

1 Introduced by Council Member Boylan:  
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4 **ORDINANCE 2021-379**

5 AN ORDINANCE APPROPRIATING \$51,000 FROM THE  
6 SOCIAL JUSTICE AND COMMUNITY INVESTMENT  
7 SPECIAL COMMITTEE CONTINGENCY FOR AN EXPANSION  
8 TO THE JAXCARECONNECT PROGRAM; APPROVING, AND  
9 AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR, OR HIS DESIGNEE, AND  
10 CORPORATION SECRETARY TO EXECUTE AND DELIVER,  
11 A FIRST AMENDMENT TO THE AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE  
12 CITY OF JACKSONVILLE AND WE CARE JACKSONVILLE,  
13 INC. FOR THE JAXCARECONNECT PROGRAM; INVOKING  
14 THE EXCEPTION IN SECTION 126.107(G), *ORDINANCE*  
15 *CODE*, PROVIDING FOR DIRECT CONTRACT WITH WE  
16 CARE JACKSONVILLE, INC. SERVICES; PROVIDING  
17 FOR OVERSIGHT BY THE OFFICE OF GRANTS AND  
18 CONTRACT COMPLIANCE; PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE  
19 DATE.  
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21 **BE IT ORDAINED** by the Council of the City of Jacksonville:

22 **Section 1. Appropriation.** For the 2020-2021 fiscal year,  
23 within the City's budget, there are hereby appropriated the  
24 indicated sum(s) from the account(s) listed in subsection (a) to  
25 the account(s) listed in subsection (b):

26 (The account information is attached hereto as **Exhibit 1**, and  
27 incorporated herein by this reference)

28 (a) Appropriated from:

29 See attached **Exhibit 1** \$51,000

30 (b) Appropriated to:

31 See attached **Exhibit 1** \$51,000

1 (c) **Explanation of Appropriation** - The funding above is being  
2 appropriated from the Social Justice and Community  
3 Investment Special Committee Contingency and to be  
4 utilized by We Care Jacksonville, Inc. to provide an  
5 additional employee and support to extend capacity and  
6 reach of the program.

7 **Section 2. Purpose.** The purpose of the appropriation in  
8 Section 1 is to provide additional funding for We Care  
9 Jacksonville, Inc. as more fully described in **Exhibit 2** attached  
10 hereto. The additional funding to We Care Jacksonville, Inc. for  
11 the JaxCareConnect Program for a full-time administrative/marketing  
12 coordinator (\$50,000) and back-end website technology tools  
13 (\$1,000).

14 **Section 3. Agreement approved and execution authorized.**  
15 There is hereby approved, and the Mayor, or his designee, and  
16 Corporation Secretary are hereby authorized to execute and deliver,  
17 the First Amendment to the Service Agreement between the City of  
18 Jacksonville and We Care Jacksonville, Inc., in substantially the  
19 form as attached hereto as **On File**, and incorporated herein by this  
20 reference (the "Agreement"). The Agreement may include such  
21 additions, deletions and changes as may be reasonable, necessary  
22 and incidental for carrying out the purposes thereof, as may be  
23 acceptable to the Mayor, or his designee, with such inclusion and  
24 acceptance being evidenced by execution of the Agreement by the  
25 Mayor, or his designee; provided however, no modification to the  
26 Agreement may increase the financial obligations or liability of  
27 the City to an amount in excess of the amount stated in the  
28 Agreement or decrease the duties and obligations of We Care  
29 Jacksonville, Inc. as stated in the Agreement, and any such  
30 modification shall be technical only and shall be subject to  
31 appropriate legal review and approval by the Office of General

1 Counsel. For the purposes of this Ordinance, the term "technical  
2 changes" is defined as those changes having no financial impact to  
3 the City and any other non-substantive changes that do not  
4 substantively increase the duties and responsibilities of the City  
5 under the provisions of the Agreement.

6 **Section 4. Invoking the exception to Section 126.107(g),**  
7 **Ordinance Code.** The City is hereby authorized to procure the use of  
8 the professional services of We Care Jacksonville, Inc., to provide  
9 services for the JaxCareConnect program. Pursuant to Section  
10 126.107(g) (Exemptions), Part 1 (General Regulations), Chapter 126  
11 (Procurement Code), *Ordinance Code*, such procurement is exempted  
12 from competitive solicitation because the supplies or services are  
13 to be provided by those specifically prescribed within authorizing  
14 legislation that appropriates the same. With the exception of the  
15 foregoing, all other provisions of Chapter 126, *Ordinance Code*,  
16 shall remain in full force and effect.

17 **Section 5. Oversight.** The Mayor is requested to appoint  
18 the Office of Grants and Contract Compliance to oversee the project  
19 in Section 2 above and to ensure compliance with all other  
20 appropriate laws.

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

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29 Form Approved:

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31 /s/ Margaret M. Sidman

1 Office of General Counsel

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