

CITY COUNCIL RESEARCH DIVISION LEGISLATIVE SUMMARY



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Bill Type and Number: Ordinance 2025-0602

Introducer/Sponsor(s): Council President at the request of the Sheriff

Date of Introduction: August 12, 2025

Committee(s) of Reference: F, NCSPHS

Date of Analysis: August 11, 2025

Type of Action: Appropriation; designating oversight department; authorizing the Mayor to execute and deliver documents relating to appropriation

Bill Summary: This bill appropriates \$32,000.00 from the Special Law Enforcement Trust Fund to fund crime prevention and law enforcement expenditures and activities including: (1) \$2,000.00 from the Fund to Florida Sheriffs Youth Ranches, Inc, and (2) \$30,000.00 from the Fund to Downtown Vision Alliance, Inc, for the Homeward Bound Program, as initiated by BT 25-105. This bill also provides for oversight by the Jacksonville Sheriff's Office and authorizes the Mayor to execute and deliver documents relating to the appropriation.

Background Information: The purpose of this appropriation is to transfer \$2,000.00 from the Special Law Enforcement Trust Fund to Florida Sheriffs Youth Ranches, Inc., and transfer \$30,000.00 to Downtown Vision Alliance, Inc., for the Homeward Bound program. The appropriation supports crime prevention and law enforcement expenditures and activities.

Policy Impact Area: Crime prevention and law enforcement

Fiscal Impact: This bill appropriates \$32,000.00 from the Special Law Enforcement Trust Fund, initiated by BT 25-105.

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