A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING AN AGREEMENT WITH PIEDMONT PHARMACEUTICAL CARE NETWORK FOR EMPLOYEE WEIGHT MANAGEMENT PROGRAM AND AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO EXECUTE AN AGREEMENT FOR THE SAME AND ALL OTHER DOCUMENTS NECESSARY AND PROPER TO EFFECTUATE THE PURPOSE OF THE AGREEMENT

WHEREAS, in an effort to improve the overall health and wellbeing of our employee population while attempting to prevent future diagnosis of additional comorbidities and the increased cost of treatment, the city would like to enter into an agreement with Piedmont Pharmaceutical Care Network to implement a weight management program (the "program") for active employees who are enrolled in City sponsored health care coverage; and

WHEREAS, while the program will be open to all employees who are enrolled in City sponsored health care coverage, a specific emphasis will be placed on high-risk individuals to reduce/eliminate future diagnosis of additional comorbidities which in turn will reduce future medical claim costs; and

WHEREAS, on August 24, 2024 the city published a request for proposals from licensed health care providers to implement a weight management program for active employees who are enrolled in City sponsored health care coverage; and

WHEREAS, five proposals were received, which were reviewed by the selection committee and after review, the selection committee recommends the city enter into a one year agreement with an annual renewal option with Piedmont Pharmaceutical Care Network for the provision of employee weight management program as set forth in the request for proposals in an amount not to exceed \$250,000.00; and

WHEREAS, funding is identified in account numbers 615-1601-413-20-61 and 625-1704-413-51-00.

Now therefore,

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

SECTION I. That a one year agreement, with an annual renewal option with Piedmont Pharmaceutical Care Network for the provision of employee weight management program as set forth in the request for proposals in an amount not to exceed \$250,000.00, is hereby authorized.

SECTION II. 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, the Agreement with Piedmont Pharmaceutical Care Network for the provision of employee weight management program, to deliver the agreement and take any and all action as may be required on the part of the city to carry out, give effect to, and consummate the transactions contemplated by the agreement and this resolution.

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 October, 2024.

ATTEST:	PAUL W. MONTGOMERY, MAYOR
ANGELA MARSHALL, DEPUTY CITY REC	CORDER
APPROVED AS TO I	FORM:
RODNEY B. ROWLE	TT, III, CITY ATTORNEY