

1 Introduced by Council Vice President Salem:
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4 **ORDINANCE 2022-840**

5 AN ORDINANCE APPROPRIATING \$261,904 FROM THE
6 OPIOID SETTLEMENT SPECIAL REVENUE FUND TO PAY
7 FOR PERSONNEL COSTS AND EQUIPMENT FOR THE
8 MANAGER OF OPIOID ABATEMENT AND PROGRAM
9 COORDINATOR - OPIOID ABATEMENT POSITIONS
10 AUTHORIZED HEREIN, AS INITIATED BY B.T. 23-022;
11 APPROVING POSITIONS, AS INITIATED BY R.C. 23-
12 039; CREATING A NEW SECTION 111.265 (OPIOID
13 SETTLEMENT SPECIAL REVENUE FUND), PART 2 (HEALTH
14 AND HUMAN SERVICES), CHAPTER 111 (SPECIAL
15 REVENUE AND TRUST ACCOUNTS), *ORDINANCE CODE*, TO
16 ESTABLISH A PERMANENT SPECIAL REVENUE FUND INTO
17 WHICH WILL BE DEPOSITED ALL OPIOID SETTLEMENT
18 PROCEEDS RECEIVED PURSUANT TO THE FLORIDA
19 MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING AUTHORIZED BY
20 ORDINANCE 2021-659-E; PROVIDING FOR
21 CODIFICATION INSTRUCTIONS; APPROVING AND
22 AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR, OR HIS DESIGNEE, AND THE
23 CORPORATION SECRETARY TO EXECUTE AND DELIVER,
24 FOR AND ON BEHALF OF THE CITY, THE INTERLOCAL
25 AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE CITY OF JACKSONVILLE, THE
26 CITY OF ATLANTIC BEACH, THE CITY OF JACKSONVILLE
27 BEACH, THE CITY OF NEPTUNE BEACH, AND THE TOWN
28 OF BALDWIN FOR DISTRIBUTION OF OPIOID LITIGATION
29 SETTLEMENT PROCEEDS; PROVIDING FOR OVERSIGHT BY
30 THE JACKSONVILLE FIRE AND RESCUE DEPARTMENT;
31 PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

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2 **WHEREAS**, the City of Jacksonville, as well as the entire state
3 of Florida, has suffered harm from the opioid epidemic; and

4 **WHEREAS**, the City of Jacksonville has entered into the Florida
5 Memorandum of Understanding with the state of Florida (the "MOU") as
6 authorized by Ordinance 2021-659-E, which sets forth the framework
7 of a unified plan for the proposed allocation and use of opioid
8 settlement proceeds received in accordance with the MOU (the "Opioid
9 Settlement Proceeds"); and

10 **WHEREAS**, the City of Jacksonville has agreed to a plan for
11 distribution of a portion of the Opioid Settlement Proceeds to the
12 cities of Jacksonville Beach, Atlantic Beach, Neptune Beach and the
13 Town of Baldwin pursuant to an Interlocal Agreement as more
14 particularly described herein; and

15 **WHEREAS**, the Opioid Settlement Proceeds shall be deposited in
16 the appropriate accounting string within the Opioid Settlement
17 Special Revenue Fund 15111 created hereby for subsequent Council
18 appropriation in accordance with the requirements of the Fund, to pay
19 for various projects and programs as authorized by the MOU and for
20 distribution to the Beaches and Baldwin as outlined in the Interlocal
21 Agreement; now therefore,

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

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

27 (B.T. 23-022 attached hereto as **Exhibit 1** and incorporated herein by
28 this reference)

- 29 (a) Appropriated from:
30 See B.T. 23-022 \$261,904.00
- 31 (b) Appropriated to:

See B.T. 23-022 \$261,904.00

(c) Explanation of Appropriation:

The funding above represents an appropriation of \$261,904 from the Opioid Settlement Special Revenue Fund to pay for equipment and for the salaries and benefits of the new Manager of Opioid Abatement and Program Coordinator - Opioid Abatement positions authorized herein.

