

1 Introduced by Council President Salem and amended by the Rules  
2 Committee:

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5 **ORDINANCE 2023-484-E**

6 AN ORDINANCE CONFIRMING THE APPOINTMENT OF SARAH  
7 A. SMITH, AS A MEMBER OF THE OPIOID AND SUBSTANCE  
8 USE DISORDER GRANTS COMMITTEE, AS A PEER  
9 SPECIALIST REPRESENTATIVE, PURSUANT TO SECTION  
10 84.202, *ORDINANCE CODE*, FOR A FIRST FULL TERM  
11 ENDING ON JUNE 30, 2025; PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE  
12 DATE.

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14 **WHEREAS**, Ordinance 2023-350-E established the Opioid and  
15 Substance Use Disorder Grants Committee (the "Committee") to act as  
16 an advisory body for the City of Jacksonville and to review, evaluate  
17 and score grant applications to fund projects and programs aimed at  
18 combatting the opioid crisis; and

19 **WHEREAS**, Section 84.202, *Ordinance Code*, outlines the  
20 composition of the Committee which shall consist of seven voting  
21 members, three of whom shall be appointed by the Mayor and confirmed  
22 by Council and three of whom shall be appointed by the Council  
23 President and confirmed by Council; and

24 **WHEREAS**, the Mayor and Council President shall each appoint  
25 one member to the Committee from each of the following categories:  
26 (i) Mental Health Professional, (ii) Peer Specialist, and (iii)  
27 Healthcare Professional; and

28 **WHEREAS**, the members of the Committee are chosen to provide  
29 knowledge of needed services, shall demonstrate an interest in the  
30 impact of opioid-related programs in the community, and a willingness  
31 to participate fully in the process; now therefore

1        **BE IT RESOLVED** by the Council of the City of Jacksonville:

2        **Section 1.        Appointment.**    The Council hereby confirms the  
3 Council President's appointment of Sarah A. Smith, a Duval County  
4 resident, to the Opioid and Substance Use Disorder Grants Committee,  
5 as a Peer Specialist representative, in accordance with Section  
6 84.202, *Ordinance Code*, for a first full term expiring on June 30,  
7 2025.

8        **Section 2.        Effective Date.**    This Ordinance shall become  
9 effective upon signature by the Mayor or upon becoming effective  
10 without the Mayor's signature.

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12 Form Approved:

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14                  /s/ Mary E. Staffopoulos          

15 Office of General Counsel

16 Legislation Prepared By: Mary E. Staffopoulos

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