

1 Introduced by the Council President at the request of the Mayor and  
2 amended by the Neighborhoods, Community Services, Public Health and  
3 Safety Committee:  
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6 **ORDINANCE 2022-365-E**

7 AN ORDINANCE CONCERNING A CONTINUATION GRANT;  
8 APPROPRIATING \$3,100,694 IN HOUSING  
9 OPPORTUNITIES FOR PERSONS WITH AIDS (HOPWA)  
10 PROGRAM GRANT FUNDING TO PROVIDE HOUSING  
11 ASSISTANCE AND RELATED SUPPORTIVE SERVICES TO  
12 ELIGIBLE LOW-INCOME PERSONS LIVING WITH HIV/AIDS  
13 AND THEIR FAMILIES WITHIN DUVAL COUNTY,  
14 INCLUDING \$2,720,736 FROM THE DEPARTMENT OF  
15 HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT AND \$379,958 IN  
16 ADDITIONAL CARES ACT RELIEF, AS INITIATED BY  
17 REVISED B.T. 23-002; PURPOSE OF APPROPRIATION;  
18 PROVIDING AUTHORIZATION FOR REALLOCATION OF  
19 GRANT FUNDS AS MORE PARTICULARLY DESCRIBED  
20 HEREIN; APPROVING A PROGRAM MANAGER POSITION, AS  
21 INITIATED BY R.C. 23-002; PROVIDING FOR AN  
22 EFFECTIVE DATE.  
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24 **BE IT ORDAINED** by the Council of the City of Jacksonville:

25 **Section 1. Appropriation.** For the 2022-2023 fiscal year,  
26 within the City's budget, there is hereby appropriated the indicated  
27 sum(s) from the account(s) listed in subsection (a) to the account(s)  
28 listed in subsection (b):

29 (Revised B.T. 23-002, attached hereto as **Revised Exhibit 1**, labeled  
30 as "Revised Exhibit 1, Rev B.T. 23-002, June 6, 2022 - NCSPHS" and

1 incorporated herein by this reference):

2 (a) Appropriated from:

3 See Revised B.T. 23-002 \$3,100,694

4 (b) Appropriated to:

5 See Revised B.T. 23-002 \$3,100,694

6 (c) Explanation of Appropriation:

7 The funding above is an appropriation of \$3,100,694 in  
 8 grant funds for the Housing Opportunities for Persons with  
 9 AIDS (HOPWA) program, including \$2,720,736 from the  
 10 Department of Housing and Urban Development and \$379,958  
 11 in additional CARES Act relief. The HOPWA program is  
 12 administered by the Housing and Community Development  
 13 Division and was established to provide housing assistance  
 14 and related supportive services to eligible low-income  
 15 persons living with HIV/AIDS and their families.

16 **Section 2. Purpose.** The purpose of the appropriation in  
 17 Section 1 is to provide funding for housing assistance and related  
 18 supportive services to eligible low-income persons living with  
 19 HIV/AIDS and their families. The HOPWA program provides funding that  
 20 can be used for a wide range of housing, social services, program  
 21 planning, and development cost expenditures for eligible persons and  
 22 their families. Housing assistance may include the acquisition,  
 23 rehabilitation or new construction of housing units, costs for  
 24 facility operations, rental assistance, and short-term payments to  
 25 prevent homelessness. In addition, an essential component to  
 26 providing housing assistance for this targeted, special needs  
 27 population is the coordination and delivery of supportive services.  
 28 Consequently, HOPWA funds may also be used for services that include,  
 29 but are not limited to, assessment and case management, substance  
 30 abuse treatment, mental health treatment, nutritional services, job  
 31 training and placement assistance, and assistance with daily living

1 activities. The Schedule of Proposed Funding detailing the proposed  
2 uses of HOPWA funds is attached hereto as **Revised Exhibit 2**, labeled  
3 as "Revised Exhibit 2, Rev Schedule, June 6, 2022 - NCSPHS" and  
4 incorporated herein by this reference. A copy of the award letters  
5 are attached hereto as **Exhibit 4**.

6 **Section 3. Authorization for Reallocation of Grant Funds.**

7 In the event a sub-recipient is unable or unwilling to accept an  
8 award of HOPWA funds, the funds may be reallocated to the next  
9 eligible awardee using the same method and criteria normally applied  
10 by the Jacksonville Housing and Community Development Commission for  
11 award of HOPWA funds.

12 **Section 4. Approval of Position.** There is hereby

13 approved the Program Manager position more fully described in R.C.  
14 23-002, attached hereto as **Exhibit 3** and incorporated herein by this  
15 reference. Said position is fully funded by HOPWA grant dollars and  
16 will provide services in support of the HOPWA program.

17 **Section 5. Effective Date.** This Ordinance shall become

18 effective upon signature by the Mayor or upon becoming effective  
19 without the Mayor's signature.

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21 Form Approved:

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23           /s/ Paige H. Johnston          

24 Office of General Counsel

25 Legislation prepared by: Mary E. Staffopoulos

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