

1 Introduced by Council Vice President Salem and Co-Sponsored by Council
2 Members Clark-Murray and Pittman:

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5 **ORDINANCE 2022-840-E**

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

1 PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

30 (a) Appropriated from:

31 See B.T. 23-022

\$261,904.00

1 (b) Appropriated to:

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

3 (c) Explanation of Appropriation:

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

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

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

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

26 **CHAPTER 111. SPECIAL REVENUE AND TRUST ACCOUNTS**

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28 **PART 2. HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES**

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30 **Sec. 111.265. - Opioid Settlement Special Revenue Fund.**

31 There is hereby created within the General Government - Budgeted

1 Fund a special revenue fund account to be known as the *Opioid*
2 *Settlement Special Revenue Fund* (the "Fund") into which the City
3 shall deposit all opioid settlement proceeds received in accordance
4 with the terms of the Florida Memorandum of Understanding authorized
5 and approved by Ordinance 2021-659-E (the "MOU") to which the City
6 is a party. All sums placed into the Fund, together with any interest
7 accrued thereon, shall only be used for the "Approved Purposes"
8 defined and outlined in the MOU. The monies deposited in the Fund
9 shall not lapse at the close of any fiscal year but shall carry over
10 to the next fiscal year and shall be subject to appropriation by the
11 Council in accordance with the terms of the MOU with the exception
12 that funds disbursed to the cities of Jacksonville Beach, Atlantic
13 Beach, Neptune Beach and the Town of Baldwin in accordance with the
14 Interlocal Agreement between the City of Jacksonville, the City of
15 Atlantic Beach, the City of Jacksonville Beach, the City of Neptune
16 Beach, and the Town of Baldwin for Distribution of Opioid Litigation
17 Settlement Proceeds (the "Interlocal Agreement") approved by
18 Ordinance 2022-840-E shall be self-appropriating.

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

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

1 Beach, the City of Neptune Beach, and the Town of Baldwin for
2 Distribution of Opioid Litigation Settlement Proceeds (the
3 "Interlocal Agreement") attached hereto as **Exhibit 3** and incorporated
4 herein by this reference.

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

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

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12 Form Approved:

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14 /s/ Mary E. Staffopoulos

15 Office of General Counsel

16 Legislation prepared by: Mary E. Staffopoulos

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