WHICH IS 4:00 P.M. (PREVAILING EASTERN TIME) ON FEBRUARY 22, 2024, THEN YOUR VOTE TRANSMITTED HEREBY WILL <u>NOT</u> BE COUNTED.

NO PERSON HAS BEEN AUTHORIZED BY THE DEBTORS TO GIVE ANY INFORMATION OR ADVICE, OR TO MAKE ANY REPRESENTATION, ON BEHALF OF THE DEBTORS, REGARDING THE DEBTORS OR THE PLAN, OTHER THAN WHAT IS CONTAINED IN THE SOLICITATION PACKAGE MAILED HEREWITH.



#### EXHIBIT A<sup>1</sup>

#### RELEASE, EXCULPATION, AND INJUNCTION PROVISIONS CONTAINED IN THE PLAN

#### **ARTICLE I**

#### **DEFINED TERMS**

"<u>Additional Opioid Excluded Parties</u>" means (a) the Co-Defendants; and (b) any distributor, manufacturer, or pharmacy engaged in the distribution, manufacture, or dispensing/sale of Opioids, Opioid Products, or, solely with respect to the Canadian Provinces, Canadian First Nations, and Canadian Municipalities, Canadian Opioid Products. The Additional Opioid Excluded Parties shall be deemed Excluded Parties solely with respect to the Releases granted or deemed to be granted, as applicable, by the Specified Opioid Claimant Releasing Parties; provided, that, for the avoidance of doubt, the Additional Opioid Excluded Parties shall not be Excluded Parties with respect to the Releases granted or deemed to be granted by any Non-GUC Releasing Party other than the Specified Opioid Claimant Releasing Parties or any GUC Releasing Party.

"Excluded Parties" means (a) the McKinsey Parties; (b) the Arnold & Porter Parties; (c) any of the Debtors' current or former third-party agents, partners, representatives, or consultants involved in the production, distribution, marketing, promotion, or sale of Opioids, Opioid Products, or, solely with respect to the Canadian Provinces, the Canadian First Nations, and the Canadian Municipalities, Canadian Opioid Products (in each case of clauses (a), (b), and (c), excluding the Debtors' (i) current and former officers, directors, and employees (in each case, solely in their respective capacities as such); and (ii) Professionals retained by the Debtors in the Chapter 11 Cases (which, for the avoidance of doubt, shall (1) include any ordinary course professionals; but (2) exclude any Additional Advisor Excluded Parties)); (d) Practice Fusion, Inc.; (e) the Publicis Health Parties; (f) the ZS Associates Parties; and (g) solely with respect to the Specified Opioid Claimant Releasing Parties, the Additional Opioid Excluded Parties, solely in their respective capacities as such. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary in the Plan, none of the following shall be an "Excluded Party": the Debtors' (1) current and former directors (including any Persons in analogous roles under applicable law), officers, and employees, in each case, solely in their respective capacities as such; and (2) Professionals retained by the Debtors in the Chapter 11 Cases (which, for the avoidance of doubt, shall (A) include any ordinary course professionals; but (B) exclude any Additional Advisor Excluded Parties) and, for the avoidance of doubt, each Person identified in the foregoing clauses (1) and (2) shall be a Non-GUC Released Party.

"<u>Exculpated Claim</u>" means, in each case, solely to the extent related to an act or omission, or arising, prior to the Effective Date, any Claim, obligation, suit, judgment, damage, demand, debt, right, Cause of Action, remedy, loss, and liability for any Claim related to any act or omission

Below is a summary of certain release, exculpation, and injunction provisions in the Plan for your convenience. For the avoidance of doubt, to the extent any provision of this <u>Exhibit A</u> conflicts with the terms of the Plan, the terms of the Plan will control. Capitalized terms used below have the meanings ascribed to such terms in the Plan.



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in connection with, relating to, or arising out of the Debtors' in- or out-of-court restructuring efforts leading up to the Chapter 11 Cases, the Chapter 11 Cases, or the administration of the Chapter 11 Cases; any foreign recognition proceedings or the administration of such foreign recognition proceedings; the Sale Process, including the negotiation and pursuit thereof, any documents related thereto, and any transactions contemplated thereby or in connection therewith; the negotiation and pursuit of the Plan and the Plan Documents, the Disclosure Statement, the RSA, the Exit Financing, the Rights Offerings, the Scheme, and the Scheme Circular; the Plan, the Plan Transaction, the Restructuring Transactions, the Plan Settlements, and any other transactions contemplated in connection with the foregoing; the negotiation and establishment of the PPOC Trust, any of the PPOC Sub-Trusts, the GUC Trust, any of the Distribution Sub-Trusts, the Future PI Trust, the Public Opioid Trust, the Tribal Opioid Trust, the Canadian Provinces Trust, the EFBD Claims Trust, the Other Opioid Claims Trust, the Trust Documents, the Opioid School District Recovery Trust Governing Documents, the U.S. Government Resolution, and the U.S. Government Resolution Documents; the solicitation of votes for, and Confirmation of, the Plan, the Plan Transaction, and any other transactions or documents contemplated thereby or by the Plan or in connection therewith or with the Plan; the funding of the Plan; the pursuit of Confirmation; the occurrence of the Effective Date; the closing of the Plan Transaction; the implementation and administration of the Plan; or any other related act or omission, transaction, agreement, event, or other occurrence taking place on or before the Effective Date; provided, however, that, "Exculpated Claims" shall not include (a) any Claim, obligation, suit, judgment, damage, demand, debt, right, Cause of Action, remedy, loss, or liability for any Claim for, or relating to, any act or omission, in each case, determined by a Final Order to be intentional fraud, gross negligence, or willful misconduct: or (b) any GUC Trust Litigation Claim.

"Exculpated Parties" means (a)(i) the Debtors, solely in their respective capacities as such; (ii) the Post-Emergence Entities, solely in their respective capacities as such; (iii) the Creditors' Committee and each of the members thereof, in each case, solely in their respective capacities as such, and each of the advisors thereto or of the individual members thereof, in each case, solely in their respective capacities as such; (iv) the Opioid Claimants' Committee and each of the members thereof, in each case, solely in their respective capacities as such, and each of the advisors thereto or of the individual members thereof, in each case, solely in their respective capacities as such; (y) the FCR, solely in his capacity as such, and each of the advisors thereto, solely in their respective capacities as such; and (vi) the Plan Administrator and any advisors thereto, in each case, solely in their respective capacities as such; (b) solely to the extent consistent with section 1125(e) of the Bankruptcy Code: (i) the Prepetition Secured Parties, solely in their respective capacities as such; (ii) the Ad Hoc First Lien Group and each of the members thereof, in each case, solely in their respective capacities as such, and each of the advisors thereto or of the individual members thereof, in each case, solely in their respective capacities as such; (iii) the Ad Hoc Cross-Holder Group and each of the members thereof, in each case, solely in their respective capacities as such, and each of the advisors thereto or of the individual members thereof, in each case, solely in their respective capacities as such; (iv) the PPOC Trust, each PPOC Sub-Trust, the GUC Trust, each Distribution Sub-Trust, the Future PI Trust, the Public Opioid Trust, the Tribal Opioid Trust, and the Trustees. administrators, boards or governing bodies of, any advisors to, and any other Persons with similar administrative or supervisory roles in connection with any of the foregoing, in each case, solely in their respective capacities as such; (v) the GUC Backstop Commitment Parties, solely in their respective capacities as such; (vi) the First Lien Backstop Commitment Parties, solely in their respective capacities as such; (vii) the Unsecured Notes Indenture Trustees, solely in their



respective capacities as such; (viii) the Endo EC and each of the States that are members thereof and their respective officers and Representatives, in each case, solely in their respective capacities as such; and (c)(i) with respect to the Persons listed in the foregoing clauses (a) and (b), such Persons' predecessors, successors, permitted assigns, current and former subsidiaries and Affiliates, respective heirs, executors, estates, and nominees, in each case, solely in their respective capacities as such; and (ii) current and former directors (including any Persons in analogous roles under applicable law), officers, employees, and Representatives of each of the Persons listed in the foregoing clauses (a) through (c)(i), in each case, solely in their respective capacities as such. For the avoidance of doubt, and notwithstanding anything to the contrary in the Plan, (1) no Excluded Party or GUC Excluded Party (other than the Excluded D&O Parties) shall be an Exculpated Party; and (2) with respect to the Excluded D&O Parties, no Excluded D&O Party shall be exculpated from any GUC Trust Litigation Claim.

"<u>GUC Excluded Parties</u>" means (a) the Excluded Parties; and (b)(i) the TPG Parties; (ii) the Insurance Advisor Parties; (iii) the Additional Advisor Excluded Parties; (iv) the Additional Third-Party Excluded Parties and (v) the Excluded D&O Parties (subject to the Covenant Not To Collect).

"GUC Released Parties" means (a) the Debtors and their Estates; (b) the Non-Debtor Affiliates; (c) the Post-Emergence Entities; (d) each Consenting First Lien Creditor and Prepetition Secured Party, in each case, solely in their respective capacities as such; (e) the Ad Hoc Cross-Holder Group, the Ad Hoc First Lien Group, and each of the members of the foregoing, in each case, solely in their respective capacities as such, and each of the advisors thereto or of the individual members thereof, in each case, solely in their respective capacities as such; (f) the Opioid Claimants' Committee and each of the members thereof, in each case, solely in their respective capacities as such, and each of the advisors thereto or of the individual members thereof, in each case, solely in their respective capacities as such; (g) the Creditors' Committee and each of the members thereof, in each case, solely in their respective capacities as such, and each of the advisors thereto or of the members thereof, in each case, solely in their respective capacities as such; (h) the FCR, solely in his capacity as such, and the advisors to the FCR, solely in their respective capacities as such; (i) the Endo EC and each of the States that are members thereof and their respective officers and Representatives, in each case, solely in their respective capacities as such; (j) the Trusts and the Trustees, administrators, boards or governing bodies of, any advisors to, and any other Persons with similar administrative or supervisory roles in connection with any of the foregoing, in each case, solely in their respective capacities as such; (k) the First Lien Backstop Commitment Parties and the GUC Backstop Commitment Parties, in each case, solely in their respective capacities as such; (1) the Unsecured Notes Indenture Trustees, solely in their respective capacities as such; (m) the Debtors' current officers (as of or after the Petition Date); (n) the Debtors' directors (including any Persons in any analogous roles under applicable law) that continue serving in their capacity as directors with, or become directors of, any of the Purchaser Entities after the Effective Date or continue or begin serving in any other prior senior-level employment position<sup>2</sup> after the Effective Date and performing services commensurate with such

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> For the avoidance of doubt, any individual serving in a position of Band D or higher shall be deemed to be serving in a senior-level employment position.



prior position;<sup>3</sup> (o) current and former officers and directors (including any Persons in any analogous roles under applicable law) of subsidiaries of Endo International plc that are not UCC Specified Subsidiaries; (p) with respect to each of the foregoing Persons listed in <u>clauses (a)</u> through (c), such Persons' predecessors, successors, assigns, current and former subsidiaries and Affiliates, heirs, executors, estates, nominees, current and former employees, advisors, agents, and consultants (including any professional retained by the Debtors in the Chapter 11 Cases except, with respect to ordinary course professionals, as may be agreed on a case-by-case basis, and excluding the Arnold & Porter Parties, the McKinsey Parties, the Insurance Advisor Parties, the Additional Advisor Excluded Parties, and any other GUC Excluded Party), in each case, solely in their respective capacities as such; and (q) with respect to each of the foregoing Persons listed in <u>clauses (d)</u> through (1), such Persons' predecessors, successors, estates, nominees, current and former officers, directors (including any Persons in any analogous roles under applicable law), employees, and Representatives, in each case, solely in their respective capacities as such. For the avoidance of doubt, no GUC Excluded Party shall be a GUC Released Party.

