

1 Introduced by the Personnel Committee (Council Members Newby,  
2 Freeman, Priestly Jackson, Salem, and Bowman):

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5 **RESOLUTION 2022-233**

6 A RESOLUTION APPOINTING MARGARET M. "PEGGY"  
7 SIDMAN AS THE CITY COUNCIL DIRECTOR/COUNCIL  
8 SECRETARY, PURSUANT TO SECTION 11.122, *ORDINANCE*  
9 *CODE*; REQUESTING ONE CYCLE EMERGENCY PASSAGE;  
10 PROVIDING FOR A PROSPECTIVE EFFECTIVE DATE;  
11 PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

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13 **WHEREAS**, the Personnel Committee of the City Council convened  
14 on March 16, 2022, for the purpose of interviewing and selecting a  
15 new Director/Council Secretary, a position created by Section 11.101,  
16 *Ordinance Code*, and appointed pursuant to Section 11.122, *Ordinance*  
17 *Code*; and

18 **WHEREAS**, the Personnel Committee selected Margaret M. "Peggy"  
19 Sidman from among a group of qualified candidates to be recommended  
20 for appointment by City Council as Director/Council Secretary at that  
21 meeting; now therefore

22 **BE IT RESOLVED** by the Council of the City of Jacksonville:

23 **Section 1. Appointment.** The City Council hereby appoints  
24 Margaret M. "Peggy" Sidman to be the City Council's Director/Council  
25 Secretary, pursuant to Section 11.122, *Ordinance Code*, to perform the  
26 duties and responsibilities, and to serve under the terms, all as set  
27 forth in Chapter 11, *Ordinance Code*.

28 **Section 2. Requesting One Cycle Emergency Passage Pursuant**  
29 **to Council Rule 4.901 Emergency.** One cycle emergency passage of this  
30 legislation is requested. The nature of the emergency is that the  
31 position has been vacant since the retirement of Dr. Cheryl L. Brown

1 on January 12, 2022. Ms. Sidman will begin in this position on April  
2 16, 2022, and the Council is eager to have a sitting Director/Council  
3 Secretary as soon as possible in order to continue the efficient  
4 administration of the Council Offices.

5 **Section 3. Prospective Effective Date.** This appointment  
6 shall be effective on April 16, 2022.

7 **Section 4. Effective Date.** This resolution shall become  
8 effective upon enactment by the Council.

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10 Form Approved:

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12           /s/ Paige H. Johnston          

13 Office of General Counsel

14 Legislation Prepared By: Paige H. Johnston

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