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

ORDINANCE 2021-881-E

AN ORDINANCE CLOSING AND ABANDONING AND/OR DISCLAIMING AN UNOPENED AND UNIMPROVED PORTION OF THE SHAD ROAD RIGHT-OF-WAY, ESTABLISHED IN THE SUNBEAM PINES PLAT, AS RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK 24, PAGE 19 OF THE CURRENT PUBLIC RECORDS OF DUVAL COUNTY, FLORIDA, IN COUNCIL DISTRICT 6, AT THE REQUEST OF LOCKETT JONES; PROVIDING FOR APPROVAL SUBJECT TO CONDITIONS; PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

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

Section 1. Closure and Abandonment. An unopened and unimproved portion of the Shad Road right-of-way established in the Sunbeam Pines Plat, as recorded in Plat Book 24, Page 19 of the current public records of Duval County, Florida, located in Council District 6, a description of which is attached hereto as Exhibit 1 and incorporated herein by this reference, is hereby closed and abandoned and/or disclaimed as a right-of-way at the request of Lockett Jones (the "Applicant"). The Applicant paid the right-of-way closure application fee of \$2,091.00, which has been deposited into the General Fund. This closure request was reviewed and approved by the various city, state, and utility agencies that might have an interest in the right-of-way and there were no objections to the Applicant's request.

Section 2. Purpose. The Applicant owns the property adjacent to the closure area at 0 Hood Road (R.E. No. 149201-0100) and is requesting the closure in order to secure the area and to

build or make an area for trees and gardening.

abandonment by the City of its interests in the right-of-way is subject to Applicant's execution and delivery to the City of a Hold Harmless Covenant, in substantially the same form attached hereto as **Exhibit 2** and incorporated herein by this reference. Accordingly, the closure and abandonment of the right-of-way shall not be recorded in the public records until execution and delivery to the City by the Applicant of the required Hold Harmless Covenant.

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

Form Approved:

/s/ Mary E. Staffopoulos

Office of General Counsel

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