"<u>GUC Releasing Parties</u>" means (a) the GUC Trust; (b) each Distribution Sub-Trust; (c) each holder of (i) an Other General Unsecured Claim; (ii) a Mesh Claim; or (iii) a Ranitidine Claim, in each case, that (1) votes to accept the Plan; (2) was solicited to vote to accept or reject the Plan but who does not vote either to accept or reject the Plan and, further, opts in to grant the GUC Releases; or (3) votes to reject the Plan and opts in to grant the GUC Releases; (d) each holder of (i) a Second Lien Deficiency Claim; (ii) an Unsecured Notes Claim; (iii) a Generics Price Fixing Claim; or (iv) a Reverse Payment Claim, in each case, that (1) votes to accept the Plan; (2) was solicited to vote to accept or reject the Plan but who does not vote either to accept or reject the Plan and, further, does not opt out of granting the GUC Releases; or (3) votes to reject the Plan and opts in to grant the GUC Releases; and (e) Representatives of each Person in the foregoing clauses (a) through (d), in each case, solely in their respective capacities as such.

"Non-GUC Released Parties" means (a) the Debtors and their Estates; (b) the Non-Debtor Affiliates; (c) the Post-Emergence Entities; (d) each Consenting First Lien Creditor and Prepetition Secured Party, solely in their respective capacities as such; (e) the Ad Hoc Cross-Holder Group, the Ad Hoc First Lien Group, and each of the members of the foregoing, in each case, solely in their respective capacities as such, and each of the advisors thereto or of the individual members thereof, in each case, solely in their respective capacities as such; (f) the Opioid Claimants' Committee and each of the members thereof, in each case, solely in their respective capacities as such, and each of the advisors thereto or of the individual members thereof, in each case, solely in their respective capacities as such; (g) the Creditors' Committee and each of the members thereof, in each case, solely in their respective capacities as such, and each of the advisors thereto or of the members thereof, in each case, solely in their respective capacities as such; (h) the FCR, solely in his capacity as such, and the advisors to the FCR, solely in their respective capacities as such; (i) the Endo EC and each of the States that are members thereof and their respective officers and Representatives, in each case, solely in their respective capacities as

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> For the avoidance of doubt, if a director does not continue in the same position or one or more position(s) of similar seniority post-Effective Date, such individual shall not be a GUC Released Party or a Non-GUC Released Party under this <u>clause(n)</u>; provided, that, to the extent employed immediately prior to the Effective Date in a senior-level non-director position, such individual was offered employment by any of the Purchaser Entities.



such; (j) the Trusts and the Trustees, administrators, boards or governing bodies of, any advisors to, and any other Persons with similar administrative or supervisory roles in connection with, any of the foregoing, in each case, solely in their respective capacities as such; (k) the First Lien Backstop Commitment Parties and the GUC Backstop Commitment Parties, in each case, solely in their respective capacities as such; (l) the Unsecured Notes Indenture Trustees, solely in their respective capacities as such; (m) with respect to each of the foregoing Persons listed in <u>clauses (a)</u> through (l), such Persons' predecessors, successors, permitted assigns, current and former subsidiaries and Affiliates, respective heirs, executors, estates, and nominees, in each case, solely in their respective capacities as such; and (n) with respect to each of the foregoing Persons listed in <u>clauses (a)</u> through (m), such Persons' current and former officers, directors (including any Persons in any analogous roles under applicable law), employees, and Representatives, in each case, solely in their respective capacities as such. Notwithstanding the foregoing or anything to the contrary in the Plan or in any other Plan Document, "Non-GUC Released Parties" shall not include any Excluded Party and all Claims and Causes of Action against such Persons shall be preserved and not released in accordance with the Plan.

"Non-GUC Releasing Parties" means each (a) Non-GUC Released Party, other than (i) the Debtors; and (ii) the Post-Emergence Entities; (b) holder of a State Opioid Claim; (c) holder of (i) a PI Opioid Claim; (ii) a NAS PI Claim; (iii) an IERP II Claim; (iv) an Other Opioid Claim; or (v) an EFBD Claim, in each case, that (1) votes to accept the Plan; (2) was solicited to vote to accept or reject the Plan but that does not vote to either accept or reject the Plan and, further, opts in to grant the Non-GUC Releases; or (3) votes to reject the Plan and opts in to grant the Non-GUC Releases; (d) holder of (i) a Priority Non-Tax Claim; (ii) an Other Secured Claim; (iii) a First Lien Claim; (iv) a Local Government Opioid Claim; (v) a Tribal Opioid Claim; (vi) a Hospital Opioid Claim; (vii) a TPP Claim; (viii) a Public School District Claim; (ix) a Canadian Provinces Claim; (x) a Settling Co-Defendant Claim; (xi) a Subordinated, Recharacterized, or Disallowed Claim; or (xii) an Existing Equity Interest, in each case, that (1) votes to accept the Plan; (2) is presumed to accept the Plan and does not opt out of granting the Non-GUC Releases; (3) is deemed to reject the Plan and does not opt out of granting the Non-GUC Releases; (4) was solicited to vote to accept or reject the Plan but who does not vote either to accept or reject the Plan and, further, does not opt out of granting the Non-GUC Releases; or (5) votes to reject the Plan and opts in to grant the Non-GUC Releases; and (e) Representatives of each Person in the foregoing clauses (a), (b), (c), and (d), in each case, solely in their respective capacities as such.

"<u>Released Claims</u>" means any and all Claims and Causes of Action arising at any time prior to or on the Effective Date and relating in any way to the Debtors (whether as the Debtors existed prior to the Petition Date or as debtors-in-possession), the Estates, the Debtors' business, or the Chapter 11 Cases or related foreign recognition proceedings, including, without limitation, any and every Cause of Action, including any and every Claim and action, class action, crossclaim, counterclaim, third-party Claim, controversy, dispute, demand, right, lien, indemnity, contribution, right of subrogation, reimbursement, guaranty, suit, obligation, liability, debt, damage, judgment, loss, cost, attorneys' fees and expenses, account, defense, remedy, offset, power, privilege, license, or franchise, in each case, of any kind, character, or nature whatsoever, asserted or unmatured, suspected or unsuspected, liquidated or unliquidated, disputed or undisputed, foreseen or unforeseen, direct or indirect, choate or inchoate, Secured or unsecured, Allowed, Disallowed, or Disputed, assertible directly or derivatively (including, without limitation,



under alter-ego theories), in rem, quasi in rem, in personam, or otherwise, whether arising before, on, or after the Petition Date, whether arising under federal statutory law, state statutory law, common law, or any other applicable international, foreign, or domestic law, rule, statute, regulation, treaty, right, duty, requirement, or otherwise, in contract or in tort, at law, in equity, or pursuant to any other theory or principle of law, including fraud, negligence, gross negligence, recklessness, reckless disregard, deliberate ignorance, public or private nuisance, breach of fiduciary duty, avoidance (other than any Specified Avoidance Action), willful misconduct, veil piercing, unjust enrichment, disgorgement, restitution, contribution, indemnification, rights of subrogation, and joint liability, regardless of where in the world accrued or arising, including, for the avoidance of doubt, (a) any Cause of Action held by a natural person who is not yet born or who has not yet attained majority as of the Petition Date or as of the Effective Date, as applicable: (b) any right of setoff, counterclaim, or recoupment, and any Cause of Action for breach of contract or for breach of duty imposed by law or in equity; (c) the right to object to or otherwise contest Claims or Interests; (d) any Cause of Action pursuant to section 362 of the Bankruptcy Code or chapter 5 of the Bankruptcy Code; (e) any claim or defense, including fraud, mistake, duress and usury, and any other defense set forth in section 558 of the Bankruptcy Code; and (f) any claim under any federal, state, or foreign law, including for the recovery of any fraudulent transfer or similar theory (other than any Specified Avoidance Action) arising at any time prior to or on the Effective Date and relating in any way to the Debtors (whether as the Debtors existed prior to the Petition Date or as debtors-in-possession), the Estates, the Debtors' business, the Chapter 11 Cases, or foreign recognition proceedings relating to the Chapter 11 Cases, including, without limitation, any and all Claims and Causes of Action based on or relating to, or in any manner arising from, in whole or in part: (i) Opioids, Opioid Products, Canadian Opioid Products, and Opioid-Related Activities; (ii) the Debtors' use of Cash in accordance with the Cash Collateral Order; (iii) any Avoidance Actions that are not Specified Avoidance Actions (for the avoidance of doubt, Specified Avoidance Actions shall not be Released Claims); (iv) the negotiation, formulation, preparation, dissemination, filing, or implementation of, prior to the Effective Date, the Sale Process, the Bidding Procedures Order, the Plan, the Plan Transaction, the Plan Documents, the Transaction Steps Order, the Plan Settlements, the Trusts, the Trust Documents, the Opioid School District Recovery Trust Governing Documents, the U.S. Government Resolution Documents, the Exit Financing Documents, the Rights Offering Documents, the RSA, the Restructuring Transactions, the India Internal Reorganization, the Scheme, the Scheme Circular, and any contract, instrument, release, or any other similar document or agreement entered into in connection with the foregoing or any transactions or other actions or omissions contemplated thereby; (v) the administration and implementation of the Plan, including the Restructuring Transactions, the Exit Financing, the Rights Offerings and the Backstop Commitment Agreements. the Plan Transaction, and the Plan Settlements, the issuance or distribution of equity and/or debt securities and/or indebtedness in connection therewith or with the Plan, and any other transactions, actions, omissions, or documents contemplated thereby or by the Plan; (vi) the establishment and funding of the Trusts, the implementation of the Plan Settlements, and any other actions taken in connection therewith or contemplated thereby; and (vii) any other act or omission, transaction, agreement, event, or other occurrence or circumstance taking place on or before the Effective Date related or relating to any of the foregoing. For the avoidance of doubt, "Released Claims" shall not include any (1) Claims or Causes of Action against any Excluded Party or, solely with respect to the GUC Releasing Parties, any GUC Excluded Party; or (2) GUC Trust Litigation Claims.



