

1 Introduced by the Council President at the request of the Mayor:  
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4 **ORDINANCE 2020-404-E**

5 AN ORDINANCE APPROVING, AND AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR,  
6 OR HIS DESIGNEE, AND CORPORATION SECRETARY TO  
7 EXECUTE AND DELIVER, A LETTER OF AGREEMENT FOR  
8 MEDICAL EXAMINER SERVICES BETWEEN THE CITY OF  
9 JACKSONVILLE AND CENTURION, LLC FOR REIMBURSEMENT  
10 OF AUTOPSY SERVICES PERFORMED FOR THE FLORIDA  
11 DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS AT FACILITIES IN REGION  
12 2 FOR WHICH THE DISTRICT 4 MEDICAL EXAMINER'S  
13 OFFICE HAS JURISDICTION; PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE  
14 DATE.  
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16 **WHEREAS**, pursuant to Chapter 406, Florida Statutes, the  
17 District IV Medical Examiner provides services to Centurion, LLC in  
18 District VIII in the form of autopsy services to inmates under the  
19 control of the Florida Department of Corrections for facilities in  
20 Florida Department of Law Enforcement (FDLE) Region 2 for which the  
21 District IV Medical Examiner's Office has jurisdiction; and

22 **WHEREAS**, the District IV Medical Examiner is to be compensated  
23 for his or her services by Centurion, LLC; and

24 **WHEREAS**, Duval County has allocated the annual salary to be  
25 paid the District IV Medical Examiner for the full services  
26 rendered to Centurion, LLC in Region 2; and

27 **WHEREAS**, Centurion, LLC Inc. should reimburse Duval County for  
28 the value of the District IV Medical Examiner's services it  
29 receives; and

30 **WHEREAS**, Centurion, LLC and Duval County desire to enter into  
31 a Letter Agreement for Medical Examiner Services under which

1 Centurion, LLC is to reimburse Duval County for the value of the  
2 District IV Medical Examiner's services it receives; now, therefore

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

4 **Section 1. Approval and authorization to execute and**  
5 **deliver Letter of Agreement and other documents.** There is hereby  
6 approved, and the Mayor, or his designee, and Corporation Secretary  
7 are hereby authorized to execute and deliver, a Letter of Agreement  
8 for Medical Examiner Services between the City of Jacksonville and  
9 Centurion, LLC, in substantially the same form as is attached  
10 hereto as **Exhibit 1** and incorporated herein by this reference, and  
11 all other documents necessary or appropriate to effectuate the  
12 purpose of this ordinance and said letter agreement. Reimbursement  
13 from Centurion, LLC for services provided to Centurion, LLC by the  
14 District IV Medical Examiner shall be as set forth in Ordinance  
15 2017-370-E, and the term of the agreement shall be for a period of  
16 three (3) years commencing October 1, 2020, and ending September  
17 30, 2023.

18 **Section 2. Oversight.** The Medical Examiner's Office  
19 shall oversee the project described herein.

20 **Section 3. Effective Date.** This ordinance shall  
21 become effective upon signature by the Mayor or upon becoming  
22 effective without the Mayor's signature.

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24 Form Approved:

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26 /s/ Paige H. Johnston

27 Office of General Counsel

28 Legislation prepared by James R. McCain, Jr.

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