

1 Introduced by the Council President at the request of the Mayor:
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4 **ORDINANCE 2024-840**

5 AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR, OR HER
6 DESIGNEE, AND CORPORATION SECRETARY TO EXECUTE
7 THREE AMENDED AND RESTATED COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT
8 BLOCK GRANT INTERLOCAL COOPERATION AGREEMENTS
9 WITH THE CITIES OF ATLANTIC BEACH, JACKSONVILLE
10 BEACH, AND NEPTUNE BEACH, RESPECTIVELY, TO
11 INCLUDE LANGUAGE REQUIRED BY THE UNITED STATES
12 DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT (HUD)
13 AND SET FORTH IN HUD NOTICE CPD-24-02, FOR
14 COUNTIES REQUALIFYING IN 2024 FOR FISCAL YEARS
15 2025, 2026, 2027, AND ANY RENEWAL PERIODS;
16 PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.
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18 **WHEREAS**, the City of Jacksonville ("Jacksonville") and the
19 Cities of Atlantic Beach, Jacksonville Beach, and Neptune Beach
20 (collectively, the "Beaches Communities"), previously entered into
21 those certain Community Development Block Grant Interlocal
22 Cooperation Agreements between the City of Jacksonville and the City
23 of Atlantic Beach, the City of Jacksonville Beach, and the City of
24 Neptune Beach, respectively, as authorized by Ordinance 2015-618-E
25 (the "Interlocal Cooperation Agreements"), which established the
26 Beach Communities as willing participants within Duval County with
27 regard to Jacksonville's Community Development Block Grant ("CDBG")
28 entitlement allocations as an urban county; and

29 **WHEREAS**, the cooperation between the consolidated City of
30 Jacksonville and the Beach Communities located in Duval County,
31 Florida, is essential for the successful planning and implementation

1 of local community development programs; and

2 **WHEREAS**, the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development
3 (HUD) has notified Jacksonville of the guidelines for requalification
4 promulgated by HUD that include additional language as set forth in
5 HUD Notice CPD-24-02, attached hereto as **Exhibit 1**; and

6 **WHEREAS**, HUD has requested Jacksonville and the Beach
7 Communities to amend and restate their respective Interlocal
8 Cooperation Agreements to add certain references to the Emergency
9 Solutions Grant (ESG) program;

10 **WHEREAS**, Jacksonville and the Beach Communities desire to amend
11 and restate their respective Interlocal Cooperation Agreements in
12 order to remain in compliance with the HUD guidelines; now therefore

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

14 **Section 1. Amended Interlocal Cooperation Agreements**
15 **approved, and execution authorized.** There are hereby approved, and
16 the Mayor, or her designee, and Corporation Secretary are hereby
17 authorized to execute and deliver, those certain amended and restated
18 Interlocal Cooperation Agreements between the City of Jacksonville
19 and the City of Atlantic Beach, the City of Jacksonville Beach, and
20 the City of Neptune Beach, respectively, in substantially the form
21 attached hereto as **Exhibit 2, Exhibit 3, and Exhibit 4**, respectively,
22 and incorporated herein by this reference, to participate in the
23 CDBG, HOME and ESG Programs for fiscal years 2025, 2026 and 2027, and
24 any successive three year qualification periods pursuant to the
25 Cooperation Agreements.

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

1 Form Approved:

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3 /s/ Joelle J. Dillard

4 Office of General Counsel

5 Legislation Prepared By: Joelle J. Dillard

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