Section 2. Purpose. The purpose of the appropriation in Section 1 is to fund the salaries and benefits of the Manager of Opioid Abatement and the Program Coordinator - Opioid Abatement positions who will be responsible to oversee and administer the Opioid Abatement Program. In addition, funds will be used to supply these positions with computers, wireless communication and mobile equipment, and other specialized equipment. These positions will be housed in the Jacksonville Fire and Rescue Department.

Section 3. Approval of Positions. There are hereby approved the positions more fully described in R.C. 23-039, attached hereto as **Exhibit 2** and incorporated herein by this reference.

Section 4. Creating a new Section 111.265 (Opioid Settlement Special Revenue Fund), Part 2 (Health and Human Services), Chapter 111 (Special Revenue and Trust Accounts), Ordinance Code. A new Section 111.265 (Opioid Settlement Special Revenue Fund), Part 2 (Health and Human Services), Chapter 111 (Special Revenue and Trust Accounts), *Ordinance Code*, is hereby created to read as follows:

CHAPTER 111. SPECIAL REVENUE AND TRUST ACCOUNTS

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PART 2. HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

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Sec. 111.265. - Opioid Settlement Special Revenue Fund.

There is hereby created within the General Government - Budgeted Fund a special revenue fund account to be known as the *Opioid*

1 *Settlement Special Revenue Fund* (the "Fund") into which the City
2 shall deposit all opioid settlement proceeds received in accordance
3 with the terms of the Florida Memorandum of Understanding authorized
4 and approved by Ordinance 2021-659-E (the "MOU") to which the City
5 is a party. All sums placed into the Fund, together with any interest
6 accrued thereon, shall only be used for the "Approved Purposes"
7 defined and outlined in the MOU. The monies deposited in the Fund
8 shall not lapse at the close of any fiscal year but shall carry over
9 to the next fiscal year and shall be subject to appropriation by the
10 Council in accordance with the terms of the MOU with the exception
11 that funds disbursed to the cities of Jacksonville Beach, Atlantic
12 Beach, Neptune Beach and the Town of Baldwin in accordance with the
13 Interlocal Agreement between the City of Jacksonville, the City of
14 Atlantic Beach, the City of Jacksonville Beach, the City of Neptune
15 Beach, and the Town of Baldwin for Distribution of Opioid Litigation
16 Settlement Proceeds (the "Interlocal Agreement") approved by
17 Ordinance 2022-____-E shall be self-appropriating.

18 **Section 5. Codification Instructions.** The Codifier and the
19 Office of General Counsel are authorized to make all chapter and
20 division "table of contents" consistent with the changes set forth
21 herein, including renumbering of sections. Such editorial changes
22 and any other changes necessary to make the *Ordinance Code* consistent
23 with the intent of this legislation are approved and directed herein,
24 and the changes to the *Ordinance Code* shall be made forthwith and
25 when inconsistencies are discovered.

26 **Section 6. Approval and Authorization.** There is hereby
27 approved, and the Mayor, or his designee, and the Corporation
28 Secretary are hereby authorized to execute and deliver, for and on
29 behalf of the City, the Interlocal Agreement Between the City of
30 Jacksonville, the City of Atlantic Beach, the City of Jacksonville
31 Beach, the City of Neptune Beach, and the Town of Baldwin for

1 Distribution of Opioid Litigation Settlement Proceeds (the
2 "Interlocal Agreement") attached hereto as **Exhibit 3** and incorporated
3 herein by this reference.

4 **Section 7. Oversight.** The Jacksonville Fire and Rescue
5 Department shall provide oversight of the Interlocal Agreement and
6 positions authorized and more fully described herein.

7 **Section 8. Effective Date.** This Ordinance shall become
8 effective upon signature by the Mayor or upon becoming effective
9 without the Mayor's signature.

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11 Form Approved:

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13 /s/ Mary E. Staffopoulos

14 Office of General Counsel

15 Legislation prepared by: Mary E. Staffopoulos

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