

1 Introduced by the Council President at the request of the Sheriff:
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4 **ORDINANCE 2026-217**

5 AN ORDINANCE APPROPRIATING \$25,000.00 FROM THE
6 SPECIAL LAW ENFORCEMENT TRUST FUND FOR DONATION
7 TO FIRST COAST CRIME STOPPERS, INC., IN
8 ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 932.7055(5), *FLORIDA*
9 *STATUTES*, TO SUPPORT DRUG TREATMENT, DRUG ABUSE
10 EDUCATION, DRUG PREVENTION, CRIME PREVENTION,
11 SAFE NEIGHBORHOOD, AND SCHOOL RESOURCE OFFICER
12 PROGRAM(S), AS INITIATED BY B.T. 26-055;
13 APPROVING AND AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR, OR HER
14 DESIGNEE, AND THE CORPORATION SECRETARY TO
15 EXECUTE AND DELIVER ON BEHALF OF THE CITY THAT
16 CERTAIN MISCELLANEOUS APPROPRIATIONS AGREEMENT
17 BETWEEN THE CITY OF JACKSONVILLE AND FIRST COAST
18 CRIME STOPPERS, INC.; WAIVING SECTION 110.112
19 (ADVANCE OF CITY FUNDS; PROHIBITION AGAINST),
20 PART 1 (THE CITY TREASURY), CHAPTER 110 (CITY
21 TREASURY), *ORDINANCE CODE*, TO ALLOW FOR ADVANCE
22 PAYMENT TO FIRST COAST CRIME STOPPERS, INC.;
23 PROVIDING FOR OVERSIGHT BY THE JACKSONVILLE
24 SHERIFF'S OFFICE; PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

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

27 **Section 1. Appropriation.** For the 2025-2026 fiscal year,
28 within the City's budget, there is hereby appropriated the indicated
29 sum(s) from the account(s) listed in subsection (a) to the account(s)
30 listed in subsection (b):

31 (B.T. 26-055 attached hereto as **Exhibit 1** and incorporated herein by

1 this reference)

2 (a) Appropriated from:

3 See B.T. 26-055 \$25,000.00

4 (b) Appropriated to:

5 See B.T. 26-055 \$25,000.00

6 (c) Explanation of Appropriation:

7 The funding above represents an appropriation of \$25,000.00
8 from the Special Law Enforcement Trust Fund for donation
9 to First Coast Crime Stoppers, Inc., to support drug
10 treatment, drug abuse education, drug prevention, crime
11 prevention, safe neighborhood, and/or school resource
12 officer programs administered by that entity in accordance
13 with Section 932.7055(5), *Florida Statutes*.

14 **Section 2. Purpose.** The purpose of the appropriation in
15 Section 1 is to provide a donation to First Coast Crime Stoppers,
16 Inc. This allocation supports drug treatment, drug abuse education,
17 drug prevention, crime prevention, safe neighborhood, and/or school
18 resource officer programs for the citizens of the City of
19 Jacksonville. A Certification from the Jacksonville Sheriff's Office
20 that the subject appropriation from the Special Law Enforcement Trust
21 Fund complies with Section 932.7055, *Florida Statutes*, is attached
22 hereto as **Exhibit 2** and incorporated herein by this reference.

23 **Section 3. Approval and Authorization.** There is hereby
24 approved, and the Mayor, or her designee, and the Corporation
25 Secretary are hereby authorized to execute and deliver on behalf of
26 the City that certain Miscellaneous Appropriations Agreement between
27 the City of Jacksonville and First Coast Crime Stoppers, Inc., in
28 substantially the same form placed **On File** with the Legislative
29 Services Division (the "Agreement").

30 **Section 4. Waiving Section 110.112, Ordinance Code.**
31 Section 110.112 (Advance of city funds; prohibition against), Part 1

1 (The City Treasury), Chapter 110 (City Treasury), *Ordinance Code*, is
2 hereby waived to allow for advance payment to First Coast Crime
3 Stoppers, Inc., as provided in the Agreement.

4 **Section 5. Oversight.** The Jacksonville Sheriff's Office
5 shall oversee the Agreement described herein.

6 **Section 6. Effective Date.** This Ordinance shall become
7 effective upon signature by the Mayor or upon becoming effective
8 without the Mayor's signature.

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10 Form Approved:

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12 /S/ Joelle J. Dillard

13 Office of General Counsel

14 Legislation Prepared By: Joelle J. Dillard

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