



# STAFF REPORT

## Board of Aldermen

**AN ORDINANCE APPROVING THE MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING WITH THE TANEY COUNTY MULTIDISCIPLINARY TEAM FOR THE MUTUAL AGREEMENT TO WORK TOGETHER ON CHILD ABUSE AND CHILD NEGLECT CASES AND AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO EXECUTE THE CONTRACT.**

**FIRST READING:**     **APRIL 22, 2025**

**FINAL READING:**     **APRIL 22, 2025**

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**Initiated By:** Police

**Approved By:** *Cathy Stepp*

**Financial Impact:** No Impact/Not Applicable

**Community Plan 2030:** C-1: Public Safety

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### **FACTS:**

This is an ordinance authorizing the memorandum of understanding with the participating agencies of the Taney County Multidisciplinary Team (MDT) to participate and assist in the coordination of the team approach in investigating child abuse/neglect cases and to seek justice for the victims.

This agreement defines the general provisions and roles among the multiple agencies of the MDT and provides guidelines for those involved in cases.

Staff is requesting a double read of this ordinance.

### **DETAILED ANALYSIS:**

No Additional Information

### **BACKUP DOCUMENTATION:**

No Additional Information