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Attorney General Moody's Week In Review - May 6, 2022



This week, we secured a commitment of more than \$680 million through our efforts to hold Walgreens accountable for its role in fueling the opioid crisis. Walgreens is the final defendant in our litigation challenging opioid distributors, manufacturers and pharmaceutical companies. This massive commitment of funds brings the total monies secured through our determined litigation efforts to more than \$3 billion. These monies will be paid out over the next two decades and used for treatment and prevention in areas hit hardest by drug abuse.

What we have accomplished over the past few years is no small feat. Florida is leading the nation in legal efforts to hold each of the defendants accountable for the unique roles they played in this terrible public health epidemic.

Before taking office, I vowed to seek accountability for those responsible for helping create this crisis, and now I am excited to report that we have successfully accomplished this vital mission. With these funds, we will begin to turn the tide in the fight to end the opioid crisis and save lives.

Through these historic efforts, we will build a Stronger, Safer Florida.

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Ashley".

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