

1 Introduced by the Council President at the request of the Mayor and
2 Co-Sponsored by Council Member Carlucci:

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5 **ORDINANCE 2023-867-E**

6 AN ORDINANCE APPROPRIATING A \$67,340.00 GRANT
7 FROM THE U.S. ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY
8 ("EPA") PURSUANT TO THE CLEAN AIR ACT TO PROVIDE
9 FUNDING FOR THE PURCHASE OF NEW AIR MONITORING
10 EQUIPMENT FOR PARTICULATE MATTER AND OZONE
11 CONCENTRATIONS, AS INITIATED BY B.T. 24-028;
12 PURPOSE OF APPROPRIATION; PROVIDING FOR
13 OVERSIGHT AND REPORTING BY THE NEIGHBORHOODS
14 DEPARTMENT, ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY DIVISION;
15 PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

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

18 **Section 1. Appropriation.** For the 2023-2024 fiscal year,
19 within the City's budget, there are hereby appropriated the indicated
20 sum(s) from the account(s) listed in subsection (a) to the account(s)
21 listed in subsection (b):

22 (B.T. 24-028 attached hereto as **Exhibit 1** and incorporated herein by
23 this reference)

24 (a) Appropriated from:

25 See B.T. 24-028 \$67,340.00

26 (b) Appropriated to:

27 See B.T. 24-028 \$67,340.00

28 (c) Explanation of Appropriation:

29 The funding above represents an appropriation of \$67,340.00
30 in grant funding from the U.S. Environmental Protection
31 Agency for the purchase of new air monitoring equipment

1 for particulate matter and ozone concentrations. The grant
2 period commences on August 1, 2023 and ends on September
3 30, 2024. No City match is required.

4 **Section 2. Purpose.** The purpose of the appropriation in
5 Section 1 is to fund the purchase of new air monitoring equipment for
6 particulate matter and ozone concentrations. This equipment will
7 enhance monitoring of particulate matter pollutants in and near
8 communities with environmental justice concerns as well as other
9 communities by replacing existing filter-based monitors with
10 continuous federal equivalent method monitors to provide 24/7 real-
11 time reporting of air quality concentrations. A copy of the U.S.
12 Environmental Protection Agency Grant Agreement/Notice of Award
13 providing the terms and conditions relative to receipt and expenditure
14 of the grant funds is attached hereto as **Exhibit 2**.

15 **Section 3. Oversight and Reporting.** The Neighborhoods
16 Department, Environmental Quality Division, shall oversee
17 administration of the grant described herein and shall be responsible
18 for submittal of the required reports in accordance with the grant
19 agreement.

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

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24 Form Approved:

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26 /s/ Mary E. Staffopoulos

27 Office of General Counsel

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