

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

4 **ORDINANCE 2021-149-E**

5 AN ORDINANCE APPROPRIATING \$100,000.00 FROM
6 GENERAL FUND OPERATIONS - FUND BALANCE TO THE
7 FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH IN DUVAL COUNTY
8 FOR PAYMENT OF EXPENSES INCURRED DUE TO
9 ONGOING CORONAVIRUS PANDEMIC ("COVID-19")
10 RESPONSE EFFORTS, AS INITIATED BY B.T. 21-046;
11 PURPOSE OF APPROPRIATION; PROVIDING REPORTING
12 REQUIREMENTS; REQUESTING EMERGENCY PASSAGE
13 UPON INTRODUCTION; PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE
14 DATE.

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

17 **Section 1. Appropriation.** For the 2020-2021 fiscal year,
18 within the City's budget, there are hereby appropriated the
19 indicated sum(s) from the account(s) listed in subsection (a) to
20 the account(s) listed in subsection (b):

21 (B.T. 21-046 attached hereto as **Exhibit 1** and incorporated herein
22 by this reference)

23 (a) Appropriated from:

24 See B.T. 21-046 \$100,000.00

25 (b) Appropriated to:

26 See B.T. 21-046 \$100,000.00

27 (c) Explanation of Appropriation:

28 The funding above is an appropriation of \$100,000.00 from
29 General Fund Operations - Fund Balance to the Florida
30 Department of Health in Duval County for payment of
31 expenses incurred due to ongoing COVID-19 response

1 efforts.

2 **Section 2. Purpose.** The purpose of the appropriation in
3 Section 1 is to provide additional funding for expenses arising
4 from ongoing COVID-19 response efforts administered by the Florida
5 Department of Health in Duval County ("DOH"). Response efforts for
6 which these funds may be expended include, but are not limited to,
7 interviewing, evaluating and monitoring clients on matters related
8 to COVID-19, providing education and guidance on COVID-19 related
9 issues, and counseling on isolation/quarantine parameters. The
10 funds may also be used to support ongoing COVID-19 vaccination
11 planning and distribution efforts and other health-related needs.

12 **Section 3. Reporting Requirements.** The DOH shall submit
13 a detailed summary of expenditures of Funds, to include invoices,
14 to the Director of the Finance and Administration Department on a
15 quarterly basis. A final detailed report shall be due after all
16 funds have been expended.

17 **Section 4. Requesting emergency passage upon introduction**
18 **pursuant to Council Rule 4.901.** Emergency passage of this
19 legislation is requested upon introduction. The nature of the
20 emergency is that the negative impacts of COVID-19 are ongoing and
21 these funds will allow the DOH to continue providing uninterrupted
22 COVID-19 response services to the community.

23 **Section 5. Effective Date.** This ordinance shall become
24 effective upon signature by the Mayor or upon becoming effective
25 without the Mayor's signature.

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27 Form Approved:

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29 /s/ Mary E. Staffopoulos

30 Office of General Counsel

31 Legislation prepared by: Mary E. Staffopoulos

