

1 Introduced by the Council President at the request of the Mayor:
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4 **ORDINANCE 2026-184-E**

5 AN ORDINANCE APPROPRIATING \$120,000.00 IN GRANT
6 FUNDING FROM THE FLORIDA FISH AND WILDLIFE
7 CONSERVATION COMMISSION (THE "FWC") FOR
8 REIMBURSEMENT OF CERTAIN OF THE CITY OF
9 JACKSONVILLE'S COSTS TO CONSTRUCT A MARINE
10 ARTIFICIAL REEF COMPLEX IN THE HARM'S LEDGE
11 PERMITTED AREA, AS INITIATED BY B.T. 26-051;
12 PROVIDING FOR OVERSIGHT BY THE OFFICE OF
13 ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES, ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY
14 DIVISION; PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.
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16 **BE IT ORDAINED** by the Council of the City of Jacksonville:

17 **Section 1. Appropriation.** For the 2025-2026 fiscal year,
18 within the City's budget, there are hereby appropriated the indicated
19 sum(s) from the account(s) listed in subsection (a) to the account(s)
20 listed in subsection (b):

21 (B.T. 26-051 attached hereto as **Exhibit 1** and incorporated herein by
22 this reference)

23 (a) Appropriated from:

24 See B.T. 26-051 \$120,000.00

25 (b) Appropriated to:

26 See B.T. 26-051 \$120,000.00

27 (c) Explanation of Appropriation:

28 The funding above represents an appropriation of
29 \$120,000.00 in grant funding from the Florida Fish and
30 Wildlife Conservation Commission (the "FWC") for
31 reimbursement to the City of certain costs incurred to

1 construct a marine artificial reef complex in the Harm's
2 Ledge permitted area.

3 **Section 2. Purpose.** The purpose of the appropriation in
4 Section 1 is to appropriate grant funding from the FWC to offset the
5 City's costs for the construction of a marine artificial reef complex
6 in the Harm's Ledge permitted area. Pursuant to that certain State
7 of Florida Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission Agreement No.
8 25013 (the "Agreement"), the FWC will reimburse the City up to
9 \$120,000.00 for the construction of at least one patch reef consisting
10 of at least 500 tons of secondary-use concrete materials within the
11 Harm's Ledge permitted area (the "Project"). The term of the
12 Agreement expires on September 30, 2026. A copy of the Agreement is
13 **On File** with the Legislative Services Division.

14 **Section 3. Oversight.** The Office of Administrative
15 Services, Environmental Quality Division, shall provide oversight of
16 the Agreement and the Project.

17 **Section 4. Effective Date.** This Ordinance shall become
18 effective upon signature by the Mayor or upon becoming effective
19 without the Mayor's signature.

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21 Form Approved:

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23 /S/ Joelle J. Dillard

24 Office of General Counsel

25 Legislation prepared by: Joelle J. Dillard

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