

1 Introduced by Council Member Ferraro:
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4 **ORDINANCE 2021-891**

5 AN ORDINANCE REGARDING FLORIDA INLAND NAVIGATION
6 DISTRICT (FIND) GRANTS; AMENDING SECTION 117.110
7 (FLORIDA INLAND NAVIGATION DISTRICT (FIND)
8 GRANTS), CHAPTER 117 (GRANTS), *ORDINANCE CODE*,
9 TO REQUIRE THAT THE MAYOR NOTIFY COUNCIL OF
10 EXCESS FUNDS IN THE FIND MATCH ACCOUNT AFTER
11 FIND APPROVAL OF ANNUAL PROJECTS AND TO REQUIRE
12 THAT THE COUNCIL PRESIDENT FILE LEGISLATION TO
13 TRANSFER THE EXCESS MATCH FUNDING TO A SPECIAL
14 COUNCIL CONTINGENCY ACCOUNT FOR WATERWAYS
15 IMPROVEMENTS, MAINTENANCE AND REPAIR FOR THE
16 CURRENT FISCAL YEAR; PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE
17 DATE.
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19 **BE IT ORDAINED** by the Council of the City of Jacksonville:

20 **Section 1. Section 117.110 (Florida Inland Navigation**
21 **District (FIND) Grants).** Section 117.110 (Florida Inland Navigation
22 District (FIND) Grants), Chapter 117 (Grants), *Ordinance Code*, is
23 hereby amended to add new language regarding use of FIND matching
24 funds, to read as follows:

25 **CHAPTER 117 GRANTS**

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27 **117.110 Florida Inland Navigation District (FIND) Grants.**

28 Notwithstanding anything to the contrary in this Chapter, or
29 otherwise set forth in the *Ordinance Code*, the City of Jacksonville
30 shall not apply for any Florida Inland Navigation District (FIND)
31 grant without first securing a resolution of support and approval

1 from the City Council, which resolution shall be submitted with the
2 grant application, or in accordance with FIND requirements.

3 Should the amount appropriated by Council for FIND grant match
4 funding in the annual budget or through other legislative action for
5 a particular fiscal year exceed the match amount that is required by
6 FIND or other state regulations to be made available by the City,
7 this fact shall be disclosed by the Mayor to the Council in writing
8 within 14 days from receipt of communication of final annual award
9 from FIND.

10 Thereafter, the Council President shall file legislation
11 appropriating the excess funding from the FIND matching funds account
12 to a special council contingency account to be spent within the
13 current fiscal year on construction/improvement, maintenance or
14 repair projects that benefit access to public waterways within the
15 city (such as docks (including repairs), boat launches, ramps and
16 bulkheads). The Administration shall submit a resolution to Council,
17 for Council approval, with a list of proposed projects that will be
18 completed with the excess funding.

19 **Section 2. Effective Date.** This ordinance shall become
20 effective upon signature by the Mayor or upon becoming effective
21 without the Mayor's signature.

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24 Form Approved:

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26 /s/ Paige H. Johnston

27 Office of General Counsel

28 Legislation prepared by: Paige H. Johnston

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