"<u>Specified Opioid Claimant Releasing Parties</u>" means (a) the PPOC Trust; (b) each PPOC Sub-Trust; (c) each Present Private Opioid Claimant; (d) the Future PI Trust; (e) each Future PI Claimant; (f) the Canadian Provinces Trust; (g) each Canadian Province; (h) each Canadian First Nation; (i) each Canadian Municipality; and (j) each Public School District Creditor, in each case, that grants or is deemed to grant, as applicable, the Non-GUC Releases, solely in their respective capacities as such.

#### **ARTICLE X**

## **RELEASE, EXCULPATION, AND INJUNCTION PROVISIONS**

#### A. Settlements

## 1. <u>Section 10.1</u>. Compromise and Settlement of Claims, Interests, and Controversies

Pursuant to sections 363 and 1123 of the Bankruptcy Code and Bankruptcy Rule 9019, and in consideration for the distributions and other benefits provided pursuant to the Plan, the provisions of the Plan shall constitute a good faith compromise of (a) all Released Claims; and (b) all Claims, Interests, and controversies relating to the contractual, legal, and subordination rights that a holder of a Claim or Interest may have with respect to any Allowed Claim or Interest, or any Distribution to be made on account of such Allowed Claim or Interest. The entry of the Confirmation Order shall constitute the Bankruptcy Court's approval of the compromise or settlement of all such Claims, Interests, and controversies, as well as a finding by the Bankruptcy Court that such compromise or settlement is in the best interests of the Debtors, their Estates, and holders of Claims and Interests, and is fair, equitable, and reasonable. In accordance with the provisions of the Plan, pursuant to sections 363 and 1123 of the Bankruptcy Code and Bankruptcy Rule 9019, without any further notice to or action, order, or approval of the Bankruptcy Court, after the Effective Date, the Post-Emergence Entities may compromise and settle Claims against them and Causes of Action against other Persons.

## B. Debtor, Non-GUC, and GUC Releases

#### 1. Section 10.2. Debtor Releases

(a) Notwithstanding anything contained in the Plan to the contrary, pursuant to section 1123(b) of the Bankruptcy Code, for good and valuable consideration, on and after the Effective Date, the Debtors, their Estates, and the Post-Emergence Entities are deemed to have conclusively, absolutely, unconditionally, irrevocably, and forever released and discharged each Debtor Released Party from any and all Released Claims. Notwithstanding anything in the Plan to the contrary, the Debtor Releases do not release any post-Effective Date obligations of any Person or Entity under the Plan, any Plan Document, the Plan Transaction, any Restructuring Transaction, or any document, instrument, or agreement executed to implement the Plan and the Plan Transaction, and shall not result in a release, waiver, or discharge of any Indemnification Obligations assumed by the Purchaser Entities as set forth in the Plan; provided, however, that, nothing in Section 10.2 of the Plan shall be construed to release (i) the GUC Trust Litigation



Claims; or (ii) any Person or Entity from a claim for intentional fraud or willful misconduct, in each case, as determined by a Final Order.

(b) Entry of the Confirmation Order shall constitute the Bankruptcy Court's approval, pursuant to Bankruptcy Rule 9019, of the Debtor Releases and, further, shall constitute the Bankruptcy Court's finding that the Debtor Releases are: (i) in exchange for the good and valuable consideration provided by the Debtor Released Parties, including, without limitation, the Debtor Released Parties' contributions to facilitating the Debtors' restructuring and the implementation of the Plan; (ii) a good faith settlement and compromise of the Released Claims; (iii) in the best interests of the Debtors, their Estates, and all holders of Claims and Interests; (iv) fair, equitable, and reasonable; (v) given and made after due notice and opportunity for hearing; and (vi) a bar to any of the Debtors, their Estates, or the Post-Emergence Entities asserting any Released Claim.

(c) In addition to the foregoing Debtor Releases, the Debtors shall release the applicable Claims against the Settling Co-Defendants set forth in, and in accordance with the terms of, the mutual releases by the Debtors, their Estates, and the Post-Emergence Entities, on the one hand, and the Settling Co-Defendants, on the other hand, in each case, as set forth in the DMP Stipulation. For the avoidance of doubt, any Releases with respect to Settling Co-Defendants shall be subject to the terms of the DMP Stipulation.

#### 2. <u>Section 10.3.</u> Non-GUC Releases

(a) Notwithstanding anything contained in the Plan to the contrary, as of the Effective Date, and to the fullest extent allowed by applicable law, each Non-GUC Releasing Party is deemed to have conclusively, absolutely, unconditionally, irrevocably, and forever released and discharged each Non-GUC Released Party from any and all Released Claims. For the avoidance of doubt, no Non-GUC Releasing Party shall release any Excluded Party (including, solely with respect to any Non-GUC Release granted by any Specified Opioid Claimant Releasing Party, any Additional Opioid Excluded Parties).

(b) For the avoidance of doubt and without limitation of the foregoing, each holder of a State Opioid Claim and each holder of a Tribal Opioid Claim that (i) is a governmental unit (as defined in section 101(27) of the Bankruptcy Code) or a Tribe; and (ii) grants or is deemed to grant, as applicable, the Non-GUC Releases shall, in each case, be deemed to have released all Released Claims that have been asserted or are, or have been, assertible by (1) such governmental unit (as defined in section 101(27) of the Bankruptcy Code) or Tribe in its own right, in its parens patriae or sovereign enforcement capacity, or on behalf, or in the name, of another Person; or (2) any other governmental official, employee, agent, or Representative acting or purporting to act in a parens patriae, sovereign enforcement, or quasi-sovereign enforcement capacity, or any other capacity, on behalf of such governmental unit (as defined in section 101(27) of the Bankruptcy Code) or Tribe.

(c) Notwithstanding anything contained in the Plan to the contrary, pursuant to section 1123(b) of the Bankruptcy Code, for good and valuable consideration, on and after the Effective Date, the Non-GUC Releasing Parties are deemed to have conclusively, absolutely, unconditionally, irrevocably, and forever released and discharged each Non-GUC Released Party from any and all Released Claims. Notwithstanding anything in the Plan to the contrary, the Non-



GUC Releases do not release (i) any Excluded Party; (ii) any post-Effective Date obligations of any Person or Entity under the Plan, any Plan Document, the Plan Transaction, any Restructuring Transaction, or any document, instrument, or agreement executed to implement the Plan and the Plan Transaction, and shall not result in a release, waiver, or discharge of any Indemnification Obligations assumed by the Purchaser Entities as set forth in the Plan; (iii) any GUC Trust Litigation Claim; (iv) any Person or Entity from a claim for intentional fraud or willful misconduct as determined by a Final Order; (v) with respect to the States, (1) any Regulatory Approval process required by the States (including their respective State agencies) in connection with the Plan Transaction; (2) any criminal action or criminal proceeding arising under a criminal provision of any State statute or law by a governmental entity that has authority to bring a criminal action or proceeding or to adjudicate a Person's guilt or to set a convicted Person's punishment; or (3) any Claims or Causes of Action against (x) any Excluded Party; or (y) any party identified in clauses (j) or (1) of the definition of "Non-GUC Released Parties," in their capacities as such (and, solely with respect to such parties, any party identified in clauses (m) or (n) of the definition of "Non-GUC Released Parties"); provided, that, for the avoidance of doubt, the States shall not release any VOI-Specific Post-Emergence Entities of any Claims or Causes of Action relating to such entities' (A) compliance with the Voluntary Opioid Operating Injunction; and (B) acts occurring after the Effective Date; and (vi) with respect to the Canadian Provinces, (1) any Regulatory Approval process required by the Canadian Provinces (including their respective agencies) in connection with the Plan Transaction; (2) any criminal action or criminal proceeding arising under a criminal provision of any statute or law by a Governmental Authority that has authority to bring a criminal action or proceeding or to adjudicate a person's guilt or to set a convicted person's punishment; (3) any Claims or Causes of Action against any Excluded Party; or (4) the ability of each of the Canadian Provinces to legislate, regulate, or administer and enforce federal, provincial, or territorial legislation (including regulations) such as the Criminal Code, Food and Drugs Act, and the Controlled Drugs and Substances Act (provided, that, such activity does not seek to recover civil damages, civil restitution, or other relief of the kind that was sought or could have been sought in the Canadian Provinces Class Action or in the Canadian Provinces McKinsey Action).

(d) Entry of the Confirmation Order shall constitute the Bankruptcy Court's approval, pursuant to Bankruptcy Rule 9019, of the Non-GUC Releases and, further, shall constitute the Bankruptcy Court's finding that the Non-GUC Releases are: (i) essential to the Confirmation of the Plan; (ii) consensually given in exchange for the good and valuable consideration provided by the Non-GUC Released Parties, including, without limitation, the Non-GUC Released Parties' contributions to facilitating the restructuring and implementation of the Plan and the Plan Transaction; (iii) a good faith settlement and compromise of the Released Claims; (iv) in the best interests of the Debtors and their Estates; (v) fair, equitable, and reasonable; (vi) given and made after due notice and opportunity for hearing; and (vii) a bar to any of the Non-GUC Releasing Parties asserting any Released Claim.

