

RETAINER AGREEMENT

Isabella County, State of Michigan, hereby retains, WEITZ & LUXENBERG, PC ("W & L"), The Sam Bernstein Law Firm PLLC and the Behm & Behm Law Firm (collectively, "Claimant's Counsel") to prosecute and adjust for Isabella County a claim for past and future damages and/or expenditures caused by the culpable conduct of any and all pharmaceutical manufacturers, distributors and/or retailers of opioid analgesics. Isabella County hereby gives Claimant's Counsel the exclusive right to take all legal steps to enforce its claim.

I. Fee

In consideration of the services rendered and/or to be rendered by Claimant's Counsel, Isabella County hereby agrees to pay the following contingent fee:

Thirty (30%) percent of the net sum recovered, whether recovered by suit, settlement or otherwise.

This fee will be paid ONLY if there is a recovery and will be deducted after the reimbursement of the litigation expenses and/or costs. Litigation expenses and/or costs include, but are not limited to, filing fees, costs associated with conducting discovery, hearings, conferences, meetings, trials, expert consultation and testimony, and investigation costs. W & L will advance all costs of the litigation.

W & L is authorized, in good faith and in the honest belief that it is in the best interests of Isabella County, to associate other firm(s) to assist in this matter. Any association of counsel will not include any additional legal fees as the firms will share in any legal fees earned pursuant to the above terms.

Claimant's Counsel will maintain full control of the matter on behalf of Isabella County at all times but will consult with and follow the direction of Isabella County through the Isabella County Corporation Counsel on all matters concerning the discovery, trial or resolution of Isabella County's claim. Claimant's Counsel will prosecute Isabella County's claim as an individual action against any and all manufacturers, distributors and/or retailers of opioid analgesics who have engaged in culpable conduct. Isabella has the authority to resolve its claim in consultation with Claimant's Counsel. Claimant's Counsel shall not release any information to the public regarding Isabella County's claim without approval by the Isabella County Corporation Counsel.

On Behalf of Isabella County

Signature: _____

Name: _____

Title: _____

Dated: _____

On Behalf of Weitz & Luxemburg, PC

Signature: _____

Name: _____

Title: _____

Dated: _____

On Behalf of The Sam Bernstein Law Firm PLLC

Signature: _____

Name: _____

Title: _____

Dated: _____

On Behalf of the Behm & Behm Law Firm

Signature: _____

Name: _____

Title: _____

Dated: _____