

**CHRISTIAN FISCAL COURT
RESOLUTION NO.: 2025-12**

RESOLUTION

**Resolution for Approval of National Opioid Litigation Settlements - Purdue
Bankruptcy Plan and Sackler Family Settlement**

WHEREAS, the Christian County Fiscal Court (CCFC) is a participating governmental entity in the nationwide opioid litigation; and

WHEREAS, the opioid crisis has caused significant harm to communities across the nation, including Christian County, resulting in substantial costs for healthcare, law enforcement, social services, and other public expenditures; and

WHEREAS, settlement agreements have been negotiated in the national opioid litigation involving Purdue Pharma and the Sackler family that would provide substantial monetary recovery for participating governmental entities; and

WHEREAS, the Sackler family has agreed to contribute \$6.5 billion over a 15-year period as part of the settlement; and

WHEREAS, the Purdue Pharma bankruptcy estate is expected to provide an additional estimated \$1.5 billion, resulting in total estimated proceeds of approximately \$8 billion; and

WHEREAS, the CCFC finds that approval of both the Purdue Bankruptcy Plan and the Sackler family settlement is in the best interest of Christian County and its residents; and

WHEREAS, the CCFC wishes to authorize the County Judge Executive to take all necessary actions to effectuate Christian County's participation in these settlements;

NOW, THEREFORE, be it RESOLVED by the Christian County Fiscal Court that:

1. The CCFC hereby approves and supports the Purdue Bankruptcy Plan in connection with the national opioid litigation.
2. The CCFC hereby approves and supports the Sackler family settlement agreement in connection with the national opioid litigation.
3. The County Judge Executive is hereby authorized to vote "yes" on the Purdue Bankruptcy Plan on behalf of Christian County.

4. The County Judge Executive is hereby authorized to execute the Governmental Entity Settlement Agreement (GESA) Sackler Release on behalf of Christian County.
5. The County Judge Executive is hereby authorized to take any and all additional actions necessary to effectuate Christian County's participation in both settlements, including executing any additional documents or agreements required for participation.

ADOPTED by the Christian County Fiscal Court at a regular meeting held on August 26, 2025, a quorum being present and voting.

Christian Fiscal Court

BY: 
JERRY GILLIAM
CHRISTIAN COUNTY JUDGE EXECUTIVE

ATTEST:


MELINDA HUMPHRIES, Christian CO. Clerk