#### 3. <u>Section 10.4</u>. GUC Releases

(a) Notwithstanding anything contained in the Plan to the contrary, pursuant to section 1123(b) of the Bankruptcy Code, for good and valuable consideration, on and after the Effective Date, the GUC Releasing Parties are deemed to have conclusively, absolutely, unconditionally, irrevocably, and forever released and discharged each GUC Released Party from any and all Released Claims. Notwithstanding anything in the Plan to the contrary, (i) the GUC



Releases do not release any (1) post-Effective Date obligations of any Person or Entity under the Plan, any Plan Document, the Plan Transaction, any Restructuring Transaction, or any document, instrument, or agreement executed to implement the Plan and the Plan Transaction, and shall not result in a release, waiver, or discharge of any Indemnification Obligations assumed by the Purchaser Entities as set forth in the Plan; (2) GUC Trust Litigation Claim; or (3) Person or Entity from a claim for intentional fraud or willful misconduct as determined by a Final Order; (ii) none of the GUC Releasing Parties release or shall be deemed to release any GUC Trust Litigation Claim (and such Claims and Causes of Action are preserved, in each case, subject to the Covenant Not To Collect); and (iii) the Covenant Not To Collect shall be binding on any transferee, successor, or assign in connection with any transfer, pledge, sale, hypothecation, assignment, or other disposal of Claims solely against the Excluded D&O Parties, and the failure of any recipient of any Claims solely against any Excluded D&O Party to agree to such covenant shall render any such transfer, pledge, sale, hypothecation, assignment, or other disposal of Claims void ab initio. The Excluded D&O Parties are third-party beneficiaries with rights of enforcement with respect to the Covenant Not To Collect. For the avoidance of doubt, no GUC Releasing Party shall release or be deemed to release any GUC Trust Litigation Claims.

Upon granting or being deemed to grant, as applicable, the GUC Releases, the GUC **(b)** Releasing Parties shall be deemed to covenant (the "Covenant Not To Collect") that (a) any recovery by the GUC Trust or any other GUC Releasing Party on account of any Claim or Cause of Action, direct or indirect, against an Excluded D&O Party including, in each case, by way of settlement or judgment, shall be satisfied solely by and to the extent of the proceeds of the GUC Trust D&O Insurance Policies; (b) any party, including any GUC Trustee or Trustee of a Distribution Sub-Trust and all other GUC Releasing Parties, seeking to execute, garnish, or otherwise attempt to collect on any settlement of or judgment on account of Claims or Causes of Action against Excluded D&O Parties shall do so solely upon available insurance coverage, if any, from the GUC Trust D&O Insurance Policies; and (c) the GUC Releasing Parties shall not otherwise attempt to collect, directly or indirectly, from the personal assets of any Excluded D&O Party. The Covenant Not To Collect shall be binding on any transferee, successor, or assign in connection with any transfer, pledge, sale, hypothecation, assignment, or other disposal of Claims or Causes of Action against the Excluded D&O Parties and, in connection with any such transfer. the failure of a transferee to agree to the Covenant Not To Collect shall render such transfer void ab initio. Each of the Excluded D&O Parties are express third-party beneficiaries of this Covenant Not To Collect.

(c) Entry of the Confirmation Order shall constitute the Bankruptcy Court's approval, pursuant to Bankruptcy Rule 9019, of the GUC Releases and, further, shall constitute the Bankruptcy Court's finding that the GUC Releases are: (i) in exchange for the good and valuable consideration provided by the GUC Released Parties, including, without limitation, the GUC Released Parties' contributions to facilitating the Debtors' restructuring and the implementation of the Plan; (ii) a good faith settlement and compromise of the Released Claims; (iii) in the best interests of the Debtors, their Estates, and all holders of Claims and Interests; (iv) fair, equitable,



and reasonable; (v) given and made after due notice and opportunity for hearing; and (vi) a bar to any GUC Releasing Party asserting any Released Claim.

## 4. <u>Section 10.5</u>. Effect of Releases to Holders of Trust Channeled Claims

(a) Holders of Trust Channeled Claims shall have the option to grant or opt out of granting, as applicable, the Non-GUC Releases or the GUC Releases, as applicable.

(b) In addition to the amount of any Distribution to be provided by a Trust to a holder of an Allowed Trust Channeled Claim (other than a (i) Canadian Provinces Claim; (ii) State Opioid Claim; or (iii) Tribal Opioid Claim) that is a Non-GUC Releasing Party or a GUC Releasing Party, as applicable, such Non-GUC Releasing Party or GUC Releasing Party, as applicable, shall receive an additional payment in exchange for granting or being deemed to grant, as applicable, the Non-GUC Releases or the GUC Releases, as applicable.

#### C. Exculpations and Injunction

#### 1. <u>Section 10.6</u>. Exculpation

(a) Notwithstanding anything contained in the Plan to the contrary, and to the maximum extent permitted by applicable law, no Exculpated Party shall have or incur liability for, and each Exculpated Party is released and exculpated from, any Exculpated Claim, obligation, Cause of Action or liability for any Exculpated Claim, except for gross negligence, intentional fraud, or willful misconduct (to the extent such duty is imposed by applicable non-bankruptcy law), but in all respects such Persons shall be entitled to reasonably rely upon the advice of counsel with respect to their duties and responsibilities pursuant to the Plan. For the avoidance of doubt, this exculpation shall be in addition to, and not in limitation of, the Releases and all other releases, indemnities (including the Indemnification Obligations), exculpations, and any other applicable law or rules protecting such Exculpated Parties from liability. For the avoidance of doubt, the Debtors, their Estates, and the Post-Emergence Entities are not (i) exculpating any (1) Excluded Party; (2) TPG Party; (3) Insurance Advisor Party; (4) Additional Advisor Excluded Party; or (5) Additional Third-Party Excluded Party; or (ii) releasing any GUC Trust Litigation Claims.

(b) The Exculpated Parties have, and upon Confirmation of the Plan shall be deemed to have, participated in good faith and in compliance with the applicable laws and provisions of the Bankruptcy Code with regard to the solicitation of votes on, and Distribution of consideration (including securities) pursuant to, the Plan and, therefore, are not, and on account of such Distributions shall not be, liable at any time for the violation of any applicable law, rule, or regulation governing the solicitation of acceptances or rejections of the Plan or such Distributions made pursuant to the Plan, including, in each case, any Distribution made by any Trust in accordance with the Plan and the applicable Trust Documents. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary in the foregoing, the exculpation set forth above does not release or exculpate any claim relating to any post-Effective Date obligations of any Person under the Plan, any Restructuring



Transaction, the Plan Transaction, or any Plan Document or other document, instrument, or agreement executed to implement the Plan.

#### 2. <u>Section 10.7</u>. Discharge of Claims and Termination of Interests

Pursuant to section 1141(d) of the Bankruptcy Code, and except as otherwise specifically provided in the Plan, the Distributions, rights, and treatment that are provided in the Plan shall be in full and final satisfaction, settlement, release, and discharge to the fullest extent permitted by section 1141 of the Bankruptcy Code, effective as of the Effective Date, of all Claims, Interests, and Causes of Action of any nature whatsoever, including any interest accrued on Claims or Interests from and after the Petition Date, whether known or unknown, against the Debtors or the Debtors' Estates or any of their Assets or properties, regardless of whether any property shall have been distributed or retained pursuant to the Plan on account of such Claims and Interests, including demands, liabilities, and Causes of Action that arose before the Effective Date, any contingent or non-contingent liability on account of representations or warranties issued on or before the Effective Date, and all debts of the kind specified in sections 502(g), 502(h), or 502(i) of the Bankruptcy Code, in each case whether or not: (a) a Proof of Claim or Interest based upon such Claim, debt, right, or Interest is filed or deemed filed pursuant to section 501 of the Bankruptcy Code; (b) a Claim or Interest based upon such Claim, debt, right, or Interest is Allowed pursuant to section 502 of the Bankruptcy Code; (c) the holder of such a Claim or Interest has voted to accept the Plan; or (d) the holder of such Claim or Interest has voted or failed to vote to accept or reject the Plan. All Claims and Interests shall be satisfied, discharged, and released in full, and the Debtors' liability with respect thereto shall be extinguished completely, including any liability of the kind specified under section 502(g) of the Bankruptcy Code. All Entities shall be precluded from asserting any Claims against the Debtors, their Estates, the Post-Emergence Entities, their respective successors and assigns, and their respective Assets and properties, and any other Claims or Interests based upon any documents, instruments, or any act of omission, transaction, or other activity of any kind or nature that occurred prior to the Effective Date. The Confirmation Order shall be a judicial determination (i) of the discharge of all Claims and Interests, subject to the Effective Date; and (ii) that no Claims shall be excepted from discharge under section 1141(d)(6) of the Bankruptcy Code.

#### 3. <u>Section 10.8</u>. Plan Injunction

EXCEPT AS OTHERWISE EXPRESSLY PROVIDED IN THE PLAN, THE PLAN SUPPLEMENT, ANY OTHER PLAN DOCUMENT, OR ANY OTHER RELATED DOCUMENTS, OR FOR OBLIGATIONS ISSUED PURSUANT TO THE PLAN, ALL PERSONS WHO HAVE HELD, HOLD, OR MAY HOLD CLAIMS OR INTERESTS THAT HAVE BEEN RELEASED PURSUANT TO <u>ARTICLE X</u> OF THE PLAN, DISCHARGED PURSUANT TO <u>SECTION 10.7</u> OF THE PLAN, OR ARE SUBJECT TO EXCULPATION PURSUANT TO <u>SECTION 10.6</u> OF THE PLAN, ARE PERMANENTLY ENJOINED, FROM AND AFTER THE EFFECTIVE DATE, FROM TAKING ANY OF THE FOLLOWING ACTIONS AGAINST THE RELEASED PARTIES, INCLUDING, FOR THE AVOIDANCE OF DOUBT, IN EACH CASE, THE DEBTORS, THEIR ESTATES, THE POST-EMERGENCE ENTITIES, AND ANY OF THEIR ASSETS, AND THE EXCULPATED PARTIES, AS APPLICABLE: (A) COMMENCING OR CONTINUING IN ANY MANNER OR IN ANY PLACE ANY ACTION, EMPLOYMENT



OF PROCESS, OR OTHER PROCEEDING OF ANY KIND ON ACCOUNT OF OR IN CONNECTION WITH OR WITH RESPECT TO ANY SUCH CLAIMS OR INTERESTS; (B) ENFORCING, ATTACHING, COLLECTING, OR RECOVERING BY ANY MANNER OR MEANS ANY JUDGMENT, AWARD, DECREE, OR ORDER AGAINST SUCH PERSONS ON ACCOUNT OF OR IN CONNECTION WITH OR WITH RESPECT TO ANY SUCH CLAIMS OR INTERESTS; (C) CREATING, PERFECTING, OR ENFORCING ANY LIEN OR ENCUMBRANCE OF ANY KIND AGAINST SUCH PERSONS OR THE PROPERTY OR ESTATES OF SUCH PERSONS ON ACCOUNT OF OR IN CONNECTION WITH OR WITH RESPECT TO ANY SUCH CLAIMS OR INTERESTS; AND (D) ASSERTING A SETOFF, RIGHT OF SUBROGATION, OR RECOUPMENT OF ANY KIND AGAINST ANY DEBT, LIABILITY, OR OBLIGATION DUE TO THE DEBTORS ON ACCOUNT OF OR IN CONNECTION WITH OR WITH RESPECT TO ANY SUCH CLAIMS OR INTERESTS, EXCEPT AS SET FORTH IN NOTWITHSTANDING ANYTHING TO THE SECTION 10.9 OF THE PLAN. CONTRARY IN THE PLAN, SECTION 10.8 OF THE PLAN SHALL NOT ENJOIN THE GUC TRUST'S PURSUIT OF ANY GUC TRUST LITIGATION CLAIMS.

