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BILL NO. R-21-06-01

RESOLUTION NO. R-25-21

**RESOLUTION CONFIRMING THAT THE CITY
OF FORT WAYNE OPTS OUT OF THE OPIOID
SETTLEMENT UNDER I.C. 4-6-15-2**

WHEREAS, the opioid epidemic has had a severe and detrimental impact on communities across the United States; and

WHEREAS, the City of Fort Wayne has also experienced and continues to experience the negative impact and costs of the opioid epidemic; and

WHEREAS, the City of Fort Wayne and the community are fighting a costly battle against the opioid epidemic on many fronts; and

WHEREAS, the City of Fort Wayne has chosen through litigation to pursue those parties it holds responsible for the epidemic; and

WHEREAS, it is imperative that the City of Fort Wayne maximize the resources available to combat this problem in our community; and

**NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COMMON
COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF FORT WAYNE, INDIANA:**

SECTION 1. The City of Fort Wayne, having given careful consideration to the decision whether to elect to opt out of the opioid settlement under Indiana Code 4-6-15-2, hereby exercises its election to opt out of the opioids settlement, and orders its duly authorized agent to submit a certified copy of this resolution to the Indiana Attorney General by June 30, 2021.

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BILL NO. R-21-06-01

RESOLUTION NO. _____

**RESOLUTION CONFIRMING THAT THE CITY
OF FORT WAYNE OPTS OUT OF THE OPIOID
SETTLEMENT UNDER I.C. 4-16-15-2**

WHEREAS, the opioid epidemic has had a severe and detrimental impact on communities across the United States; and

WHEREAS, the City of Fort Wayne has also experienced and continues to experience the negative impact and costs of the opioid epidemic; and

WHEREAS, the City of Fort Wayne and the community are fighting a costly battle against the opioid epidemic on many fronts; and

WHEREAS, the City of Fort Wayne has chosen through litigation to pursue those parties it holds responsible for the epidemic; and

WHEREAS, it is imperative that the City of Fort Wayne maximize the resources available to combat this problem in our community; and

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COMMON COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF FORT WAYNE, INDIANA:

SECTION 1. The City of Fort Wayne, having given careful consideration to the decision whether to elect to opt out of the opioid settlement under Indiana Code 4-16-15-2, hereby exercises its election to opt out of the opioids settlement, and orders its duly authorized agent to submit a certified copy of this resolution to the Indiana Attorney General by June 30, 2021.

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REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON REGULATIONS

June 15, 2021


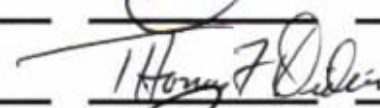
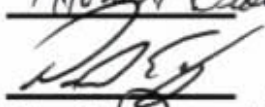
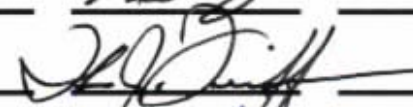

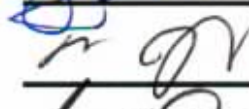
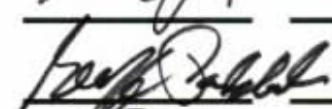

Tom Freistroffer Chair

Geoff Paddock Co-Chair

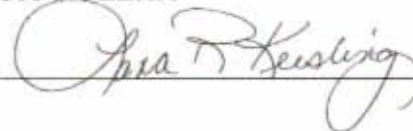
All Council Members

A Resolution confirming that the City of Fort Wayne opts out of the Opioid Settlement under I.C. 4-~~16~~-15-2

COMMITTEE ON REGULATIONS HAVE HAD SAID Ordinance under consideration and beg leave to report back to the Common Council that said Ordinance

<u>COUNCIL MEMBER</u>	<u>DO PASS</u>	<u>DO NOT PASS</u>	<u>ABSTAIN</u>
ARP			
CHAMBERS			
DIDIER			
ENSLEY			
FREISTROFFER			
HINES			
JEHL			
PADDOCK			
TUCKER			

**LANA R. KEESLING
CITY CLERK**



Public Hearing Date: N/A

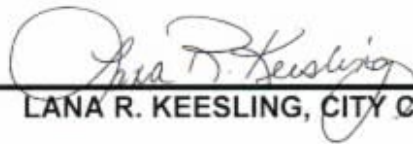
Read the first time in full and on motion by Councilperson Freistroffer.

Read the second time by title and referred to the Regulations Committee.

Read the third time in full and on motion by Councilperson Freistroffer, placed on passage by the following vote:

<u>TOTAL VOTES</u>	<u>AYES</u>	<u>NAYS</u>	<u>ABSTAINED</u>	<u>ABSENT</u>
ARP	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
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DATED: June 22, 2021



LANA R. KEESLING, CITY CLERK

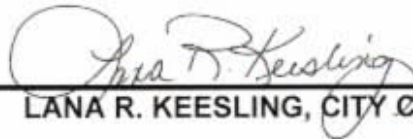
Passed and adopted by the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne, Indiana, as

Resolution No. R-21-06-01 on the 22nd day of June, 2021

ATTEST:

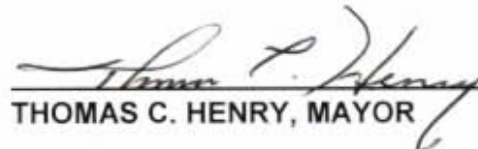

LANA R. KEESLING
CITY CLERK
PRESIDING OFFICER

Presented by me to the Mayor of the City of Fort Wayne, Indiana, on the 23rd of June 2021, at the hour of 10:35 o'clock A.M. E.S.T.



LANA R. KEESLING, CITY CLERK

Approved and signed by me this 23RD day of June 2021, at the hour of 1:30 o'clock PM E.S.T.


THOMAS C. HENRY, MAYOR