

1 Introduced by Council Member Amaro and amended by the  
2 Neighborhoods, Community Services, Public Health and Safety  
3 Committee:

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6 **ORDINANCE 2026-4-E**

7 AN ORDINANCE CREATING A NEW SECTION 111.106  
8 (PARKS, RECREATION AND COMMUNITY SERVICES  
9 EVENTS SPECIAL REVENUE FUND), PART 1 (PARKS,  
10 RECREATION, CULTURE AND ENTERTAINMENT),  
11 CHAPTER 111 (SPECIAL REVENUE AND TRUST  
12 ACCOUNTS), *ORDINANCE CODE*, TO CREATE A NEW  
13 SPECIAL REVENUE FUND TO DEFRAY COSTS OF EVENTS  
14 SPONSORED OR CO-SPONSORED BY THE PARKS,  
15 RECREATION AND COMMUNITY SERVICES DEPARTMENT;  
16 PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

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

19 **Section 1. Creating Section 111.106 (Parks, Recreation**  
20 **and Community Services Events Special Revenue Fund), Part 1 (Parks,**  
21 **Recreation, Culture and Entertainment), Chapter 111 (Special**  
22 **Revenue and Trust Accounts), *Ordinance Code*.** A new Section 111.106  
23 (Parks, Recreation and Community Services Events Special Revenue  
24 Fund), Part 1 (Parks, Recreation, Culture and Entertainment),  
25 Chapter 111 (Special Revenue and Trust Accounts), *Ordinance Code*,  
26 is hereby created to read as follows:

27 **CHAPTER 111. SPECIAL REVENUE AND TRUST ACCOUNTS.**

28 **PART 1. PARKS, RECREATION, CULTURE AND ENTERTAINMENT.**

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30 **Sec. 111.106. - Parks, Recreation and Community Services**  
31 **Events Special Revenue Fund.**

1           There is hereby created the Parks, Recreation and Community  
2 Services Events Special Revenue Fund (the "Fund"), a permanent  
3 special revenue fund of the City, into which shall be deposited all  
4 contributions, donations, monetary gifts, sponsorship monies and  
5 fees, and other forms of revenue as may be from time to time  
6 received by the City, which are charged or given to the City from  
7 nongovernmental sources, in connection with events, functions and  
8 activities sponsored or co-sponsored by the Parks, Recreation and  
9 Community Services Department. The Fund shall be used for the  
10 purpose of defraying the costs and expenses of such events,  
11 activities and functions. The foregoing revenues shall be deposited  
12 and maintained in separate sub activities within the Fund clearly  
13 identified by each Division of the Parks, Recreation and Community  
14 Services Department and the Office of Director, to give each  
15 Division of the Parks, Recreation and Community Services Department  
16 and the Director of the Parks, Recreation and Community  
17 Services Department (the "Director") the ability to defray the cost  
18 and expenses of their respective events, activities and functions.  
19 The sums placed into the Fund, together with any interest accrued  
20 thereon, are hereby appropriated for purposes described in this  
21 Section, and such appropriations shall not lapse at the close of  
22 any fiscal year but shall carry over to the next fiscal year. The  
23 Director of the Finance Department is authorized and directed to  
24 make disbursements from the Fund upon the written request of the  
25 Director or his designee, subject to availability of funds from the  
26 Fund, however, any single expenditure from the Fund in excess of  
27 \$100,000 shall require prior Council approval. Each Division shall  
28 submit a semi-annual report to the Director regarding the receipts  
29 and disbursements within such Division's sub activity within the  
30 Fund, and no later than June 30 annually, the Director shall  
31 provide a report of all Fund receipts and disbursements to the City

1 Council.

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3 **Section 2. Effective Date.** This Ordinance shall become  
4 effective upon signature by the Mayor or upon becoming effective  
5 without the Mayor's signature.

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7 Form Approved:

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9           /s/ Mary E. Staffopoulos          

10 Office of General Counsel

11 Legislation Prepared By: Joelle J. Dillard

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