

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

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4 **ORDINANCE 2023-487**

5 AN ORDINANCE APPROPRIATING \$1,710,000.00,
6 INCLUDING \$855,000.00 IN GRANT FUNDING AWARDED
7 BY THE STATE OF FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF EMERGENCY
8 MANAGEMENT, STATE FIRE MARSHAL DIVISION, AND A
9 \$855,000.00 CITY MATCH, TO PURCHASE HEAVY
10 EQUIPMENT TRUCKS AND TRAILERS TO SUPPORT AND
11 IMPROVE THE HEAVY EQUIPMENT TEAM (HET), AS
12 INITIATED BY B.T. 23-106; PURPOSE OF
13 APPROPRIATION; PROVIDING FOR OVERSIGHT BY
14 JACKSONVILLE FIRE AND RESCUE DEPARTMENT,
15 EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS DIVISION; PROVIDING AN
16 EFFECTIVE 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 are hereby appropriated the indicated
21 sum(s) from the account(s) listed in subsection (a) to the account(s)
22 listed in subsection (b):

23 (B.T. 23-106 attached hereto as **Exhibit 1** and incorporated herein by
24 this reference)

25 (a) Appropriated from:

26 See B.T. 23-106 \$1,710,000.00

27 (b) Appropriated to:

28 See B.T. 23-106 \$1,710,000.00

29 (c) Explanation of Appropriation:

30 The funding above represents an appropriation of
31 \$1,710,000.00, including \$855,000.00 in grant funding

1 awarded by the State of Florida Department of Emergency
2 Management, State Fire Marshal Division, and a \$855,000.00
3 City Match. The Jacksonville Fire and Rescue Department
4 ("JFRD") will use the funds to purchase additional heavy
5 equipment trucks and trailers to support and improve the
6 JFRD Heavy Equipment Team (HET).

7 **Section 2. Purpose.** The purpose of the appropriation in
8 Section 1 is to provide funding for the Jacksonville Fire and Rescue
9 Department to purchase six (6) trucks and gooseneck trailers to
10 transport skid steers and excavators; a large-scale excavator for
11 rapid response team, and a fuel truck to deploy on emergency response
12 missions in remote or devastated areas. The dedicated transport
13 equipment will be used to enhance JFRD's Heavy Equipment Team (HET).
14 A copy of the Award Letter from the Florida Department of Financial
15 Services, Division of State Fire Marshall, is attached as **Exhibit 2**.

16 **Section 3. Oversight.** The Jacksonville Fire and Rescue
17 Department, Emergency Preparedness Division, shall oversee
18 administration of the grant described herein.

19 **Section 4. Effective Date.** This Ordinance shall become
20 effective upon signature by the Mayor or upon becoming effective
21 without the Mayor's signature.

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24 Form Approved:

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26 /s/ Lawsikia J. Hodges

27 Office of General Counsel

28 Legislation Prepared By: Lawsikia J. Hodges

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