

Introduced by Council Member Johnson:

ORDINANCE 2025-466

AN ORDINANCE APPROPRIATING \$15,000 FROM THE SPECIAL COUNCIL CONTINGENCY ACCOUNT TO THE SUBSIDIES AND CONTRIBUTIONS TO PRIVATE ORG ACCOUNT WITHIN THE KIDS HOPE ALLIANCE ("KHA") FUND TO PROVIDE FUNDING TO DELTA SIGMA THETA SORORITY, INC., JACKSONVILLE ALUMNAE CHAPTER ("JAC") FOR THE MAY WEEK PROGRAM (THE "PROGRAM") AS DESCRIBED HEREIN; PROVIDING FOR CARRYOVER TO FISCAL YEAR 2025-2026; AMENDING THE FIFTH REVISED SCHEDULE M TO ORDINANCE 2024-511-E; WAIVING CERTAIN REQUIREMENTS OF SECTION 77.111 (CONTRACTS; CONTRACT ADMINISTRATION; CARRYOVER), CHAPTER 77 (KIDS HOPE ALLIANCE), *ORDINANCE CODE*, TO EXEMPT THE SERVICES TO BE PROVIDED BY JAC FROM COMPETITIVE PROCUREMENT; APPROVING, AND AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR, OR HER DESIGNEE, AND THE CORPORATION SECRETARY, AND/OR THE CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER OF KHA TO EXECUTE AND DELIVER AN AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE CITY OF JACKSONVILLE OR KHA AND DELTA SIGMA THETA SORORITY, INC., JACKSONVILLE ALUMNAE CHAPTER FOR THE PROGRAM; PROVIDING FOR OVERSIGHT BY KHA; PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

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

Section 1. Appropriation. For the 2024-2025 fiscal year, within the City's budget, there is hereby appropriated the indicated

1 sum(s) from the account(s) listed in subsection (a) to the account(s)
2 listed in subsection (b):

3 (The account information is attached hereto as **Exhibit 1** and
4 incorporated herein by this reference)

5 (a) Appropriated from:

6 See **Exhibit 1** \$15,000

7 (b) Appropriated to:

8 See **Exhibit 1** \$15,000

9 (c) Explanation of Appropriation:

10 The funding above is an appropriation of \$15,000 from the
11 Special Council Contingency account to the Subsidies and
12 Contributions to Private Org account within the Kids Hope
13 Alliance ("KHA") Fund to provide funding to Delta Sigma
14 Theta Sorority, Inc., Jacksonville Alumnae Chapter ("JAC")
15 for the May Week Program (the "Program") as described
16 herein.

17 **Section 2. Purpose.** The purpose of the appropriation in
18 Section 1 is to provide funding from the City of Jacksonville to JAC
19 for the Program as described in **Exhibit 2**, attached hereto and
20 incorporated herein by this reference. The Program is designed to
21 promote and expand youth development in Jacksonville by highlighting
22 academic and professional achievements while also offering events
23 that emphasize the importance of higher education, particularly for
24 black women. The events offered through the Program include
25 school-based community service campaigns and contests, youth
26 empowerment summits, financial aid workshops, mini seminars on
27 college preparedness and strategies for success, motivational videos,
28 career fairs, "hot topic" panel discussions, and "STEAMinars." The
29 City funds will support the Program by providing \$15,000 for college
30 scholarships, to be distributed in amounts of up to \$3,000 per
31 scholarship, to be awarded to high school seniors to assist with

1 their higher education expenses.

2 **Section 3. Carryover.** The funds appropriated herein shall
3 not lapse but shall carryover to fiscal year 2025-2026.

4 **Section 4. Amending the Fifth Revised Schedule M to**
5 **Ordinance 2024-511-E.** The Kids Hope Alliance fiscal year 2024-2025
6 budget approved by Ordinance 2024-511-E is hereby amended by
7 substituting in place of the Fifth Revised Schedule M, the Sixth
8 Revised Schedule M, attached hereto as **Exhibit 3** and incorporated
9 herein by this reference, to reflect the funds appropriated herein.

10 **Section 5. Waiving Certain Requirements of Section 77.111,**
11 **Ordinance Code.** The City hereby waives certain requirements of
12 Section 77.111 (Contracts; contract administration; carryover),
13 Chapter 77 (Kids Hope Alliance), *Ordinance Code*, with respect to the
14 contract with JAC approved and authorized by this Ordinance.
15 Specifically, subsection 77.111(a) requires Provider Contracts for
16 children's services provided by third parties to be competitively
17 procured by KHA via an evaluated bid process. This waiver is needed
18 in order to allow KHA to directly contract with Delta Sigma Theta
19 Sorority, Inc., Jacksonville Alumnae Chapter for the May Week Program
20 described in **Exhibit 2**.

21 **Section 6. Approval and Authorization to Execute.** There is
22 hereby approved, and the Mayor, or her designee, and the Corporation
23 Secretary, and/or the Chief Executive Officer of KHA, are hereby
24 authorized to execute and deliver on behalf of the City or KHA, an
25 agreement with Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc., Jacksonville Alumnae
26 Chapter, in an amount not-to-exceed \$15,000. The agreement shall be
27 subject to and administered in accordance with Chapter 77, *Ordinance*
28 *Code*, and the terms, scope and budget more particularly described in
29 **Exhibit 2**, for a term commencing on July 1, 2025 through December 31,
30 2025, and all other contracts and documents, including extensions,
31 renewals and amendments to the agreement, and to otherwise take all

1 action necessary to effectuate the intent of this Ordinance, subject
2 to appropriate legal review and approval by the General Counsel, or
3 his designee, and the City's Risk Management Division for appropriate
4 insurance and indemnification requirements in accordance with Section
5 128.601, *Ordinance Code*.

6 **Section 7. Oversight Department.** The Kids Hope Alliance
7 shall oversee the project described herein.

8 **Section 8. Effective Date.** This Ordinance shall become
9 effective upon signature by the Mayor or upon becoming effective
10 without the Mayor's signature.

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12 Form Approved:

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14 /s/ Mary E. Staffopoulos

15 Office of General Counsel

16 Legislation Prepared By: Mary E. Staffopoulos

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