

Settlement Document

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This Memorandum of Understanding ("Third Wave Memorandum" or "Third Wave MOU") aims to memorialize an agreement between the State and certain LGs that will enable them to maximize the monetary funds received from the Third Wave Manufacturer Settlements to remediate the harms caused by the opioid crisis. The processes outlined in this Memorandum in large part replicate processes required under the 2022 MOU. Except where the terms are different, the processes used in administration of the 2022 MOU shall be utilized for administration as required under this Memorandum.

I. Definitions

Capitalized terms shall have the same definitions as in the 2022 MOU with the exception of:

- a. "Legislative Bar" means O.C.G.A. § 10-13B-1 *et seq.*
- b. "Local Government Opioid Funds" means the funds allocated to local governments pursuant to Section II of this Memorandum.
- c. "Opioid Funds" means the total monetary amounts obtained through the Third Wave Manufacturer Settlements as defined in this Third Wave MOU which are allocated to Georgia and its Participating Local Governments under the Third Wave Manufacturer Settlements.
- d. Third Wave Manufacturer Settlements means the settlement agreements dated April 4, 2025, for each of the Third Wave Manufacturers and available at <https://nationaiopioidsettlement.com/additional-settlements/>.
- e. "Parties" shall mean the State and the Participating Local Governments.
- f. "Participating Local Governments" shall mean:
 - (i.) all litigating subdivisions listed on Exhibits "C" of the Third Wave Manufacturer Settlements, and
 - (ii.) nonlitigating subdivisions listed on Exhibits "G" of the Third Wave Manufacturer Settlements that choose to sign on to the Third Wave Manufacturer Settlements and this Memorandum.
- g. "Released Entities" means the entities defined as such in the Third Wave Manufacturer Settlements.
- h. "State Opioid Funds" means the funds allocated to the State pursuant to