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

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ORDINANCE 2023-400-E

AN ORDINANCE APPROPRIATING \$975,000 FROM THE FLEET MANAGEMENT PERMANENT AND PROBATIONARY SALARIES AND FUEL - MOTOR VEHICLE ACCOUNTS TO THE FLEET MANAGEMENT SUBLET ACCIDENTS - MOTOR POOL ONLY AND SUBLET REPAIRS - MOTOR POOL ONLY ACCOUNTS TO OFFSET A BUDGET SHORTFALL IN SUBLET REPAIRS FOR ACCIDENTS AND GENERAL REPAIRS FOR THE REMAINDER OF FISCAL YEAR 2022-2023, AS INITIATED BY B.T. 23-101; PROVIDING FOR CARRYOVER OF FUNDS; PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

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

Section 1. Appropriation. For the 2022-2023 fiscal year, within the City's budget, there are hereby appropriated the indicated sum(s) from the account(s) listed in subsection (a) to the account(s) listed in subsection (b):

(B.T. 23-101 is attached hereto as **Exhibit 1** and incorporated herein by this reference)

(a) Appropriated from:

See B.T. 23-101

\$975,000

(b) Appropriated to:

See B.T. 23-101

\$975,000

(c) Explanation of Appropriation:

The funding above is an appropriation of \$975,000 from the Fleet Management Permanent and Probationary Salaries and Fuel - Motor Vehicle accounts to the Fleet Management Sublet Accidents - Motor Pool Only and Sublet Repairs -

Motor Pool Only accounts to offset a budget shortfall in sublet repairs for accidents and general repairs for the remainder of fiscal year 2022-2023.

Section 2. Purpose. The purpose of the appropriation in Section 1 is to offset a shortfall in the Fleet Management sublet repairs budget for accidents and general repairs for the remainder of the fiscal year. This budget shortfall is attributed to inflation in the costs for both labor and repair parts and an increase in the volume of repairs. In addition, Fleet Management has been unable to fill open technician positions due to a nationwide shortage of qualified candidates. Efforts have been taken to collaborate with local trade schools (FSCJ and J-Tech) to provide an apprentice program to increase the pool of local qualified technicians.

Section 3. Carryover. The funds appropriated by this Ordinance shall not lapse but shall carryover to fiscal year 2023-2024.

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

Office of General Counsel

Form Approved:

/s/ Mary E. Staffopoulos

Legislation Prepared By: Mary E. Staffopoulos

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