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

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ORDINANCE 2025-336

AN ORDINANCE CLOSING AND ABANDONING AND/OR DISCLAIMING A 30-FOOT-WIDE DRAINAGE EASEMENT AS ESTABLISHED IN ORDINANCE 72-238-96, AS RECORDED IN THE CURRENT PUBLIC RECORDS OF DUVAL COUNTY, FLORIDA, LOCATED IN COUNCIL DISTRICT 8, AT THE REQUEST OF D.R. HORTON INC.; PROVIDING APPROVAL SUBJECT TO CONDITIONS; PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

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

Section 1. Closure and Abandonment. drainage easement as established in Ordinance 72-238-96, as recorded in the current public records of Duval County, Florida, located in Council District 8, a depiction and description of which is attached hereto as **Exhibit 1** and incorporated herein by this reference, is hereby closed and abandoned and/or disclaimed at the request of D.R. Horton Inc. (the "Applicant").

The Applicant has paid the easement closure application fee of \$1,066.00 and this sum has been deposited into the City's General Fund. This closure request was reviewed and approved by the various city, state, and utility agencies that might have an interest in the right-of-way and there were no objections to the Applicant's request.

Section 2. Purpose. The Applicant has requested this closure in preparation for the development of its residential subdivision Hansen Creek.

Hold Harmless Covenant. Section 3. The closure and abandonment by the City of its interests in the right-of-way is

subject to Applicant's execution and delivery to the City of a Hold Harmless Covenant, in substantially the same form attached hereto as **Exhibit 2** and incorporated herein by this reference. Accordingly, the closure and abandonment of the right-of-way shall not be recorded in the public records until execution and delivery to the City by the Applicant of the required Hold Harmless Covenant.

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

Form Approved:

/s/ Harry M. Wilson, IV

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Legislation Prepared By: Harry M. Wilson, IV

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