

1 Introduced by the Council President at the Request of the Mayor:
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4 **ORDINANCE 2020-64**

5 AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING NAMING OF THE
6 BASEBALL GROUNDS OF JACKSONVILLE AS "121
7 FINANCIAL BALLPARK"; PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE
8 DATE.
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10 **WHEREAS**, the City of Jacksonville ("City") and Jacksonville
11 Baseball, Inc. ("Team") entered into that certain Amended and
12 Restated Sports Facility Lease Agreement dated April 1, 2019
13 ("Lease") for the lease of the Baseball Grounds of Jacksonville
14 ("Facility") to the Team; and

15 **WHEREAS**, the Lease authorizes the Team to select the name for
16 the Facility, subject to City Council approval, and to retain all
17 revenues therefrom; and

18 **WHEREAS**, Team has expressed a desire to name the Facility "121
19 Financial Ballpark" and to have the same approved by the City,
20 consistent with the terms of the Lease; now therefore

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

22 **Section 1. Recitals.** The recitals set forth above are
23 true and correct and are incorporated as if fully set forth herein.

24 **Section 2. Baseball Grounds of Jacksonville officially**
25 **named.** City does hereby permit the Team to officially name the
26 Baseball Grounds of Jacksonville "121 Financial Ballpark". Said
27 authorization shall be for a maximum term of approximately thirteen
28 years, through March 31, 2033 ("Expiration Date"). The City's
29 consent granted hereby shall automatically terminate on the earlier
30 of the Expiration Date or the termination or expiration of the
31 Lease, at which time the name of the Facility shall revert to the

1 "Baseball Grounds of Jacksonville."

2 **Section 3. Effective Date.** This Ordinance shall become
3 effective upon signature by the Mayor or upon becoming effective
4 without the Mayor's signature.

5 Form Approved:

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7 /s/ John Sawyer

8 Office of General Counsel

9 Legislation Prepared By: John C. Sawyer, Jr.

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