

Introduced by the Council President at the request of the Sheriff:

ORDINANCE 2026-39

AN ORDINANCE APPROPRIATING \$94,000.00 IN GRANT FUNDING FROM THE FLORIDA STATE BOARD OF IMMIGRATION ENFORCEMENT FOR THE JACKSONVILLE SHERIFF'S OFFICE IMMIGRATION GRANT PROGRAM, AS INITIATED BY B.T. 26-028; PROVIDING FOR OVERSIGHT BY THE JACKSONVILLE SHERIFF'S OFFICE; PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

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

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

(B.T. 26-028 attached hereto as **Exhibit 1** and incorporated herein by this reference)

(a) Appropriated from:

See B.T. 26-028 \$94,000.00

(b) Appropriated to:

See B.T. 26-028 \$94,000.00

(c) Explanation of Appropriation:

The funding above represents an appropriation of grant funds from the Florida State Board of Immigration Enforcement for the Jacksonville Sheriff's Office Immigration Grant Program. The grant period commenced on October 1, 2025, and continues through June 30, 2026. No local match is required.

Section 2. **Purpose.** The purpose of the appropriation in

1 Section 1 is to utilize grant funding from the Florida State Board
2 of Immigration Enforcement to obtain a multi-passenger van to
3 transport unauthorized aliens between county, state, and federal
4 detention facilities. A copy of the grant agreement outlining the
5 terms and conditions relative to the grant and use of the grant funds
6 is attached hereto as **Exhibit 2** and incorporated herein by this
7 reference.

8 **Section 3. Oversight.** The Jacksonville Sheriff's Office
9 shall oversee administration of the project described herein.

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

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14 Form Approved:

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16 /S/ Ashley Smith

17 Office of General Counsel

18 Legislation Prepared By: Ashley Smith

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