



CITY OF MARSHALL AGENDA ITEM REPORT

Presenter:	Jim Marshall
Meeting Date:	Tuesday, July 8, 2025
Category:	CONSENT AGENDA
Type:	ACTION
Subject:	Grant Agreement from Southwest Health and Human Services - Opioid Settlement Funding
Background Information:	<p>In 2021, the Office of the Minnesota Attorney General joined a \$26 billion multi-state settlement agreement involving several key distributors and manufacturers of opioid medications, believed to have played a role in fueling the opioid crisis. In 2022, the Attorney General signed on to five additional national settlements with major manufacturers and retail pharmacy chains. Minnesota's share from this "second wave" of settlements could be \$235 million over 15 years, on top of the \$300 million the state will be receiving over 18 years from the "first wave".</p> <p>In Minnesota, counties and cities will receive 75% of the funding and 25% will go to the state. In each county, the public health department has been designated as the lead agency in the disbursement of funding. Funding requests need to fall into one of three categories: treatment, prevention or other strategies.</p> <p>In 2025, the Marshall Police Department submitted a grant request to Southwest Health and Human Services (SWHS) for \$15,800.00 to be paid over 10 years. (\$1,580.00 annually) This funding would cover additional maintenance, software and subscription fees for the Cellebrite program. The software upgrades will assist in our opioid investigations.</p>
Fiscal Impact:	None
Alternative/ Variations:	
Recommendations:	Approval of the Grant Project Agreement between Southwest Health and Human Services and the Marshall Police Department for Opioid Settlement Funding.