## 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:** <u>ADOPTION</u> "R-2023-0341" of the City Of West Allis Municipal Resolutions is hereby *added* as follows:

## PASSED AND ADOPTED BY THE CITY OF WEST ALLIS COUNCIL MAY 02, 2023.

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

Attest Presiding Officer

Rebecca Grill, City Clerk, City Of West Allis

Dan Devine, Mayor, City Of West Allis