## 4. <u>Section 10.9</u>. Channeling Injunction

(a) In order to preserve and promote the resolutions contemplated by and provided for in the Plan and to supplement, where necessary, the injunctive effect of the Plan Injunction and the releases set forth in Article X of the Plan, and pursuant to the exercise of the equitable jurisdiction and power of the Bankruptcy Court under section 105(a) of the Bankruptcy Code, upon the channeling of the Trust Channeled Claims, all Persons that have held or asserted, that hold or assert or that may in the future hold or assert any Trust Channeled Claim shall be (x) deemed to release any Trust Channeled Claims held by such Persons against the Debtors and the Post-Emergence Entities; and (y) permanently and forever stayed, restrained and enjoined from taking any action for the purpose of directly or indirectly collecting, recovering or receiving payments, satisfaction, recovery or judgment of any form from or against any of the Debtors or Post-Emergence Entities, as applicable, with respect to any Trust Channeled Claim, including:

(i) commencing, conducting, or continuing, in any manner, whether directly or indirectly, any suit, action, or other proceeding, in each case, of any kind, character or nature, in any forum in any jurisdiction with respect to any Trust Channeled Claims, against or affecting any of the Debtors or the Post-Emergence Entities, as applicable, or any property or interests in property of any of the Debtors or the Post-Emergence Entities, as applicable, with respect to any Trust Channeled Claims;

(ii) enforcing, levying, attaching, collecting, or otherwise recovering, by any means or in any manner, either directly or indirectly, any judgment, award, decree, or other order against any of the Debtors or the Post-Emergence Entities, as applicable, with respect to any Trust Channeled Claims;

(iii) creating, perfecting, or enforcing, by any means or in any manner, whether directly or indirectly, any Lien of any kind against any of the Debtors or the Post-Emergence Entities, as applicable, or the property of any of the Debtors or the Post-



Emergence Entities, as applicable, in each case, with respect to any Trust Channeled Claims;

(iv) asserting or accomplishing any setoff, right of subrogation, indemnity, contribution, or recoupment of any kind, whether directly or indirectly, in respect of any obligation due to any of the Debtors or Post-Emergence Entities, as applicable, or against the property of any of the Debtors or the Post-Emergence Entities, as applicable, in each case, with respect to Trust Channeled Claims; and

(v) taking any act, by any means or in any manner, in any place whatsoever, that does not conform to, or comply with, the provisions of the Plan or any Plan Document (including, for the avoidance of doubt, any Trust Document) with respect to any Trust Channeled Claims.

(b) Notwithstanding anything to the contrary in Section 10.9 of the Plan or the Confirmation Order, this Channeling Injunction shall not stay, restrain, bar, or enjoin:

(i) the rights of holders of Trust Channeled Claims to the treatment afforded to them under the Plan and the Plan Documents, including the rights of holders of Trust Channeled Claims to assert such Trust Channeled Claims solely in accordance with the Plan and the Trust Documents;

(ii) the rights of Persons to assert any Claim, debt, litigation, or liability for payment of Trust Operating Expenses against the applicable Trust;

(iii) the rights of any Person to assert any Claim, Cause of Action, debt, or litigation against any Excluded Party;

(iv) the rights of the GUC Trust to assert any GUC Trust Litigation Claims against any GUC Excluded Party, subject to the Covenant Not To Collect;

(v) the rights of the GUC Trust to pursue and enforce any GUC Trust Litigation Claims, including the GUC Trust Insurance Rights;

(vi) the Distribution Sub-Trusts from enforcing their respective rights against the GUC Trust under the Plan and the GUC Trust Documents;

(vii) the PPOC Trust from enforcing its rights against the Purchaser Entities under the Plan and the PPOC Trust Documents;

(viii) the PPOC Sub-Trusts from enforcing their respective rights against the PPOC Trust under the Plan and the PPOC Trust Documents; or

(ix) the Future PI Trust from enforcing its rights against the Purchaser Entities under the Plan and the Future PI Trust Documents.

(c) There can be no modification, dissolution, or termination of the Channeling Injunction, which shall be a permanent injunction, and nothing in the Plan or any Plan Document



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(including, for the avoidance of doubt, any Trust Document) shall be construed in any way to limit the scope, enforceability, or effectiveness of the Channeling Injunction issued in connection with the Plan. The Debtors' compliance with the requirements of Bankruptcy Rule 3016 shall not constitute an admission that the Plan provides for an injunction against conduct not otherwise enjoined under the Bankruptcy Code.

(d) In the event that any Person takes any action that a Released Party or Exculpated Party, as applicable, believes violates the releases provided in the Plan or the Channeling Injunction as it applies to any Released Party or Exculpated Party, as applicable, such Released Party or Exculpated Party, as applicable, shall be entitled to make an emergency application to the Bankruptcy Court for relief, and may proceed by contested matter rather than by adversary proceeding. The Bankruptcy Court shall have jurisdiction and authority to enter Final Orders in connection with any dispute over whether an action violates the releases provided in the Plan or the Channeling Injunction. Upon determining that such a violation has occurred, the Bankruptcy Court, in its discretion, may award any appropriate relief against such violating Person.

## 5. [Section 10.10. Specified Debtor Insurer Injunction

#### (a) <u>Terms</u>

In accordance with section 105(a) of the Bankruptcy Code, on the Effective Date, all persons that have held or asserted, that hold or assert, or that may in the future hold or assert any Claim based on, arising out of, attributable to, or in any way connected with any GUC Trust Insurance Policy or GUC Trust D&O Insurance Policy (but not, for the avoidance of doubt, any Non-GUC Trust D&O Insurance Policy) shall be permanently enjoined from taking any action for purposes of directly or indirectly collecting, recovering, or receiving payment on account of any such Claim, whether sounding in tort, contract, warranty, or any other theory of law, equity, or admiralty, including:

(i) commencing, conducting, or continuing, in any manner, any action or other proceeding of any kind (including an arbitration or other form of alternate dispute resolution) against any Specified Debtor Insurer, or against the property of any Specified Debtor Insurer, (1) on account of any Claim based on, arising under, or attributable to a GUC Trust Insurance Policy or GUC Trust D&O Insurance Policy; or (2) on account of any rights of any Person under a "direct action" statute to proceed directly against any Specified Debtor Insurer;

(ii) enforcing, attaching, levying, collecting, or otherwise recovering, by any manner or means, any judgment, award, decree, or other order against any Specified Debtor Insurer, or against the property of any Specified Debtor Insurer, on account of any Claim based on, arising under, or attributable to any GUC Trust Insurance Policy or GUC Trust D&O Insurance Policy;

(iii) creating, perfecting, or enforcing, in any manner, any Lien of any kind against any Specified Debtor Insurer, or against the property of any Specified Debtor Insurer, on account of any Claim based on, arising under, or attributable to any GUC Trust Insurance Policy or GUC Trust D&O Insurance Policy;



(iv) asserting or accomplishing any setoff, right of subrogation, indemnity, contribution, or recoupment of any kind, whether directly or indirectly, against any obligation due to any Specified Debtor Insurer, or against the property of any Specified Debtor Insurer, on account of any Claim based on, arising under, or attributable to any GUC Trust Insurance Policy or GUC Trust D&O Insurance Policy; and

(v) taking any act, in any manner, in any place whatsoever, that does not conform to, or comply with, the provisions of the Plan applicable to any Claim based on, arising under, or attributable to any GUC Trust Insurance Policy or GUC Trust D&O Insurance Policy.

#### (b) <u>Reservations</u>

Notwithstanding anything to the contrary in Section 10.10(a) of the Plan, the provisions of the Specified Debtor Insurer Injunction:

(i) shall not (1) preclude the GUC Trust from pursuing any Claim based on, arising under, or attributable to any GUC Trust Insurance Policy or GUC Trust D&O Insurance Policy, or any other Claim that may exist under any GUC Trust Insurance Policy or GUC Trust D&O Insurance Policy against any Specified Debtor Insurer; or (2) enjoin the rights of the GUC Trust to prosecute any action based on or arising from the GUC Trust Insurance Policies or GUC Trust D&O Insurance Policies or the rights of the GUC Trust to assert any Claim, debt, obligation, Cause of Action for liability for payment against a Specified Debtor Insurer based on or arising from the GUC Trust Insurance Policies, in all cases, including GUC Trust Litigation Claims;

(ii) are not issued for the benefit of any Specified Debtor Insurer, and no such insurer is a third-party beneficiary of this Specified Debtor Insurer Injunction; provided, that, this Specified Debtor Insurer Injunction shall not enjoin, impair or affect any Claims between or among unsettled Specified Debtor Insurers;

(iii) shall not apply to any D&O Insured Person with respect to such D&O Insured Person's coverage under any GUC Trust D&O Insurance Policy; and

(iv) shall be subject in all respects to the terms of the DMP Stipulation.

(c) For the avoidance of doubt, Section 10.10 of the Plan shall not apply with respect to any Non-GUC Trust Insurance Policy, including any Non-GUC Trust D&O Insurance Policy, and no amendment to, or modification of, nor any proposed amendment to nor modification of, the Specified Debtor Insurer Injunction shall adversely impact (i) any Non-GUC Trust Insurance Policy; or (ii) the rights of any D&O Insured Person with respect to such D&O Insured Person's coverage under any Debtor Insurance Policy (including, for the avoidance of doubt, the GUC Trust Insurance Policies, the GUC Trust D&O Insurance Policies, and the Non-GUC Trust Insurance Policies).

