

1 Introduced by Council Member Carrico and Co-Sponsored by Council
2 Members Freeman, Miller and Johnson and amended by the Neighborhoods,
3 Community Services, Public Health and Safety Committee:
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6 **ORDINANCE 2024-43-E**

7 AN ORDINANCE APPROPRIATING \$75,000 FROM A
8 DESIGNATED CONTINGENCY ACCOUNT WITHIN THE
9 GENERAL FUND TO THE SUBSIDIES AND CONTRIBUTIONS
10 TO PRIVATE ORGANIZATIONS ACCOUNT WITHIN THE KIDS
11 HOPE ALLIANCE ("KHA") FUND TO PROVIDE FUNDING TO
12 ELEVATE JACKSONVILLE INC. ("ELEVATE JAX") FOR
13 THE ELEVATE JACKSONVILLE AT WESTSIDE HIGH SCHOOL
14 PROGRAM (THE "PROGRAM") DESCRIBED HEREIN;
15 AMENDING THE THIRD REVISED SCHEDULE M TO
16 ORDINANCE 2023-511-E; INVOKING THE EXEMPTION IN
17 SECTION 126.107(G) (EXEMPTIONS), PART 1 (GENERAL
18 REGULATIONS), CHAPTER 126 (PROCUREMENT CODE),
19 *ORDINANCE CODE*, TO ALLOW FOR A DIRECT CONTRACT
20 WITH ELEVATE JAX; WAIVING THE REQUIREMENTS OF
21 SECTION 77.111(A) (PROVIDER CONTRACTS), CHAPTER
22 77 (KIDS HOPE ALLIANCE), *ORDINANCE CODE*, TO
23 EXEMPT THE SERVICES TO BE PROVIDED BY ELEVATE
24 JACKSONVILLE INC. FROM COMPETITIVE PROCUREMENT;
25 APPROVING, AND AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR, OR HER
26 DESIGNEE, AND THE CORPORATION SECRETARY, AND/OR
27 THE CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER OF KHA TO EXECUTE
28 AND DELIVER AN AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE CITY OF
29 JACKSONVILLE OR KHA AND ELEVATE JACKSONVILLE
30 INC. FOR THE PROGRAM; PROVIDING FOR OVERSIGHT BY
31 KHA; PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

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

Section 1. Appropriation. For the 2023-2024 fiscal year, within the City's budget, there is hereby appropriated the indicated sum(s) from the account(s) listed in subsection (a) to the account(s) listed in subsection (b):

(The account information is attached hereto as **Revised Exhibit 1**, labeled as "Revised Exhibit 1, Rev B.T., February 5th, 2024 - NCSPHS" and incorporated herein by this reference)

(a) Appropriated from:

See **Revised Exhibit 1** \$75,000

(b) Appropriated to:

See **Revised Exhibit 1** \$75,000

(c) Explanation of Appropriation:

The funding above is an appropriation of \$75,000 from a Designated Contingency account within the General Fund to the Subsidies and Contributions to Private Organizations account within the Kids Hope Alliance ("KHA") Fund to provide funding to Elevate Jacksonville Inc. ("Elevate Jax") for the Elevate Jacksonville at Westside High School Program (the "Program") to pay the salary and benefits for a teacher-mentor and the partial expenses for a site coordinator at Westside High School for the 2023-2024 academic year.

Section 2. Purpose. The purpose of the appropriation in Section 1 is to provide funding from the City of Jacksonville to Elevate Jax for the Program as described in **Exhibit 2**, attached hereto and incorporated herein by this reference. The Program will entail placing a teacher-mentor and a site coordinator at Westside High School for the 2023-2024 academic year. The teacher-mentor will spend 50% of his/her time teaching accredited elective classes at Westside High School. These classes incorporate character qualities and life

1 skills into the daily classroom curriculum through experiential
2 learning, group activities, and discussions. These qualities and
3 skills are designed to develop the personal character, leadership
4 abilities, and capabilities needed for success.

5 **Section 3. Amending Third Revised Schedule M to Ordinance**
6 **2023-511-E.** The Kids Hope Alliance fiscal year 2023-2024 budget
7 approved by Ordinance 2023-511-E is hereby amended by substituting
8 in the place of the Third Revised Schedule M, the Fourth Revised
9 Schedule M, attached hereto as **Exhibit 3** and incorporated herein by
10 this reference. The Fourth Revised Schedule M reflects the funds
11 appropriated herein as well as adjustments approved by the Council
12 pursuant to Ordinance 2023-847-E.

13 **Section 4. Invoking the Exemption in Section 126.107(g),**
14 **Ordinance Code.** The City is hereby authorized to directly procure
15 the professional services of Elevate Jacksonville Inc. to administer
16 the Program described herein. Pursuant to Section 126.107(g)
17 (Exemptions), Part 1 (General Regulations), Chapter 126 (Procurement
18 Code), *Ordinance Code*, such procurement is exempted from competitive
19 solicitation because the supplies or services are to be provided by
20 those specifically prescribed within authorizing legislation that
21 appropriates the same. With the exception of the foregoing, all other
22 provisions of Chapter 126, *Ordinance Code*, shall remain in full force
23 and effect.

24 **Section 5. Waiving the Requirements of Section 77.111(a),**
25 **Ordinance Code.** The City hereby waives the requirements of Section
26 77.111(a) (Provider Contracts), Chapter 77 (Kids Hope Alliance),
27 *Ordinance Code*, with respect to the contract with Elevate Jacksonville
28 Inc. approved and authorized by this Ordinance. Section 77.111(a)
29 requires contracts for children's services provided by third parties
30 to be competitively procured by KHA via an evaluated bid process.
31 This waiver is needed in order to allow KHA to directly contract with

1 Elevate Jacksonville Inc. for administration of the Elevate
2 Jacksonville at Westside High School Program described in **Exhibit 2**.

3 **Section 6. Approval and Authorization to Execute.** There is
4 hereby approved, and the Mayor, or her designee, and the Corporation
5 Secretary, and/or the Chief Executive Officer of KHA, are hereby
6 authorized to execute and deliver on behalf of the City or KHA, an
7 agreement with Elevate Jacksonville Inc. in an amount not-to-exceed
8 \$75,000. The agreement shall be subject to and administered in
9 accordance with Chapter 77, *Ordinance Code*, and the terms, scope and
10 budget more particularly described in **Exhibit 2**, for a term commencing
11 on October 1, 2023 through September 30, 2024, and all other contracts
12 and documents, including extensions, renewals and amendments to the
13 agreement, and to otherwise take all action necessary to effectuate
14 the intent of this Ordinance, subject to appropriate legal review and
15 approval by the General Counsel, or his designee, and the City's Risk
16 Management Division for appropriate insurance and indemnification
17 requirements in accordance with Section 128.601, *Ordinance Code*.

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

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

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24 Form Approved:

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26 /s/ Mary E. Staffopoulos

27 Office of General Counsel

28 Legislation Prepared By: Mary E. Staffopoulos

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