

1 Introduced by the Council President at the request of the  
2 Jacksonville Ethics Commission and Co-Sponsored by Council Members  
3 Carlucci, Diamond, DeFoor, Salem, Hazouri and Ferraro:

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5 **ORDINANCE 2020-103**

6 AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 602  
7 (JACKSONVILLE ETHICS CODE), PART 6 (OFFICE OF  
8 ETHICS, COMPLIANCE AND OVERSIGHT), SUBPART  
9 B.(DUTIES), SECTION 602.621 (DUTIES),  
10 ORDINANCE CODE, AUTHORIZING THE OFFICE OF  
11 ETHICS, COMPLIANCE AND OVERSIGHT TO RECEIVE  
12 FULL AND UNRESTRICTED ACCESS TO ANY AND ALL  
13 RECORDS; PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

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15 **WHEREAS**, during its January 22, 2020 meeting, the Jacksonville  
16 Ethics Commission voted unanimously to approve the proposed  
17 revisions to the Jacksonville Ethics Code. A Resolution of the  
18 Jacksonville Ethics Commission is attached hereto as **Exhibit 1**; and  
19 therefore

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

21 **Section 1. Amending Chapter 602 (Jacksonville Ethics**  
22 **Code), Part 6 (Office of Ethics, Compliance and Oversight), Subpart**  
23 **B (Duties), Section 602.621 (Duties.), Ordinance Code.** Chapter 602  
24 (Jacksonville Ethics Code), Section 602.621 (Duties.), *Ordinance*  
25 *Code*, is hereby amended to read as follows:

26 **CHAPTER 602. JACKSONVILLE ETHICS CODE**

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28 **PART 6. OFFICE OF ETHICS, COMPLIANCE AND OVERSIGHT**

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30 **SUBPART B. DUTIES**

31 **Sec. 602.621. - Duties.**

1           **The Office of Ethics, Compliance and Oversight, through**  
2 **its executive officials, shall have authority to:**

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4       (1) Receive full and unrestricted access to the records of  
5 any and all officials and employees, contractors,  
6 including their subcontractors and lower tier  
7 subcontractors, of any office, agency, department, or  
8 part of the entire consolidated government and other  
9 parties doing business with any office, agency,  
10 department, or part of the entire consolidated government  
11 or receiving funds from any office, agency department, or  
12 part of the entire consolidated government. ~~Request and~~  
13 ~~obtain data relevant to its authorized investigations and~~  
14 ~~to receive full access to the records of all elected and~~  
15 ~~appointed City Officials and employees, and departments,~~  
16 ~~divisions, agencies and contractors and other persons and~~  
17 ~~entities doing business with the City and/or receiving~~  
18 ~~City funds, that is not otherwise deemed confidential by~~  
19 ~~law, regarding any such contracts or transactions with~~  
20 ~~the City.~~ All elected and appointed City and county  
21 officials and employees, and contractors and other  
22 parties doing business with the City and/or receiving  
23 City funds shall fully cooperate with the Office of  
24 Ethics, Compliance and Oversight.

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26       **Section 2.           Effective Date.** This ordinance shall become  
27 effective upon signature by the Mayor or upon becoming effective  
28 without the Mayor's signature.

1 Form Approved:

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3 /s/Cherry Shaw Pollock

4 Office of General Counsel

5 Legislation prepared by: Cherry Shaw Pollock

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