(d) The GUC Trust shall have the sole and exclusive authority at any time, upon written notice to any insurer under any of the GUC Trust Insurance Policies or GUC Trust D&O Insurance Policies, to terminate, reduce or limit the scope of this Specified Debtor Insurer Injunction with



respect to any Specified Debtor Insurer; provided, however, that, no modification shall affect the rights of any D&O Insured Person with respect to such D&O Insured Person's coverage under any Debtor Insurance Policy (including, for the avoidance of doubt, the GUC Trust Insurance Policies, the GUC Trust D&O Insurance Policies, and the Non-GUC Trust Insurance Policies).]<sup>4</sup>

## 6. Section 10.11. Voluntary Opioid Operating Injunction.

(a) From and after the date of entry of the Confirmation Order approving the Voluntary Opioid Operating Injunction, the business operations of the VOI-Specific Debtors and/or VOI-Specific Post-Emergence Entities, as applicable, and the business operations of any successors of either of the foregoing, in each case, relating solely to the manufacture and sale of VOI Opioid Products in the States and Territories shall be subject to the terms of the Voluntary Opioid Operating Injunction.

(b) The VOI-Specific Debtors and VOI-Specific Post-Emergence Entities, as applicable, consent to the entry of a final judgment or consent order on the Effective Date effectuating all of the provisions of the Voluntary Opioid Operating Injunction in the state court in each of the Supporting Governmental Entities.

(c) After the Effective Date, the Voluntary Opioid Operating Injunction will be enforceable in the state court in each of the Supporting Governmental Entities. The VOI-Specific Debtors and VOI-Specific Post-Emergence Entities agree that seeking entry or enforcement of such a final judgment or consent order will not violate any other injunctions or stays that it will seek, or that may otherwise apply, in connection with the Chapter 11 Cases or Confirmation.

## 7. <u>Section 10.12</u>. Term of Injunctions or Stays.

Unless otherwise provided in the Plan or in the Confirmation Order, all injunctions or stays in effect in the Chapter 11 Cases pursuant to sections 105 or 362 of the Bankruptcy Code or any order of the Bankruptcy Court, and extant on the Confirmation Date (excluding any injunctions or stays contained in the Plan or the Confirmation Order) shall remain in full force and effect until the Effective Date. All injunctions or stays contained in the Plan or the Confirmation Order shall remain in full force and effect in accordance with their terms.



<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> Note to Draft: under consideration.

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# UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

In re

ENDO INTERNATIONAL plc, et al.,

Debtors.<sup>1</sup>

Chapter 11

Case No. 22-22549 (JLG)

(Jointly Administered)

# **COVER LETTER AND RECOMMENDATION OF THE DEBTORS**

## To: All Holders of Claims in Voting Classes

You are receiving this letter (the "<u>Solicitation Cover Letter</u>") because you are a holder of a Claim<sup>2</sup> in one or more of the following Classes (collectively, the "<u>Voting Classes</u>") as set forth in the *Second Amended Joint Chapter 11 Plan of Reorganization of Endo International plc and its Affiliated Debtors* [Docket No. 3535] (together with all schedules and exhibits thereto, and as may be modified, amended, or supplemented from time to time, the "<u>Plan</u>"):

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> The last four digits of Debtor Endo International plc's tax identification number are 3755. Due to the large number of debtors in these chapter 11 cases, a complete list of the debtor entities and the last four digits of their federal tax identification numbers is not provided herein. A complete list of such information may be obtained on the website of the Debtors' claims and noticing agent at https://restructuring.ra.kroll.com/Endo. The location of the Debtors' service address for purposes of these chapter 11 cases is: 1400 Atwater Dr, Malvern PA 19355.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Capitalized terms used but not otherwise defined herein shall have the meaning ascribed to such terms in the Plan, Disclosure Statement, Disclosure Statement Order (each as defined herein), or the Solicitation and Voting Procedures (as defined in the Disclosure Statement Order), as applicable.

Voting Classes		
Class	Claim	
3	First Lien Claims	
4(A)	Second Lien Deficiency and Unsecured Notes Claims	
4(B)	Other General Unsecured Claims	
4(C)	Mesh Claims	
4(D)	Ranitidine Claims	
4(E)	Generics Price Fixing Claims	
4(F)	Reverse Payment Claims	
5	U.S. Government Claims	
6(A)	State Opioid Claims	
6(B)	Local Government Opioid Claims	
6(C)	Tribal Opioid Claims	
7(A)	PI Opioid Claims	
7(B)	NAS PI Claims	
7(C)	Hospital Opioid Claims	
7(D)	TPP Claims	
7(E)	IERP II Claims	
8	Public School District Claims	
9	Canadian Provinces Claims	
10	Settling Co-Defendant Claims	
11	Other Opioid Claims	
12	EFBD Claims	

As a member of a Voting Class, you are entitled to vote to accept or reject the Plan, or may abstain from voting on the Plan, and make an election with respect to certain releases contained in Article X of the Plan. *Therefore, you should read this Solicitation Cover Letter and the enclosed materials carefully and discuss them with your attorney. If you do not have an attorney, you may wish to consult one.* 

This Solicitation Cover Letter is part of your Solicitation Package, which was approved by the Bankruptcy Court for distribution to holders of Claims in connection with the solicitation of votes to accept or reject the Plan. You may access the solicitation Digital Package") by visiting (the "Voting Class materials https://restructuring.ra.kroll.com/endo/ (the "Case Website") and clicking "Solicitation Materials" located within the "Quick Links" section of the site's left-hand navigation panel (the "Solicitation Materials Webpage"). You may also directly access the Solicitation Materials Webpage by using the QR code on the last page of this Solicitation Letter.<sup>3</sup> Additionally, you may access these materials for a fee via PACER at https://www.nysb.uscourts.gov/. Please review these materials carefully and follow the instructions contained therein. The Solicitation Materials Webpage contains the following documents:

> A. The Order (I) Scheduling a Combined Hearing for Approval of the Disclosure Statement and Confirmation of the Plan; (II) Conditionally

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> The QR code can be scanned using the camera on any smartphone or tablet capable of accessing the internet and will automatically take you to the Solicitation Materials Webpage.

Approving the Adequacy of the Disclosure Statement; (III) Approving (A) Procedures for Solicitation, (B) Forms of Ballots and Notices, (C) Procedures for Tabulation of Votes, and (D) Procedures for Objections; and (IV) Granting Related Relief [Docket No. 3549] (the "Disclosure Statement Order"), as entered by the Bankruptcy Court;

- B. The Solicitation and Voting Procedures;
- C. The Disclosure Statement with Respect to the Second Amended Joint Chapter 11 Plan of Reorganization of Endo International plc and its Affiliated Debtors [Docket No. 3554] (the "Disclosure Statement"), as conditionally approved by the Bankruptcy Court (along with the Plan and other exhibits attached thereto);
- D. The Scheme Circular;
- E. Copies of this Solicitation Cover Letter and the Letters in Support (defined below); and
- F. The notice of the Combined Hearing (defined below).

Endo International plc ("<u>Endo Parent</u>") intends to pursue a "scheme of arrangement" under Part 9 of the Irish Companies Act 2014 (the "<u>Scheme</u>") with certain claimants (the "<u>Scheme Creditors</u>"), which will implement certain terms of the Plan in Ireland and affect the rights of Scheme Creditors. The Debtors have prepared a Scheme Circular (the "<u>Scheme Circular</u>"), which has been put before the High Court of Ireland, describing the terms of the Scheme and explaining its effects, including who it applies to, how it interacts with the Plan, and how to vote to approve or reject the Scheme. Votes in respect of the Scheme will be cast at the Scheme Meetings (as defined in the Scheme Circular and the Notice of the Scheme Meetings (as defined in the Scheme Circular and the Notice of the Scheme Meetings (as defined in the Scheme Circular (with the terms of the Scheme, among other documents, appended thereto) can also be accessed using one of the methods set out above to access copies of relevant materials from the Solicitation Materials Webpage. To the extent necessary, this letter should be considered an advertisement within the meaning of section 452(1)(b) of the Irish Companies Act 2014.

Scheme Creditors are only required to vote once in respect of the Plan and the Scheme. Scheme Creditors may vote on both the Plan and the Scheme by duly completing and submitting the applicable Ballot (or having a Master Ballot submitted on its behalf) in accordance with the Solicitation and Voting Procedures.

Additionally, your Ballot for voting, letters from the Committees recommending acceptance of the Plan (collectively, the "Letters in Support"), if applicable, and any additional documents that the Bankruptcy Court has ordered to be included in hard copy format are enclosed in paper format with your Solicitation Package accompanying this Solicitation Cover Letter. Instructions for requesting paper copies of the digital solicitation materials are included on the last page of this letter.

Please note that the hearing at which the Bankruptcy Court will consider the adequacy of the Disclosure Statement on a final basis and Confirmation of the Plan (the "<u>Combined Hearing</u>") will commence on <u>March 19, 2024 at 10:00 a.m. (prevailing Eastern Time)</u> or such other time that the Bankruptcy Court determines, before the Honorable James L. Garrity, Jr., in the United States Bankruptcy Court for the Southern District of New York, located at One Bowling Green, Courtroom 723, New York, New York 10004.

The deadline for filing objections to the Plan or Disclosure Statement is <u>February 22, 2024 at 4:00 p.m. (prevailing Eastern Time)</u> (the "<u>Plan and Disclosure</u> <u>Statement Objection Deadline</u>"). All objections to the relief sought at the Combined Hearing <u>must</u>: (a) be in writing; (b) conform to the Bankruptcy Rules, the Local Rules, and any orders of the Bankruptcy Court; (c) state, with particularity, the legal and factual basis for the objection and, if practicable, a proposed modification to the Plan (or related materials) that would resolve such objection; and (d) be filed with the Bankruptcy Court and served upon the Objection Notice Parties (defined below) so as to be <u>actually received</u> on or before the Plan and Disclosure Statement Objection Deadline.

As set forth in the enclosed Disclosure Statement and accompanying materials, as a result of the Bankruptcy Court-approved Mediation, Endo Parent and its debtor affiliates, as debtors and debtors-in-possession (collectively, the "<u>Debtors</u>") and/or the Ad Hoc First Lien Group were able to negotiate the Plan Settlements with certain parties in interest in the Chapter 11 Cases. The Plan incorporates the Plan Settlements, which consist of multiple resolutions reached through extensive arm's length negotiations conducted through months of Mediation and reflect global consensus among nearly all key stakeholders in these Chapter 11 Cases, including the Committees, the FCR, and the Multi-State Endo Executive Committee, among others.

