

1 Introduced by the Council President at the request of the Mayor &
2 Co-Sponsored by Council Members Ferraro, Salem, Carlucci, Newby,
3 Morgan, Gaffney, White, Diamond, Bowman, Cumber, DeFoor, Freeman,
4 Hazouri and Pittman and amended by the Neighborhoods, Community
5 Services, Public Health & Safety Committee:
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8 **ORDINANCE 2020-63-E**

9 AN ORDINANCE APPROPRIATING A \$521,855.00
10 REIMBURSABLE GRANT FROM THE FLORIDA DEPARTMENT
11 OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION FOR THE
12 DEVELOPMENT OF JACKSONVILLE FREEDOM PARK, AS
13 INITIATED BY B.T. 20-029; APPROVING, AND
14 AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR, OR HIS DESIGNEE, AND
15 THE CORPORATION SECRETARY TO EXECUTE AND
16 DELIVER, FOR AND ON BEHALF OF THE CITY, THE
17 STANDARD GRANT AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE STATE OF
18 FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION
19 AND THE CITY OF JACKSONVILLE AND OTHER
20 DOCUMENTS AND TAKE FURTHER ACTION TO
21 EFFECTUATE THE PURPOSES OF THIS ORDINANCE;
22 AMENDING THE 2020-2024 FIVE-YEAR CAPITAL
23 IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM APPROVED BY ORDINANCE
24 2019-505-E TO PROVIDE FUNDING FOR THE PROJECT
25 ENTITLED "FREEDOM PARK"; PROVIDING FOR
26 OVERSIGHT BY THE PARKS, RECREATION AND
27 COMMUNITY SERVICES DEPARTMENT; PROVIDING AN
28 EFFECTIVE DATE.
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30 **BE IT ORDAINED** by the Council of the City of Jacksonville:

1 Jacksonville, a copy of which is has been placed **On File** with the
2 Office of Legislative Services, and other documents and take
3 further action to effectuate the purposes of this ordinance.

4 **Section 4. CIP Amendment.** Ordinance 2019-505-E, being
5 the 2020-2024 Five-Year Capital Improvement Program for the City
6 and certain of its independent agencies, is hereby amended to
7 provide funding for the project entitled "Freedom Park." The
8 project is more fully described in the Project Information Sheet
9 attached hereto as **Exhibit 2**, and incorporated herein by this
10 reference. The Council finds that the deferral of this amendment of
11 the CIP until the next annual budget and CIP review will be
12 detrimental to the best interests of the community because such
13 deferral will result in unnecessary delay in the creation of the
14 park. Pursuant to Section 122.605(c), Ordinance Code, enactment of
15 this ordinance requires the affirmative vote of two-thirds of the
16 Council members present at the meeting because of the CIP amendment
17 set forth in this section. This ordinance shall constitute an
18 amendment to Ordinance 2019-505-E. In all other respects, the Five-
19 Year Capital Improvement Program approved by Ordinance 2019-505-E
20 shall continue in full force and effect.

21 **Section 5. Oversight.** The Parks, Recreation and
22 Community Services Department shall oversee the project described
23 herein.

24 **Section 6. Effective Date.** This ordinance shall become
25 effective upon signature by the Mayor or upon becoming effective
26 without the Mayor's signature.

27 Form Approved:

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29 /s/ Paige H. Johnston

30 Office of General Counsel

31 Legislation prepared by: James R. McCain, Jr.

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