

Introduced by Council Member Arias:

ORDINANCE 2026-629

AN ORDINANCE APPROVING, AND AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR, OR HER DESIGNEE, THE SHERIFF OF DUVAL COUNTY, FLORIDA, AND THE CORPORATION SECRETARY TO EXECUTE AND DELIVER, FOR AND ON BEHALF OF THE CITY, AN AGREEMENT REGARDING TRAFFIC CONTROL JURISDICTION BETWEEN THE CITY OF JACKSONVILLE AND MONTEVILLA AT BARTRAM LAKES ASSOCIATION, INC. ("MBLA"), PURSUANT TO SECTION 316.006, *FLORIDA STATUTES*, AUTHORIZING THE JACKSONVILLE SHERIFF'S OFFICE TO EXERCISE MUNICIPAL TRAFFIC CONTROL JURISDICTION OVER THE PRIVATE AND/OR LIMITED ACCESS ROADS WITHIN THE BOUNDARIES OF MONTEVILLA AT BARTRAM LAKES; AUTHORIZING THE JACKSONVILLE SHERIFF'S OFFICE TO ENFORCE THE 30 MILE PER HOUR SPEED LIMIT ON PRIVATE ROADS WITHIN MONTEVILLA AT BARTRAM LAKES; PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, Montevilla at Bartram Lakes Association, Inc. ("MBLA") has requested the Jacksonville Sheriff's Office ("JSO") to perform traffic control services on private and/or limited access roads within the boundaries of Montevilla at Bartram Lakes, located at the intersection of Bartram Park Boulevard and Vittoria Drive; and

WHEREAS, the Montevilla at Bartram Lakes Association, Inc. Board of Directors voted on July 29, 2026, to allow JSO to enter upon the Montevilla at Bartram Lakes property to exercise and perform such traffic control jurisdiction and approved entering into an agreement

1 with the City of Jacksonville/JSO providing the terms and conditions
2 for the provision of such services; and

3 **WHEREAS,** a copy of the minutes of the July 29, 2026, Board of
4 Directors meeting is attached hereto as **Exhibit 1**; now therefore

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

6 **Section 1. Approval and Authorization.** There is hereby
7 approved and the Mayor, or her designee, the Sheriff of Duval County,
8 Florida, and the Corporation Secretary are hereby authorized to
9 execute and deliver, for an on behalf of the City of Jacksonville,
10 an Agreement Regarding Traffic Control Jurisdiction between the City
11 and Montevilla at Bartram Lakes Association, Inc. in substantially
12 the form attached hereto as **Exhibit 2** and incorporated herein by this
13 reference, pursuant to Section 316.006, *Florida Statutes*, authorizing
14 the Jacksonville Sheriff's Office to exercise municipal traffic
15 control jurisdiction over the private and/or limited access roads
16 located within the boundaries of Montevilla at Bartram Lakes.

17 **Section 2. Authorizing Enforcement of the 30 Miles Per Hour**
18 **(MPH) Speed Limit Within Montevilla at Bartram Lakes.** Pursuant to
19 Section 804.402, *Ordinance Code*, the City, with the approval of the
20 Sheriff, may vary and post speed limits throughout the City to promote
21 the efficient flow of traffic and the safety of motorists and
22 pedestrians upon public streets and highways. The internal roads of
23 Montevilla at Bartram Lakes are private and/or limited access roads
24 with a posted speed limit of a maximum of 30 miles per hour. The City
25 Council hereby authorizes the Jacksonville Sheriff's Office to
26 enforce the posted speed limit of 30 miles per hour on the private
27 and/or limited access roads within Montevilla at Bartram Lakes.

28 **Section 3. Effective Date.** This Ordinance shall become
29 effective upon signature by the Mayor or upon becoming effective
30 without the Mayor's signature.

1 Form Approved:

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3 /s/ Mary E. Staffopoulos

4 Office of General Counsel

5 Legislation Prepared By: Mary E. Staffopoulos

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