

1 Introduced by the Council President at the request of the Mayor:

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4 **ORDINANCE 2023-303**

5 AN ORDINANCE APPROPRIATING \$332,229.55 IN
6 ADDITIONAL AMERICAN RESCUE PLAN ACT GRANT
7 FUNDING RECEIVED FROM THE U.S. DEPARTMENT OF
8 HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES AND DISTRIBUTED
9 THROUGH NORTHEAST FLORIDA AREA AGENCY ON AGING,
10 INC., D/B/A ELDELSOURCE, IN SUPPORT OF THE
11 JACKSONVILLE SENIOR SERVICES PROGRAM, AS
12 INITIATED BY B.T. 23-078; PROVIDING FOR
13 OVERSIGHT AND REPORTING BY THE SENIOR SERVICES
14 DIVISION OF THE PARKS, RECREATION AND COMMUNITY
15 SERVICES DEPARTMENT; PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE
16 DATE.

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

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

23 (B.T. 23-078, attached hereto as **Exhibit 1** and incorporated herein
24 by this reference):

- 25 (a) Appropriated from:
- 26 See B.T. 23-078 \$332,229.55
- 27 (b) Appropriated to:
- 28 See B.T. 23-078 \$332,229.55

29 (c) Explanation of Appropriation:
30 The funding above represents an appropriation of additional
31 American Rescue Plan Act grant funding from the U.S.

1 Department of Health and Human Services, distributed
2 through Northeast Florida Area Agency on Aging, Inc., d/b/a
3 ElderSource, in the amount of \$332,229.55, for continued
4 support of the Jacksonville Senior Services Program (the
5 "Program"). The extended grant period commences July 11,
6 2022, and continues through September 30, 2024. No City
7 match is required to receive these additional grant funds.

8 **Section 2. Purpose.** The purpose of the appropriation in
9 Section 1 is to provide additional funding to support the goals and
10 objectives of the Program. Program efforts include providing
11 supportive services, nutrition services, and preventive health
12 services to family caregivers in response to coronavirus, giving
13 preference to older individuals (ages 60 and older) with greatest
14 economic and social needs. Crisis assistance may include, but is not
15 limited to, COVID-19 vaccination outreach, education, aiding older
16 adults with vaccinations, and other associated services; as well as
17 resources addressing social isolation, including activities for
18 investments in technological equipment, to facilitate these efforts.

19 A copy of the ElderSource Standard Contract American Rescue Plan
20 Act (Agreement Number: RP21-JSSP), together with Amendment One
21 effective September 1, 2021, and Amendment Two effective January 1,
22 2023, setting forth the terms and conditions relative to receipt and
23 expenditure of the aforementioned grant funds, has been placed **On**
24 **File** with the Office of Legislative Services.

25 **Section 3. Oversight Department.** The Senior Services
26 Division of the Parks, Recreation and Community Services Department
27 shall oversee administration of the grant described herein.

28 **Section 4. Effective Date.** This Ordinance shall become
29 effective upon signature by the Mayor or upon becoming effective
30 without the Mayor's signature.

1 Form Approved:

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3 /s/ Mary E. Staffopoulos

4 Office of General Counsel

5 Legislation prepared by: Mary E. Staffopoulos

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