Introduced by the Land Use and Zoning Committee:

ORDINANCE 2023-65

AN ORDINANCE RESCHEDULING THE LAND USE AND ZONING COMMITTEE MEETING OF TUESDAY, MARCH 21, 2023, TO WEDNESDAY, MARCH 22, 2023; DIRECTING APPROPRIATE NOTIFICATION BY THE CHIEF OF THE LEGISLATIVE SERVICES DIVISION; WAIVING COUNCIL RULE 2.201 (MEETINGS) IN ORDER TO AUTHORIZE THE RESCHEDULING; REQUESTING EMERGENCY PASSAGE UPON INTRODUCTION; PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, Council Rule 2.201 (Meetings) provides for Standing Committee meetings to be held during the first and third weeks of every month (except for the first week in July and the third week in December); and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Council Rule 2.201 (Meetings), the Council President has set the regular meeting of the Land Use and Zoning Committee for the first and third Tuesdays of each month (except for the first week in July and the third week in December); and

WHEREAS, the Land Use and Zoning Committee is scheduled to meet on Tuesday, March 21, 2023, which is the date of the 2023 First Unitary Election; now therefore

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

Section 1. Land Use and Zoning Committee Meeting on Tuesday, March 21, 2023 Rescheduled. The Land Use and Zoning Committee meeting scheduled for Tuesday, March 21, 2023 in the Council Chambers is hereby rescheduled to Wednesday, March 22, 2023 at 5:00 p.m. in the Council Chambers. The Land Use and Zoning Committee agenda meeting is also hereby rescheduled to Wednesday, March 22,

2023 at 4:30 p.m. in Council Chambers.

Section 2. Notification. The Chief of Legislative Services is hereby directed to ensure that all public hearings are advertised and scheduled for Wednesday, March 22, 2023, and to ensure that any other notifications necessary to conduct the Land Use and Zoning Committee meeting and agenda meeting on Wednesday, March 22, 2023, are made.

Section 3. Council Rule 2.201 (Meetings) Waived. Pursuant to Council Rule 2.201 (Meetings), the Council President has set the regular meetings of the Land Use and Zoning Committee for the first and third Tuesdays of each month (except for the first week in July and the third week in December). Council Rule 2.201 (Meetings) is hereby waived to authorize the rescheduling of the Land Use and Zoning Committee meeting as stated herein.

Section 4. Requesting Emergency Passage Upon Introduction pursuant to Council Rule 4.901. Emergency passage of this legislation upon introduction is requested. The nature of the emergency is that bills filed on February 8, 2023, for introduction at the City Council meeting on February 14, 2023, will be scheduled for public hearings before the Land Use and Zoning Committee during the third week of March. Emergency passage of this legislation upon introduction ensures City staff has time to update the notices and advertisements for these hearings to ensure they are properly and timely posted and mailed in advance of the Land Use and Zoning Committee meeting on March 22, 2023.

Section 5. Effective Date. This Ordinance shall become effective upon signature by the Mayor or upon becoming effective without the Mayor's signature.