

RESOLUTION NO. _____

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO EXECUTE A
MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING AND OTHER
DOCUMENTS REQUIRED FROM THE TENNESSEE BUREAU
OF INVESTIGATION AND THE TENNESSEE DEPARTMENT OF
SAFETY AND HOMELAND SECURITY'S TENNESSEE
HIGHWAY SAFETY OFFICE

WHEREAS, Homeland Security's Tennessee Highway Safety Office has provided funding via a grant to the Tennessee Bureau of Investigation for the purchase of SoToxa mobile testing system and consumables;

WHEREAS, the city has been offered a SoToxa Oral Fluid Mobile Test Kit from the Tennessee Bureau of Investigation and the Tennessee Department of Safety and Homeland Security's Tennessee Highway Safety Office; and

WHEREAS, the kit will be used for mobile drug detection in DUI encounters; and

WHEREAS, to receive the Sotoxa Oral Fluid Mobile Test Kit, the Kingsport Police Department will be required to sign a memorandum of understanding with The Tennessee Bureau of Investigation and the Tennessee Department of Safety and Homeland Security's Tennessee Highway Safety Office; and

WHEREAS, there is no associated cost to receive the test kit

Now therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF MAYOR AND ALDERMEN AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION I. That the mayor, or in his absence, incapacity, or failure to act, the vice-mayor, is authorized and directed to execute, in a form approved by the city attorney and subject to the requirements of Article X, Section 10 of the Charter of the City of Kingsport, a Memorandum of Understanding to receive a Sotoxa Oral Fluid Mobile Test Kit from the Tennessee Bureau of Investigation and the Tennessee Department of Safety and Homeland Security's Tennessee Highway Safety Office.

SECTION II. That the mayor is further authorized to make such changes approved by the mayor and the city attorney to the signatory delegation of authority form that do not substantially alter the material provisions of the agreement, and the execution thereof by the mayor and the city attorney is conclusive evidence of the approval of such changes.

SECTION III. That the board finds that the actions authorized by this resolution are for a public purpose and will promote the health, comfort, and prosperity of the citizens of the city.

SECTION IV. That this resolution shall take effect from and after its adoption, the public welfare requiring it.

ADOPTED this the 15th day of July, 2025.

PAUL W. MONTGOMERY, MAYOR

ATTEST:

ANGELA MARSHALL, DEPUTY CITY RECORDER

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

RODNEY B. ROWLETT, III, CITY ATTORNEY