Introduced by Council Member Carlucci and Co-Sponsored by Council

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## RESOLUTION 2025-665-A

A RESOLUTION HONORING AND COMMENDING ROSEMARY WESOLOWSKI UPON HER RETIREMENT AFTER TWENTY YEARS OF DEDICATED SERVICE TO THE CITY OF JACKSONVILLE; PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, Rosemary Wesolowski retired on July 11, 2025, after faithfully serving the City of Jacksonville for twenty years, beginning her tenure on April 11, 2005, as a Human Services Planner II, advancing to Human Services Planner III, and culminating in her role as Senior Neighborhoods Services Coordinator within the Neighborhoods Department; and

WHEREAS, during her distinguished career, Ms. Wesolowski made significant contributions to improving the quality of life in Jacksonville's neighborhoods, providing guidance, resources, and support to residents and the community; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Wesolowski played a key role in supporting the Southeast Citizens Planning Advisory Committee (CPAC), where she facilitated more than 500 meetings between 2005 and 2025, contributed to the successful 2025 Neighborhoods, USA (NUSA) Conference in Jacksonville, and provided annual CommUniverCity training to prepare neighborhoods' leaders to advocate for their communities; and

WHEREAS, she also organized and participated in a wide range of community initiatives, including association creation, clean-ups, and back-to-school programs, and earned the Historic Preservation Project Award from the Jacksonville Historic Preservation Commission for her work, along with Old Arlington Inc., on the 60th Anniversary of the

Mathews Bridge Celebration, and supported and staffed the Jacksonville Housing and Community Development Commission from 2011 to 2016; and

WHEREAS, she earned her Bachelor's degree from the University of North Florida, reflecting her dedication to excellence and the strong foundation she brought to her two decades of service with the City of Jacksonville; and

WHEREAS, she has been recognized for her strong commitment to public service, professionalism, and the positive relationships she built with residents, colleagues, and community partners; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Wesolowski's dedication, institutional knowledge, and tireless advocacy for Jacksonville's neighborhoods have left a lasting impact that will benefit the community for years to come; now therefore

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

Section 1. The City Council hereby honors and commends
Rosemary Wesolowski for her twenty years of dedicated service to the
City and extends its best wishes in her retirement.

Section 2. Effective Date. This Resolution shall become effective upon signature by the Mayor or upon becoming effective without the Mayor's signature.

## /s/Mary E. Staffopoulos

Form Approved:

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