

**CITY OF WEST ALLIS
RESOLUTION R-2023-0341**

**RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE HEALTH DEPARTMENT TO ACCEPT A
PUBLIC HEALTH VENDING MACHINE GRANT FROM THE WISCONSIN
DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH SERVICES**

WHEREAS, the Wisconsin Department of Health Services received an allocation of the 2022 opioid settlement funds and a plan for expenditure by the Joint Committee on Finance of the Wisconsin state legislature;

WHEREAS, the Wisconsin Department of Health Services is directed to expand the Narcan® Direct Program and establish and fund a program to distribute fentanyl test strips;

WHEREAS, the Wisconsin Department of Health Services is utilizing Public Health Vending Machines to expand both harm reduction efforts in Wisconsin for the purpose of reducing overdoses and overdose deaths; and;

WHEREAS, the West Allis Health Department is the Wisconsin Department of Health Services approved Narcan®Direct and Fentanyl Direct Vendor in our jurisdiction; and,

WHEREAS, 40 (preliminary data) overdose deaths among West Allis residents occurred in 2022 compared to 35 in 2021, 406 (preliminary data) non-fatal overdoses occurred in West Allis in 2022 compared to 427 in 2021, and 106 (preliminary) naloxone administrations occurred in West Allis compared to 123 in 2021;

WHEREAS, the granting agency released a Request for Applications and the Health Department applied for an amount up to \$164,400 for three (3) vending machines to be located throughout the City of West Allis, and;

WHEREAS, the 2023 budget did not include an appropriation for Public Health Vending Machines.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Common Council of the City of West Allis:

1. Authorizes the West Allis Health Department to accept the Public Health Vending Machine funds;
2. Appropriates and amends the 2023 City Budget to allow for the purchases as outlined in the request for applications; and
3. That the Health Commissioner is hereby authorized and directed to take any and all other actions deemed necessary to effectuate the intent of this Resolution.

SECTION 1: **ADOPTION** “R-2023-0341” of the City Of West Allis Municipal Resolutions is hereby *added* as follows:

ADOPTION

R-2023-0341(Added)

PASSED AND ADOPTED BY THE CITY OF WEST ALLIS COUNCIL

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	AYE	NAY	ABSENT	ABSTAIN
Ald. Vince Vitale	_____	_____	_____	_____
Ald. Ray Turner	_____	_____	_____	_____
Ald. Tracy Stefanski	_____	_____	_____	_____
Ald. Marty Weigel	_____	_____	_____	_____
Ald. Suzzette Grisham	_____	_____	_____	_____
Ald. Danna Kuehn	_____	_____	_____	_____
Ald. Thomas Lajsic	_____	_____	_____	_____
Ald. Dan Roadt	_____	_____	_____	_____
Ald. Rosalie Reinke	_____	_____	_____	_____
Ald. Kevin Haass	_____	_____	_____	_____

Attest

Presiding Officer

Rebecca Grill, City Clerk, City Of
West Allis

Dan Devine, Mayor, City Of West
Allis