

1 Introduced by Council Member Miller and Co-Sponsored by Council
2 Members Peluso and Howland:

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5 **ORDINANCE 2024-38-E**

6 AN ORDINANCE APPROPRIATING \$200,000 FROM A
7 DESIGNATED CONTINGENCY ACCOUNT TO THE SUBSIDIES
8 AND CONTRIBUTIONS TO PRIVATE ORGANIZATIONS
9 ACCOUNT TO PROVIDE FUNDING TO SPRINGFIELD
10 PRESERVATION AND REVITALIZATION COUNCIL, INC.
11 ("SPAR"), FOR THE SPRINGFIELD CLEANUP CORPS
12 PROGRAM (THE "PROGRAM") DESCRIBED HEREIN;
13 PROVIDING FOR CARRYOVER TO FISCAL YEAR
14 2024-2025; INVOKING THE EXEMPTION IN SECTION
15 126.107(G) (EXEMPTIONS), PART 1 (GENERAL
16 REGULATIONS), CHAPTER 126 (PROCUREMENT CODE),
17 *ORDINANCE CODE*, TO ALLOW FOR A DIRECT CONTRACT
18 WITH SPAR; WAIVING SECTION 118.107 (NONPROFITS
19 TO RECEIVE FUNDING THROUGH A COMPETITIVE
20 EVALUATED AWARD PROCESS), PART 1 (GENERAL
21 PROVISIONS), CHAPTER 118 (CITY GRANTS),
22 *ORDINANCE CODE*, TO ALLOW FOR A DIRECT CONTRACT
23 WITH SPAR; WAIVING SECTION 118.602
24 (RESPONSIBILITY), PART 6 (CULTURAL SERVICE GRANT
25 PROGRAM), CHAPTER 118 (CITY GRANTS), *ORDINANCE*
26 *CODE*, TO AUTHORIZE AWARD OF THIS FUNDING TO SPAR
27 IN ADDITION TO CULTURAL SERVICE GRANT FUNDING
28 AWARDED BY THE CULTURAL COUNCIL; APPROVING, AND
29 AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR, OR HER DESIGNEE, AND THE
30 CORPORATION SECRETARY TO EXECUTE AND DELIVER ON
31 BEHALF OF THE CITY AN AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE CITY

1 OF JACKSONVILLE AND SPRINGFIELD PRESERVATION AND
2 REVITALIZATION COUNCIL, INC. FOR THE PROGRAM;
3 PROVIDING FOR OVERSIGHT BY THE GRANTS AND
4 CONTRACTS COMPLIANCE DIVISION OF THE FINANCE AND
5 ADMINISTRATION DEPARTMENT; PROVIDING AN
6 EFFECTIVE DATE.

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8 **BE IT ORDAINED** by the Council of the City of Jacksonville:

9 **Section 1. Appropriation.** For the 2023-2024 fiscal year,
10 within the City's budget, there is hereby appropriated the indicated
11 sum(s) from the account(s) listed in subsection (a) to the account(s)
12 listed in subsection (b):

13 (The account information is attached hereto as **Exhibit 1** and
14 incorporated herein by this reference)

15 (a) Appropriated from:

16 See **Exhibit 1** \$200,000

17 (b) Appropriated to:

18 See **Exhibit 1** \$200,000

19 (c) Explanation of Appropriation:

20 The funding above is an appropriation of \$200,000 from a
21 Designated Contingency account to the Subsidies and
22 Contributions to Private Organizations account to provide
23 funding to Springfield Preservation and Revitalization
24 Council, Inc. ("SPAR") for the Springfield Cleanup Corps
25 Program (the "Program") which will consist of providing
26 cleaning, litter removal and blight reduction services in
27 the Springfield community.

28 **Section 2. Purpose.** The purpose of the appropriation in
29 Section 1 is to provide funding from the City of Jacksonville to SPAR
30 for the Program as described in **Exhibit 2**, attached hereto and
31 incorporated herein by this reference. The Program will entail

1 providing cleaning, litter removal and blight reduction services in
2 Springfield. The City funds will pay for both staff and supplies to
3 administer the Program, including one full-time Operations Manager
4 and three part-time Operations Associates. SPAR will track and report
5 on the productivity and impacts of the Program with the intent that
6 it will be continued and/or expanded in the future.

7 **Section 3. Carryover.** The funds appropriated herein shall
8 not lapse but shall carryover to fiscal year 2024-2025.

9 **Section 4. Invoking the Exemption in Section 126.107(g),**
10 **Ordinance Code.** The City is hereby authorized to directly procure
11 the professional services of Springfield Preservation and
12 Revitalization Council, Inc. to administer the Program described
13 herein. Pursuant to Section 126.107(g) (Exemptions), Part 1 (General
14 Regulations), Chapter 126 (Procurement Code), *Ordinance Code*, such
15 procurement is exempted from competitive solicitation because the
16 supplies or services are to be provided by those specifically
17 prescribed within authorizing legislation that appropriates the same.
18 With the exception of the foregoing, all other provisions of Chapter
19 126, *Ordinance Code*, shall remain in full force and effect.

20 **Section 5. Waiver of Section 118.107, Ordinance Code.** The
21 provisions of Section 118.107 (Nonprofits to receive funding through
22 a competitive evaluated award process), Part 1 (General Provisions),
23 Chapter 118 (City Grants), *Ordinance Code*, are hereby waived to allow
24 for a direct contract with Springfield Preservation and
25 Revitalization Council, Inc. This waiver is justified because SPAR
26 has the long-standing connections with local residents and businesses
27 in Springfield necessary to best understand their needs and the needs
28 of the community. In addition, SPAR has conducted a pilot program in
29 Springfield's commercial area in partnership with Downtown Vision,
30 Inc. to provide similar services which received positive reception
31 from the community.

1 **Section 6. Waiver of Section 118.602, Ordinance Code.**

2 Section 118.602 (Responsibility), Part 6 (Cultural Service Grant
3 Program), Chapter 118 (City Grants), *Ordinance Code*, is hereby waived
4 to allow SPAR to receive this funding in addition to Cultural Service
5 Grant funding awarded by the Cultural Council.

6 **Section 7. Approval and Authorization to Execute.** There is

7 hereby approved, and the Mayor, or her designee, and the Corporation
8 Secretary are hereby authorized to execute and deliver on behalf of
9 the City an agreement with Springfield Preservation and
10 Revitalization Council, Inc. in an amount not-to-exceed \$200,000,
11 subject to the Scope of Services and Budget more particularly
12 described in **Exhibit 2**, for a term commencing on March 1, 2024 through
13 February 28, 2025, and all other contracts and documents, including
14 extensions, renewals and amendments to the agreement, and to otherwise
15 take all action necessary to effectuate the intent of this Ordinance,
16 subject to appropriate legal review and approval by the General
17 Counsel, or his or her designee, and the City's Risk Management
18 Division for appropriate insurance and indemnification requirements
19 in accordance with Section 128.601, *Ordinance Code*.

20 **Section 8. Oversight Department.** The Grants and

21 Contract Compliance Division of the Finance and Administration
22 Department shall oversee the project described herein.

23 **Section 9. Effective Date.** This Ordinance shall become

24 effective upon signature by the Mayor or upon becoming effective
25 without the Mayor's signature.

26 Form Approved:

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28 /s/ Mary E. Staffopoulos

29 Office of General Counsel

30 Legislation Prepared By: Mary E. Staffopoulos

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