

**CITY COUNCIL RESEARCH DIVISION
LEGISLATIVE SUMMARY**



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Bill Type and Number: Ordinance 2026-288

Introducer/Sponsor(s): Council Member Salem

Date of Introduction: April 14, 2026

Committee(s) of Reference: R, F

Date of Analysis: April 16, 2026

Type of Action: *Ordinance Code* amendments

Bill Summary: This bill amends Sections 84.301 (Opioid Settlement Proceeds Allocation for Opioid Settlement Proceeds Grants), 84.304 (Eligibility to Apply for Opioid Settlement Proceeds Grants), 84.305 (Application Requirements), 84.306 (Review, Evaluation and Scoring of Applications by OSUD Grants Committee), 84.307 (Funding Allocations by OSUD Grants Committee; Grant Award Limitations), 84.308 (Amendments to Opioid Settlement Proceeds Grant Budgets by Recipients; Approval by Manager of Opioid Abatement), and 84.309 (Opioid Settlement Proceeds Grant Appeals Board; Appeals Procedure), Part 3 (Opioid Settlement Proceeds Grant Awards Procedures), Chapter 84 (Opioid Settlement Proceeds Grants), *Ordinance Code*.

Background Information: The purpose of this legislation is to amend various parts of the *Ordinance Code* related to Opioid Settlement Proceeds Grant application process. The amendments: corrects the name of the Finance Department; clarify required eligibility documents; clarify actions if the OSUD Grants Committee or Manager of Opioid Abatement determines that a statement made in the affidavit is incorrect, the agency will be deemed ineligible; clarify methods of submitting, and word count, for applications; add requirement for submitting a rationale in the program description; add requirement to describe staff structure in the application; add requirement for describing program goals to include data sources; clarify determination of non-compliance; change evaluation scoring for criteria 7 and 8. The bill also adds language pertaining to actions if an awardee declines an award so the maximum amount allowed followed by the next highest ranked scored applicant, adds oversight of budget amendments to include the approval of the OSUD Grants Committee, and clarifies the appeal process..

Policy Impact Area: Opioid Settlement Proceeds Grants

Fiscal Impact: No direct cost to the City

Analyst: Hampsey