The Debtors are jointly proposing the Plan, which seeks to (i) resolve the extensive litigation facing the Debtors, (ii) implement the Plan Settlements, and (iii) restructure the Debtors' capital structure in such a way that maximizes recovery to all creditors while ensuring the go-forward business remains a financially strong and competitive enterprise upon emergence. At present, the Debtors believe the Plan is the best option to address the extensive litigation facing the Debtors. The Debtors, therefore, believe that a failure to approve the Plan may cause substantial harm to the Debtors and potentially reduce any recovery you might otherwise receive as a creditor.

The Ad Hoc First Lien Group and the parties to the Plan Settlements support the Plan, and the Debtors strongly recommend that you vote to accept the Plan. The Debtors believe that liquidation under chapter 7 would result in substantially smaller distributions to creditors than those provided for in the Plan, as described in further detail in the Disclosure Statement and the exhibits attached thereto.

The Debtors believe that confirmation and consummation of the Plan is in the best interests of all holders of Claims and Interests and therefore urge that all creditors who are entitled to vote on the Plan do so in favor of the Plan. The Debtors also urge all creditors to review their Ballots carefully regarding the consensual third-party releases contained in Article X of the Plan. By granting the applicable releases, certain creditors may be entitled to an additional payment. If you are a holder of a Claim in Classes 3, 4(A), 4(E)-(F), 6(B)-(C), 7(C)-(D), or 8-10 and fail to submit a Ballot, however, then you will be deemed to consent to grant the applicable releases in each and every capacity in which you hold a Claim against, or Interest in, any of the Debtors. However, if you are a holder of a Claim in Classes 4(B)-(D), 7(A)-(B), 7(E), 11, or 12 and fail to submit a Ballot, you will be deemed to opt out of the applicable releases unless you affirmatively make the election to opt in to grant the applicable releases. If you are a holder of a Trust Channeled Claim (other than a Canadian Provinces Claim, State Opioid Claim, or Tribal Opioid Claim), by granting the applicable third-party releases, you may be entitled to an additional payment from the Trust in exchange for granting the releases. Please be advised that if you are abstaining from voting on the Plan and you are a holder of a Claim in Classes 3, 4(A), 4(E)-(F), 6(B)-(C), 7(C)-(D), or 8-10, you must affirmatively check the appropriate box in your Ballot to opt out of the releases-if you affirmatively opt out of granting the applicable third-party releases and you hold a Claim in Class 4(A), 4(E)-(F) or 7(C)-(D), you will not receive any additional payments. Please be advised that if you are abstaining from voting on the Plan and you are a holder of a Claim in Classes 4(B)-(D), 7(A)-(B), 7(E), 11, or 12, you will be deemed to opt out of the releases unless you affirmatively check the appropriate box in your Ballot to opt in to the releases-if you do not affirmatively opt in to grant the applicable third-party releases, you will not receive any additional payments.

THE DEBTORS BELIEVE THAT CONFIRMATION AND CONSUMMATION OF THE PLAN IS IN THE BEST INTERESTS OF ALL HOLDERS OF CLAIMS AND INTERESTS AND <u>STRONGLY URGE YOU TO VOTE IN FAVOR OF</u> THE PLAN AND SCHEME, IF APPLICABLE.

YOU MAY DO SO BY TIMELY SUBMITTING A BALLOT INDICATING YOUR ACCEPTANCE OF THE PLAN AND SCHEME, IF APPLICABLE, AND YOUR RELEASE ELECTION, IF APPLICABLE, AS EXPLAINED IN THE VOTING INSTRUCTIONS ACCOMPANYING YOUR BALLOT. THE VOTING DEADLINE IS FEBRUARY 22, 2024, AT 4:00 P.M. (PREVAILING EASTERN TIME).

IF THE DEBTORS' PLAN OF REORGANIZATION IS CONFIRMED BY THE BANKRUPTCY COURT AND THE DEBTORS' SCHEME OF ARRANGEMENT IS SANCTIONED BY THE HIGH COURT OF IRELAND, BOTH WILL BIND HOLDERS OF CLAIMS AND INTERESTS REGARDLESS OF WHETHER THEY HAVE VOTED.

If you have any questions about the materials in the Solicitation Package, please feel free to contact the Solicitation Agent by: (a) calling the Solicitation Agent at (877) 542-1878 (U.S./Canada, toll-free) or +1 (929) 284-1688 (International, toll); (b) visiting the Debtors' Case Website at https://restructuring.ra.kroll.com/Endo and contacting the Solicitation Agent via the "Live Chat" feature at the "Info Center" panel of the landing page; (c) contacting the Solicitation Agent by mail at Endo Ballot Processing Center, c/o Kroll Restructuring Administration, LLC, 850 Third Avenue, Suite 412, 75795-01

Brooklyn, NY 11232; or (d) emailing endoinfo@ra.kroll.com. If you are a holder of a Claim in Classes 4(A)-(F) or 10, you may also contact the Creditors' Committee with any questions at EndoCreditorInfo@kramerlevin.com. If you are a holder of a Claim in Classes 6(B)-(C), 7(A)-(E), 8, 9, or 11, you may also contact the Opioid Claimants' Committee with any questions at EndoCreditorInfo@akingump.com.

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YOU CAN ALSO REQUEST, FREE OF CHARGE, PAPER COPIES OF ANY OF THESE MATERIALS BY CONTACTING THE DEBTORS' SOLICITATION AGENT THROUGH ONE OF THE METHODS PROVIDED ABOVE. AS SOON AS REASONABLY PRACTICABLE AFTER RECEIVING SUCH A REQUEST, THE SOLICITATION AGENT WILL PROVIDE YOU WITH THE DOCUMENTATION YOU REQUESTED. 75795-01

Dated: January 25, 2024 New York, New York /s/ Paul D. Leake

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# Tenn. Code Ann. § 12-2-407

Current through the 2023 First Extraordinary Session.

TN - Tennessee Code Annotated > Title 12 Public <u>Property</u>, Printing And Contracts > Chapter 2 Administration and Disposition of State <u>Property</u> > Part 4 State <u>Surplus</u> Personal <u>Property</u> Act of 1976

# 12-2-407. Sale of <u>surplus property</u> to governmental entities and not-for-profit corporations.

(a) The procurement commission shall promulgate regulations governing the transfer of surplus property to such governmental entities and corporations organized and conducted not-for-profit which have been approved as authorized donees under the federal surplus property program. Such regulations shall include, but not be limited to, prices to be set on items of surplus property, restrictions on the resale and the reversion to the state of any profit realized from any such resale. A not-for-profit corporation must first be listed as an authorized donee under the federal surplus property program administered by the department of general services. As the commissioner approves the declaration of property as surplus and assigns it for disposal, the commissioner shall set the price based on the fair market value for each item pursuant to the regulations of the procurement commission. Governmental entities and authorized donees may purchase such items at the price set by the commissioner at such times, as specified by regulations of the procurement commission, prior to the date of disposal by another method. For all surplus property, governmental entities and authorized donees shall retain possession of such property for one (1) year unless disposal is approved by the procurement commission. Transfers of surplus property shall be made at locations designated by the commissioner. Any transfer of motor vehicles, subject to the registration laws of this state, to a governmental entity or authorized donee, shall become null and void, and such property shall revert to the state if such governmental entity or authorized donee does not transfer the registration of title to such motor vehicle to its name within seven (7) days after the sale.

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(1) Notwithstanding any other provisions of law to the contrary, a designated nonprofit contractor or contractors of the department of human services have the first priority to purchase suitable and serviceable passenger motor vehicles which are declared to be <u>surplus</u> pursuant to this part for use by programs which have been or may be established by the department in which persons who are recipients of assistance in the families first program operated pursuant to title 71, chapter 3, part 1, or any successor program, or persons who are transitioning from those programs, are provided the opportunity to purchase such passenger motor vehicles as part of the person's efforts to obtain or maintain employment.

(2) The designated nonprofit contractors designated by the department have first priority to purchase up to fifty percent (50%) of the available estimated yearly supply of the passenger motor vehicles declared as <u>surplus</u> pursuant to this part in fiscal year 2001, and up to twenty-five percent (25%) in each fiscal year thereafter at a price not to exceed the loan value of such vehicles. The price of such vehicles subject to this subsection (b) shall take into consideration the mileage and condition of the vehicle at the time it is offered for purchase.

(3) Upon payment of the purchase price to the department of general services for the passenger motor vehicle, the nonprofit contractor designated by the department of human services shall receive possession of and title to the vehicle from the department of general services for use of the passenger motor vehicle in accordance with the department of human services' assistance program, or any

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successor program, under subdivision (b)(1) and in accordance with the contract between the nonprofit contractor and the department of human services.

# History

Acts 1976, ch. 821, § 7; 1978, ch. 797, § 2; T.C.A., § 12-241; Acts 1981, ch. 319, § 2; 1982, ch. 845, §§ 2, 3; <u>1998</u>, <u>ch. 853, § 2</u>; <u>2000, ch. 875, § 1</u>; <u>2011, ch. 295, § 9(a)</u>, (g), (h); <u>2012, ch. 626, §§ 4</u>, 5.

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Map No.: 043

Parcel No.: 118.03

#### QUITCLAIM DEED

This indenture, made this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2024, between ANDERSON COUNTY, TENNESSEE, party of the first part, and ANDERSON COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION, party of the second part.

WITNESSETH: That said parties of the first part, for and in consideration of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00) to them in hand paid by the said party of the second part, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, have granted, bargained, sold, conveyed, remised, released and quitclaimed, and do hereby grant, bargain, sell, convey, remise, release and quitclaim unto the said party of the second part, all my interest in the following described premises, to-wit:

#### TRACT 1

**BEGINNING** at an iron pin located South West 177.81 feet from the intersection of the East ROW of a proposed 60 foot easement with the North ROW of Highway 61;

Thence from said beginning point, North 42° 59' 53" West, 1,983.89 feet to an iron pin; thence South 44° 50' 45" West, 1,454.13 feet to an iron pin; thence South 43° 31' East, 659 feet to an iron pin; thence North 48° 17' East, 1,008.0 feet to an iron pin; thence South 43° 55' East, 885.47 feet to an iron pin; thence South 45° 05' East, 343.16 feet to an iron pin; thence North 39° 26' East 232.69 feet to an iron pin; thence North 62° 22' East, 188.81 feet to an iron pin, the point of beginning and containing 35.32 acres more or less.

#### TRACT 2

BEGINNING at an iron pin marking the intersection of the East ROW of a proposed 60 foot easement with the North ROW of Highway 61;

Thence from said beginning point North 42° 53' West, 700.0 ft to an iron pin; Thence North 47° 07' East, 217.91 ft. to an iron pin; thence North 42° 53' West, 1,299.52 ft to an iron pin; thence South 44° 50' 45" West, 400.0 ft to an iron pin; thence South 42° 59' 53" East, 1,983.89 ft. to an iron pin; thence North 47° 03" East 177.81 feet to an iron pin, to the point of beginning, and containing 14.7 acres more or less.

