

City Hall, 1st Floor Conference Room 401 S. Johnstone Avenue Bartlesville. OK 74003

NOTICE OF SPECIAL MEETING OF THE BARTLESVILLE CITY COUNCIL

September 29, 2025 12:00 p.m. (noon)

Mayor James S. Curd, Jr. 918-338-4282

AGENDA

- 1. Call to order the business meeting of the Bartlesville City Council by Mayor Curd.
- 2. Roll call and establishment of a quorum.
- 3. Public Comments on Agenda Items.
- 4. Discuss and take possible action to approve Resolution No. 3748 voting to participate in the settlement agreements with Purdue Pharma LP and members of the Sackler family, and with Alvogen, Inc., Amneal Pharmaceuticals, Inc., Apotex, Inc., Hikma Pharmaceuticals USA, Inc., Indivior Inc., Mylan Pharmaceuticals Inc., Sun Pharmaceutical Industries, Inc., and Zydus Pharmaceuticals, and authorizing the Mayor of the City of Oklahoma, or the Mayor's designee, to execute the Subdivision Participation Form for the City's participation in the settlements with Alvogen, Inc., Amneal Pharmaceuticals, Inc., Apotex, Inc., Hikma Pharmaceuticals USA, Inc., Indivior Inc., Mylan Pharmaceuticals Inc., Sun Pharmaceutical Industries, Inc., and Zydus Pharmaceuticals. Presented by Jess Kane, City Attorney.
- 5. City Manager and Staff Reports.
- 6. City Council Comments and Inquiries.
- 7. Adjournment.

The Notice of Meeting and Agenda was received and filed in the Office of the City Clerk and posted in prominent public view at City Hall at 12:00 p.m. on Thursday, September 25, 2025.

JASON MUNÍNGER
Jason Muninger, CFO/City Clerk

by Elaine Banes, Deputy City Clerk

/s/Elaine Banes

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Agenda Item ____ September 24, 2025
Prepared by Jess M. Kane, City Attorney
Legal Department

I. SUBJECT, ATTACHMENTS, AND BACKGROUND

Discuss and take possible action to participate in the Oklahoma Opioid Distributor Settlement authorize the Mayor to execute the Subdivision Settlement Participation Form.

Attachments:

Letter dated September 16, 2025 from the Office of the Oklahoma Attorney General.

Proposed Resolution

II. STAFF COMMENTS AND ANALYSIS

See attached Letter dated September 16, 2025 from the Office of the Oklahoma Attorney General encouraging participation in settlements by municipalities and other political subdivisions.

III. RECOMMENDED ACTION

Staff recommends that the Council authorize participation in the settlement per the recommendation of the Attorney General.



September 16, 2025

Dear Sir or Madam,

There is a new national opioid settlement involving Purdue Pharma L.P. (and certain affiliates) and the Sackler family. The settlement is approximately 4,553,791,480.53 for all states and territories, with Oklahoma's portion estimated to be 28,015,883.91 over ten years. These funds will be used to address the harms caused to Oklahoma's citizens from the opioid epidemic. The total amount that Oklahoma litigating political subdivisions will be eligible to receive in this national settlement with Purdue and the Sacklers depends on the participation of Oklahoma litigating and certain Oklahoma non-litigating subdivisions. Without your participation, the overall amount of the settlement will be less, and there will be less money in Oklahoma to combat the opioid epidemic.

If your political subdivision has not already received the information, it will soon receive a notice of the national settlement referencing Purdue from the National Opioid Settlements Implementation Administrator. Additionally, the designated representative of your subdivision will receive a DocuSign email from the settlement administrator (Rubris) asking for their signature on the participation forms ("Participation Forms"). The current participation deadline is September 30, 2025. I encourage you to participate. Please place the following language on the agenda for your next meeting and approve your participation in the Purdue/Sackler settlement:

Consideration of approval to participate in the Purdue Pharma L.P. bankruptcy case and GESA settlement, including agreeing to the terms of the Purdue bankruptcy plan and GESA settlement, the release of all claims against Purdue, the Sacklers, and certain affiliates, and the permissible uses of monies received pursuant to the settlements for opioid abatement and designation of an authorized representative to sign the subdivision participation forms to finalize participation in these settlements.

