

**RESOLUTION NO. 2026-02-\_\_\_\_\_**

**A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF ARKANSAS CITY TO ALLOCATE UNPLEDGED HEALTHCARE SALES TAX FUNDS IN THE AMOUNT OF \$35,481.10 TO SOUTH CENTRAL KANSAS (SCK) HEALTH, FOR UNCOMPENSATED CARE PROVIDED IN THE COMMUNITY, CONSISTENT WITH ORDINANCE NO. 2019-02-4481 AND THE CITY'S INTENT TO ANNUALLY APPROPRIATE AVAILABLE REVENUE FUNDS FOR HEALTHCARE PURPOSES.**

**WHEREAS**, SCK Health submitted a request dated February 10, 2026, for reimbursement in the amount of \$35,481.10 for charity care provided to community members unable to pay for medical services; and

**WHEREAS**, SCK Health provided documentation supporting the costs of this charity care, consistent with City policy and past practice for the use of healthcare sales tax funds; and

**WHEREAS**, in accordance with Ordinance No. 2019-02-4481, the City intends to annually allocate available revenue to support uncompensated healthcare services, and staff recommends approval of this request.

**NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE CITY OF ARKANSAS CITY, KANSAS:**

**SECTION ONE:** The Governing Body of the City of Arkansas City, Kansas, hereby authorizes the City of Arkansas City, Kansas, to allocate \$35,481.10 to South Central Kansas (SCK) Health for uncompensated care provided to the community, consistent with Ordinance No. 2019-02-4481 and the City's intent to annually appropriate available revenue funds for healthcare purposes. A letter of request and supporting documentation from SCK Health is attached hereto and incorporated for reference.

**SECTION TWO:** The Governing Body of the City of Arkansas City, Kansas, hereby authorizes the Mayor and/or City staff of the City of Arkansas City, Kansas, to take such further and other necessary actions that are required to effectuate the intent and purposes of this Legislative Enactment.

**SECTION THREE:** This Resolution shall be in full force and effect from and after its adoption by the Governing Body of the City of Arkansas City.

**PASSED AND RESOLVED** by the Governing Body of the City of Arkansas City, Kansas, on this 17th day of February 2026.

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ATTEST:

Tad Stover, Mayor

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Tiffany Parsons, City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

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Larry R. Schwartz, City Attorney

**CERTIFICATE**

I hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of Resolution No. 2026-02-\_\_\_\_\_ of the City of Arkansas City, Kansas, adopted by the Governing Body thereof on February 17, 2026, as the same appears of record in my office.

DATED: \_\_\_\_\_.

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Tiffany Parsons, City Clerk