**BEING** the same property conveyed to **ANDERSON COUNTY**, **TENNESSEE** by Verdict and Judgment entered 28<sup>th</sup> day of August, 1978. For further reference see Anderson County, Tennessee vs. Hobart Weaver, and Wife, Reva Weaver, Rufus M. Weaver and Wife Beulah Weaver, G.D. Weaver and Wife, Barbara Jane Weaver and Ronnell Weaver and Wife, Amanda Weaver, 28<sup>th</sup> Judicial Circuit for Anderson County, Tennessee (Law Division). Said Verdict and Judgment was received for record on the 28<sup>th</sup> day of November, 1979, at 10:40 a.m., and recorded in Book No. Y14, Page 128 in the Register's office of Anderson County, Tennessee.

This description was provided to the preparer of this Deed, and preparer makes no warranty or representation as to the accuracy of said description.

The preparer of this Deed makes no representations as to the status of the title of the herein described property.

The above description is the same as the prior deed of record, no boundary survey having been made at the time of this conveyance.

THIS CONVEYANCE is made subject to applicable easements and restrictions of record.

And all of the interest to the parties of the first part therein, with the hereditaments and appurtenances thereto appertaining, hereby releasing all of my interest in the said premises to the said party of the second part, her heirs and assigns forever.

#### ANDERSON COUNTY, TENNESSEE

BY:

# TERRY FRANK, MAYOR

#### STATE OF TENNESSEE ]

#### COUNTY OF ANDERSON ]

Personally appeared before me, the undersigned authority, a Notary Public in and for said County, the within named bargainer, TERRY FRANK, Mayor of Anderson County, Tennessee, with whom 1 am personally acquainted (or proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence), and who acknowledged he/she/they as the Mayor of Anderson County, Tennessee, the within named bargainor, a Tennessee municipal corporation, and that as such Officer, being duly authorized so to do, executed the foregoing instrument for the purposes therein contained by signing the name of the municipal corporation by herself as such officer.

Witness my hand and official seal at office this the \_\_\_\_\_day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2024.

My Commission Expires:

NOTARY PUBLIC

#### ANDERSON COUNTY, TENNESSEE

BY:

TYLER MAYES, Chairman Anderson County Commission

#### STATE OF TENNESSEE ]

#### COUNTY OF ANDERSON ]

Personally appeared before me, the undersigned authority, a Notary Public in and for said County, the within named bargainer, **TYLER MAYES**, with whom I am personally acquainted (or proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence), and who acknowledged he/shc/they as the **CHAIRMAN** of Anderson County, Tennessee, Commission, the within named bargainor, a Tennessee municipal corporation, and that as such Officer, being duly authorized so to do, executed the foregoing instrument for the purposes therein contained by signing the name of the municipal corporation by herself as such officer.

Witness my hand and official seal at office this the \_\_\_\_\_day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2024.

My Commission Expires:

NOTARY PUBLIC

### **RESPONSIBLE TAXPAYERS AND OWNERS:**

Anderson County Board of Education 101 S. Main Street Clinton, TN. 37716

### <u>OATH</u>

I hereby swear or affirm that the actual consideration for this transfer, or value of the property of interest in property transferred, whichever is greater is <u>EXEMPT</u>, which amount is equal to or greater than the amount which the property or interest in property transferred would command at a fair and voluntary sale.

AFFIANT

Sworn to and subscribed before me this the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2024.

### NOTARY PUBLIC

My Commission Expires:

# Anderson County Board of Commissioners Rules Committee Minutes

# February 12, 2024 3:00 PM Room 312

Members Present:	Tyler Mayes, Aaron Wells and Anthony Allen
Members Absent:	Michael Foster and Bob Smallridge
Call to Order:	Vice-Chairman Allen called the meeting to order.
Others Present:	Mayor Frank, Commissioner Yager, Commissioner Isbel and Commissioner Vowell

Commissioner Wells made a motion to approve the October 9, 2023 minutes. Seconded by Commissioner Allen. Motion passed.

No citizens addressed the committee.

Commissioner Mayes made a motion to amend rule 2 #13 to add Unfinished Business are matters carried over from a previous meeting. Unfinished Business items fall under three (3) categories:

- 1. Any matters that were pending when a previous meeting adjourned.
- 2. Any matters on a previous meeting agenda that were not reached.
- 3. Matters that were postponed from the present meeting.

Seconded by Commissioner Wells. Motion passed to forward to full commission for approval.

# **New Business**

New Business is covered under Rule #7 third paragraph and Rule #14.

Commissioner Wells made a motion to add to Rule IV that any document or literature presented to the body during the Appearance of Citizens shall be directed to the Chairman and given out at his/her discretion. Seconded by Commissioner Mayes.

Commissioner Wells amended his motion that any document or literature to be distributed to the body shall be reviewed by the Chair and disseminated at a point that's deemed appropriate. Seconded by Commissioner Mayes. Motion passed to forward to full commission for approval.

Meeting Adjourned 4:00 p.m.

# Anderson County Board of County Commissioners Rules of Procedure

- 13. Unfinished Business Unfinished business are matters carried over from a previous meeting. Unfinished business falls under three (3) categories:
  - 1. Any matters that were pending when an previous meeting adjourned.
  - 2. Any matters on a previous agenda that were not reached.
  - 3. Matters that were postponed from the present meeting.
- 14. New Business -- Resolutions not covered in committee reports but filed in writing with the Clerk of Commission no later than Wednesday noon before the Commission meeting shall be listed under New Business and shall be in order.

Resolutions that were not filed with the Clerk of Commission by 12:00 on the previous Wednesday may be presented at this time and acted upon by a vote of 2/3 majority (11) of Commission.

- 15. Announcements
- 16. Adjourn
- **Rule III** No member of Commission shall speak more than once nor more than three minutes on the same motion -- except the Chairman of the Committee or the maker of a motion, who shall have the right to answer questions. However, the Chair of Commission may extend the length of time and the number of times a member may speak on a given motion unless an objection is raised by a member. If an object is raised, the Chair of Commission must have majority vote to extend such time to the member. Asking a question regarding the motion does not count as a Commissioner's time to speak on the motion. If a Commissioner wants to end debate and bring the motion on the floor to an immediate vote, they may "call for the question" directly to the Chair of Commission. The "call for question" passed, debate on the pending motion ceases immediately and the Chair of Commission shall bring it to a vote. If the "call for question" fails, debate may continue.
- **Rule IV** Citizens and public officials will be allowed to address County Commission, subject to the conditions in Rule V, on items on the agenda as the item is brought forth during the meeting. Citizens and public officials may speak once on each item and will have up to three minutes to speak. Groups will be encouraged to select a spokesperson to present a comment for the group. Citizens and public officials are encouraged to provide more detailed comments on issues during County Commission committee meetings and in written comments and calls to County Commissioners.

Any document or literature to be distributed to the body shall be reviewed by the Chair and disseminated at a point that's deemed appropriate.

- **Rule V** Comments by County Commissioners, public officials, and citizens must be professional and respectful and must refrain from outbursts, profanity, questioning motives, and personal attacks. The chair can limit comments to those relevant to the item to be voted on and can stop inappropriate, disruptive, or overly repetitive speakers.
- **Rule VI** All motions required to be recorded as a roll call vote will utilize electronic voting. For any other motion, the Chair or any Commissioner may call for an electronic vote. Electronic votes will be taken and displayed by the County Clerk. Commissioners will vote yes, no or abstain. Commissioners not voting in a reasonable amount of time will be counted as abstaining. Votes shall not be changed once the results have been publicly displayed.

# **Anderson County Fire Commission**

# February 6, 2024 Meeting Minutes

Anderson County Fire Commission Time: 6:30pm Date: Tuesday, February 6, 2024 Location: 312 Anderson County Courthouse

# Call to Order at 18:30

Prayer

Pledge

- 1. Approval of February Agenda and January Meeting Minutes from January 9, 2024 (attached)
  - a. Anthony Grande moved to accept the February Agenda and the January Minutes; Dusty Sharpe seconded the motion; motion carried
- 2. Discussion regarding Secretary for Fire Commission
  - a. From January Meeting, Mayor Frank was to be checking on the possibility of using a county employee for the Secretary of Fire Commission
- 3. Unfinished Business
  - a. Hydro Testing for SCBA Bottles
    - i. Holston- 2216 \$30/bottle; 4500 \$50/bottle
  - b. Workshop with EMS regarding First Responder Program
    - i. Nathan Sweet will be setting up dates and times to meet with each Chief towards the end of February/beginning of March
- 4. New Business
  - a. March Meeting Date
    - i. March 12 at 6:30 room 118A
- 5. Department Reports
  - Andersonville VFD Ambrea Kroth Present Thankful for support during recent loss
  - Briceville VFD Jamie Brewster Present No report
  - Claxton VFD Dusty Sharpe Present Ready to use rescue boat
  - Marlow VFD Daniel Adams Not Present
  - Medford VFD Josh Lane Present cascade system ready to use; putting together live fire class; March 2 Commission Testing; April 13 Chili Supper; New Facebook page, please share
  - Anderson County Rescue Squad Elliot Mitzelfeld Present New Chief; training schedule put together; looking forward to joint trainings with departments
    - MOTION: Dusty Sharpe moved to restore voting rights for ACRS; Anthony Braden seconded the motion; motion carried
  - Clinton FD Jeff Little Present No report
  - Rocky Top FD Anthony Braden Present Thankful for help and support during recent fatality fire
  - Norris FD Rick Roach Not Present
  - Oak Ridge FD Travis Solomon Present No Report
  - Oliver Springs FD Justin Bailey (Vice-Chairman) Not Present
  - County Commissioner Tracy Wandell (Chairman) Present Thankful for all done by fire departments during winter storm; thankful for mutual aid from city departments assisting county departments

County Commissioner Sabra Beauchamp – Present Thankful for response during winter weather event

### Non-voting Departments and Members

- Anderson County EMS Nathan Sweet Present No Report
- Anderson County EMA Brice Kidwell- Present 153 radios received; mainly mobile; another shipment due in March;
   HMO class rescheduled; winter weather event brought up needs in county such as road dashboard;
- Anderson County Sheriff's Office Not Present
- Y-12 Not Present
- ORNL Not Present
- E-911 Present No Report

Adjourn @ 18:54