

1 Introduced by the Council President at the request of the Mayor:

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4 **ORDINANCE 2020-525**

5 AN ORDINANCE APPROPRIATING AN \$11,750.00
6 REIMBURSABLE GRANT FROM THE UNITED STATES TENNIS
7 ASSOCIATION (USTA) FLORIDA SECTION FOUNDATION TO
8 ASSIST WITH COSTS ASSOCIATED WITH THE CLOSURE OF
9 CITY TENNIS FACILTITIES BECAUSE OF THE COVID-19
10 PANDEMIC, AS INITIATED BY B.T. 20-110; APPROVING
11 AND AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR, OR HIS DESIGNEE, AND
12 THE CORPORATION SECRETARY TO EXECUTE AND
13 DELIVER, FOR AND ON BEHALF OF THE CITY, THE
14 FACILITY RECOVERY GRANT AWARD LETTERS FOR BOONE
15 PARK TENNIS FACILITY, CLANZEL T. BROWN TENNIS
16 FACILITY, SOUTHSIDE TENNIS FACILITY, AND FORT
17 FAMILY TENNIS FACILITY; PROVIDING FOR OVERSIGHT
18 BY THE PARKS, RECREATION AND COMMUNITY SERVICES
19 DEPARTMENT; PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

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

22 **Section 1. Appropriation.** For the 2019-2020 fiscal year,
23 within the City's budget, there are hereby appropriated the indicated
24 sum(s) from the account(s) listed in subsection (a) to the account(s)
25 listed in subsection (b):

26 (B.T. 20-110 attached hereto as **Exhibit 1** and incorporated herein by
27 this reference)

28 (a) Appropriated from:

29 See B.T. 20-110 \$11,750.00

30 (b) Appropriated to:

31 See B.T. 20-110 \$11,750.00

1 (c) Explanation of Appropriation

2 The appropriation above is a Facility Recovery Grant from
3 the United States Tennis Association (USTA) Florida Section
4 Foundation to assist with costs associated with the closure
5 of City tennis facilities because of the COVID-19
6 pandemic.

7 **Section 2. Purpose.** The purpose of the appropriation in
8 Section 1 is to provide funding for materials and equipment to assist
9 in the recovery of costs associated with the resumption of operations
10 at City tennis facilities. Due to the COVID-19 shutdown, the City's
11 tennis facilities experienced decreased revenues for tennis programs
12 and losses in court materials due to the clay courts' sitting unused
13 and unmaintained for several weeks. The reimbursement grant funds
14 have been approved to be used for supplies to assist with facility
15 reopening, such as tennis balls, teaching equipment, cleaning and
16 sanitizing equipment, no-touch items, and other expenses related to
17 the reopening. Funds have been approved in the following amounts for
18 each of the four City of Jacksonville Tennis Centers: Southside Tennis
19 Center - \$5,000.00; Boone Park Tennis Center - \$2,500.00; Fort Family
20 Park Tennis Center - \$2,000.00; and, Clanzel T. Brown Tennis Center
21 - \$2,250. No local match is required. The funds must be spent by no
22 later than September 30, 2020.

23 **Section 3. Approval and authorization.** There is hereby
24 approved, and the Mayor, or his designee, and the Corporation
25 Secretary are hereby authorized to execute and deliver on behalf of
26 the City, the Facility Recovery Grant Award Letters for each of the
27 four City tennis facilities. Copies of the Facility Recovery Grant
28 Award Letters are attached hereto as **Exhibit 2** and incorporated herein
29 by this reference.

30 **Section 4. Oversight.** The Parks, Recreation and
31 Community Services Department shall oversee the project described

1 herein.

2 **Section 5. Effective Date.** This ordinance shall become
3 effective upon signature by the Mayor or upon becoming effective
4 without the Mayor's signature.

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6 Form Approved:

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8 /s/ James R. McCain, Jr.

9 Office of General Counsel

10 Legislation prepared by: James R. McCain, Jr.

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