After passage and approval, please have the designated representative sign the Docusign that was emailed to them by the settlement administrator. Please also send a copy to any of the below, and feel free to contact them with any questions:

Todd Court - todd.court@mcafeetaft.com
Tony Puckett - tony.puckett@mcafeetaft.com
Matt Sill - msill@fulmersill.com
Bradley Clark - bradley.clark@oag.ok.gov

To be clear, this new settlement with Purdue does not affect your ability to apply for an award of \$12.5 million previously set aside through the State of Oklahoma settlement with Purdue. Under the earlier settlement, the Oklahoma Opioid Abatement Board ("Board") will award grants to eligible political subdivisions through its established grant process at a later date.

I urge you to assist your community and the State in combating the opioid epidemic by participating in these settlements and funding programs. Again, to participate in the new settlement, you must execute, without alteration, the Participation Forms and submit them on or before September 30, 2025.

GENTAER DRUMMOND
Oklahoma Attorney General

¹DocuSign instructions for eligible political subdivisions are available at the following link: https://nationalopioidsettlement.com/wp-content/uploads/2025/07/Opioids-Implementation-Administrator-DocuSign-Instructions-for-Participation-Agreements-07.07.25.pdf

RESOLUTION OF THE CITY OF BARTLESVILLE, OKLAHOMA RESOLUTION #3748

September 29, 2025

A RESOLUTION TO APPROVE PARTICIPATION IN SETTLEMENTS WITH PURDUE PHARMA LP, MEMBERS OF THE SACKLER FAMILY, ALVOGEN, INC., AMNEAL PHARMACEUTICALS, INC., APOTEX, INC., HIKMA PHARMACEUTICALS USA, INC., INDIVIOR, INC., MYLAN PHARMACEUTICALS INC., SUN PHARMACEUTICAL INDUSTRIES, INC., AND ZYDUS PHARMACEUTICALS

- **WHEREAS**, pharmaceutical opioids have harmed the City of Bartlesville, Oklahoma and its citizens.
- WHEREAS, Purdue and the Sackler's have agreed to settle claims of political subdivisions in the Purdue bankruptcy plan (the "Plan") in Case Number 7:19-bk-23649, currently pending in the U.S. Bankruptcy Court for the Southern District of New York, and in the Governmental Entities Settlement Agreement ("GESA") which settlement agreement is dated June 17, 2025.
- WHEREAS, the City of Bartlesville, Oklahoma is eligible to participate in settlement agreements presented by the generic opioid manufacturers Alvogen, Inc., Amneal Pharmaceuticals, Inc., Apotex, Inc., Hikma Pharmaceuticals USA, Inc., Indivior Inc., Mylan Pharmaceuticals Inc., Sun Pharmaceutical Industries, Inc., and Zydus Pharmaceuticals (collectively, the "Secondary Manufacturers"), which are dated April 4, 2025.
- **THEREFORE**, it was duly moved and seconded that the following resolution be adopted.
- THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the City of Bartlesville, Oklahoma hereby authorizes the Mayor, or the Mayor's designee, to execute the Purdue Settlement Participation and Release Forms ("Purdue Participation Forms") contained in the GESA settlement agreement, and agrees to the terms set forth in the Participation Forms, including release of the City of Bartlesville's claims being released in the settlement agreements with Purdue Pharma and the Sackler's.
- THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the City of Bartlesville, Oklahoma hereby authorizes the Mayor, or the Mayor's designee, to execute each of the Settlement Participation and Release Forms ("Participation Forms") contained in the settlement agreements with Alvogen, Inc., Amneal Pharmaceuticals, Inc., Apotex, Inc., Hikma Pharmaceuticals USA, Inc., Indivior Inc., Mylan Pharmaceuticals Inc., Sun Pharmaceutical Industries,

Inc., and Zydus Pharmaceuticals (or to execute a combined Settlement Participation Form for these Secondary Manufacturers electronically), and agrees to the terms set forth in the Participation Forms, including release of the City of Bartlesville's claims being released in the settlement agreements with Alvogen, Inc., Amneal Pharmaceuticals, Inc., Apotex, Inc., Hikma Pharmaceuticals USA, Inc., Indivior Inc., Mylan Pharmaceuticals Inc., Sun Pharmaceutical Industries, Inc., and Zydus Pharmaceuticals.

The City of Bartlesville, Oklahoma adopted the above Resolution on the 29th day of September, 2025.

	CITY OF BARTLESVILLE, OKLAHOMA
	James, S. Curd, Jr., Mayor
Dated this 29 th day of September, 2025.	
ATTEST:	
Jason Muninger, CFO/City Clerk	