

1 Introduced by the Council President at the request of the Mayor:  
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4 **ORDINANCE 2026-184**

5 AN ORDINANCE APPROPRIATING \$120,000.00 IN GRANT  
6 FUNDING FROM THE FLORIDA FISH AND WILDLIFE  
7 CONSERVATION COMMISSION (THE "FWC") FOR  
8 REIMBURSEMENT OF CERTAIN OF THE CITY OF  
9 JACKSONVILLE'S COSTS TO CONSTRUCT A MARINE  
10 ARTIFICIAL REEF COMPLEX IN THE HARM'S LEDGE  
11 PERMITTED AREA, AS INITIATED BY B.T. 26-051;  
12 PROVIDING FOR OVERSIGHT BY THE OFFICE OF  
13 ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES, ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY  
14 DIVISION; PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.  
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16 **BE IT ORDAINED** by the Council of the City of Jacksonville:

17 **Section 1. Appropriation.** For the 2025-2026 fiscal year,  
18 within the City's budget, there are hereby appropriated the indicated  
19 sum(s) from the account(s) listed in subsection (a) to the account(s)  
20 listed in subsection (b):

21 (B.T. 26-051 attached hereto as **Exhibit 1** and incorporated herein by  
22 this reference)

23 (a) Appropriated from:

24 See B.T. 26-051 \$120,000.00

25 (b) Appropriated to:

26 See B.T. 26-051 \$120,000.00

27 (c) Explanation of Appropriation:

28 The funding above represents an appropriation of  
29 \$120,000.00 in grant funding from the Florida Fish and  
30 Wildlife Conservation Commission (the "FWC") for  
31 reimbursement to the City of certain costs incurred to

1           construct a marine artificial reef complex in the Harm's  
2           Ledge permitted area.

3           **Section 2.           Purpose.**   The purpose of the appropriation in  
4           Section 1 is to appropriate grant funding from the FWC to offset the  
5           City's costs for the construction of a marine artificial reef complex  
6           in the Harm's Ledge permitted area. Pursuant to that certain State  
7           of Florida Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission Agreement No.  
8           25013 (the "Agreement"), the FWC will reimburse the City up to  
9           \$120,000.00 for the construction of at least one patch reef consisting  
10          of at least 500 tons of secondary-use concrete materials within the  
11          Harm's Ledge permitted area (the "Project"). The term of the  
12          Agreement expires on September 30, 2026. A copy of the Agreement is  
13          **On File** with the Legislative Services Division.

14          **Section 3.           Oversight.**       The Office of Administrative  
15          Services, Environmental Quality Division, shall provide oversight of  
16          the Agreement and the Project.

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

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21          Form Approved:

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23          /S/ Joelle J. Dillard

24          Office of General Counsel

25          Legislation prepared by: Joelle J. Dillard

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