

Introduced by the Council President at the request of the Mayor:

ORDINANCE 2026-34

AN ORDINANCE APPROPRIATING \$15,790.00 FROM THE
COMMUNITY SERVICES GRANTS - VOLUNTEER EXPENSES
ACCOUNT TO PURCHASE FOOD AND BEVERAGE FOR
SPECIAL EVENTS AND ACTIVITIES RELATED TO
TRAINING AND VOLUNTEER RECOGNITIONS FOR (1) THE
RESPITE FOR ELDERS IN EVERYDAY FAMILIES (RELIEF)
PROGRAM (\$6,590.00), (2) THE FOSTER GRANDPARENTS
PROGRAM (\$2,000.00), AND (3) THE SENIOR
COMPANION PROGRAM (\$7,200.00), AS INITIATED BY
B.T. 26-032; AMENDING ORDINANCE 2024-504-E, THE
FISCAL YEAR 2024-2025 BUDGET, BY AMENDING
REVISED ATTACHMENT A TO AUTHORIZE EXPENDITURE OF
THESE FUNDS ON FOOD AND BEVERAGE FOR SPECIAL
EVENTS AND ACTIVITIES; PROVIDING FOR AN
EFFECTIVE DATE.

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

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

(B.T. 26-032, attached hereto as **Exhibit 1** and incorporated herein by this reference):

(a) Appropriated from:

See B.T. 26-032 \$15,790.00

(b) Appropriated to:

See B.T. 26-032 \$15,790.00

(c) Explanation of Appropriation:

The funding above is an appropriation of \$15,790.00 from the Community Services Grants - Volunteer Expenses account to purchase food and beverage for various special events and activities for training and volunteer recognition for (1) the Respite for Elders in Everyday Families (RELIEF) Program (\$6,590.00), (2) the Foster Grandparents Program (\$2,000.00), and (3) the Senior Companion Program (\$7,200.00).

Section 2. Purpose. The purpose of the appropriation in Section 1 is to transfer funds from the Community Services Grants – Volunteer Expenses account to purchase food and beverage for certain special events and activities hosted by the Parks, Recreation, and Community Services Department. These events include mandatory training and volunteer recognitions for the Foster Grandparents Program, the Respite for Elders in Everyday Families (RELIEF) Program, and the Senior Companion Program.

Section 3. Amending Ordinance 2024-504-E, the Fiscal Year 2025-2026 Budget, to Amend Revised Attachment A. Ordinance 2024-504-E, adopting the 2024-2025 fiscal year budget, is hereby amended to replace the Revised Attachment A, entitled "Food and Beverage Expenditures", to authorize expenditure of these funds for the purchase of food and beverage for the purposes outlined above. The Second Revised Attachment A is attached hereto as **Exhibit 2** and incorporated herein by this reference.

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

1 Form Approved:

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3 /S/ Joelle J. Dillard

4 Office of General Counsel

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