Introduced by Council Member Salem:

## ORDINANCE 2022-325-E

AN ORDINANCE REGARDING THE DUVAL COUNTY PROPERTY APPRAISER'S BUDGET FOR FISCAL YEAR 2022-2023; ADOPTING RECOMMENDED FINDINGS AND CONCLUSIONS FOR THE DUVAL COUNTY PROPERTY APPRAISER'S 2022-2023 FISCAL YEAR BUDGET; PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 195.087, Florida Statutes, the Duval County Property Appraiser's Office ("Property Appraiser") submits its budget annually to the Department of Revenue on or before June 1; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 106.201, Ordinance Code, the Mayor is required to submit the final annual Consolidated City of Jacksonville budget proposal, which includes the Property Appraiser's budget, to the City Council no later than the first City Council Committee meeting in July; and

WHEREAS, during the weeks following the first City Council Committee meeting in July, the City Council Finance Committee reviews the budgets of the Property Appraiser along with the entire consolidated government as is required by Section 5.07 of the City of Jacksonville Charter; and

WHEREAS, therefore the review of the Property Appraiser's budget is simultaneously occurring with the Department of Revenue and the City of Jacksonville; and

WHEREAS, although there is a provision for the Department of Revenue to include the City of Jacksonville's modifications to the Property Appraiser's budget, that information must be received from

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the City Council, acting as the whole Council, prior to the Florida Department of Revenue tentatively approving the Property Appraiser's budget, or alternatively subject to an appeal process; and

WHEREAS, the City Council recognizes this schedule and desires to review the Property Appraiser's budget as will be presented to the Department of Revenue in advance of the Mayor's annual budget proposal; now therefore

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

Section 1. Property Appraiser's Budget Review. The City Council is in receipt of the Fiscal Year 2022-2023 Property Appraiser's budget which is attached hereto as Exhibit 1.

Section 2. Adoption of recommended findings and conclusions. The Council has reviewed the Property Appraiser's budget along with the input and recommendations from the Finance and Administration Department and Chief Administrative Officer of the Mayor. The recommended findings and conclusions are hereby adopted and shall be forwarded to the Department of Revenue to be considered by same in tentatively approving the Duval County Property Appraiser's 2022-2023 fiscal year budget.

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

Form Approved:

/s/ Paige H. Johnston

Office of General Counsel

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