

**CITY COUNCIL RESEARCH DIVISION
LEGISLATIVE SUMMARY**



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Bill Type and Number: Ordinance 2026-117

Introducer/Sponsor(s): Council President at the request of the Sheriff

Date of Introduction: February 10, 2026

Committee(s) of Reference: NCSPHS, F

Date of Analysis: February 10, 2026

Type of Action: Appropriation and designation of oversight agency

Bill Summary: This bill is an appropriation of \$294,068, to include \$220,551 in grant funds from the United States Department of Homeland Security and \$73,517 in required local match funds from the General Fund for the purchase of specialized emergency preparedness equipment and related travel. The Jacksonville Sheriff's Office will provide oversight.

Background Information: The purpose of this legislation is to provide funds for two man-portable bomb disposal robots, and for travel to attend the Federal Emergency Management Agency grant management course.

Policy Impact Area: JSO - emergency preparedness

Fiscal Impact: Appropriation of \$294,068 as initiated by B.T. 26-039, that includes the required City match in the amount of \$73,517

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