

1 Introduced by the Council President at the request of the Mayor:
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4 **ORDINANCE 2023-617-E**

5 AN ORDINANCE CONFIRMING THE APPOINTMENT OF DR.
6 LANTIE ELISABETH JORANDBY, AS A MEMBER OF THE
7 OPIOID AND SUBSTANCE USE DISORDER GRANTS
8 COMMITTEE, AS A HEALTHCARE PROFESSIONAL
9 REPRESENTATIVE, PURSUANT TO SECTION 84.202
10 (COMPOSITION; CITY COUNCIL LIAISON; TERMS;
11 REMOVAL), PART 2 (OPIOID AND SUBSTANCE USE
12 DISORDER GRANTS COMMITTEE), CHAPTER 84 (OPIOID
13 SETTLEMENT PROCEEDS GRANTS), *ORDINANCE CODE*, FOR
14 A FIRST FULL TERM ENDING ON JUNE 30, 2025;
15 ESTABLISHING SUBSTANTIAL BUSINESS INTEREST IN
16 DUVAL COUNTY, PURSUANT TO SECTION 50.102(B)
17 (RESIDENCY REQUIREMENT) (MEMBERS OF BOARDS AND
18 COMMISSIONS), PART 1 (ORGANIZATION), CHAPTER 50
19 (ORGANIZATION OF BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS),
20 *ORDINANCE CODE*; WAIVING COUNCIL RULE 4.1101
21 (APPEARANCE BEFORE COMMITTEE), COUNCIL RULES,
22 REQUIREMENT THAT THE APPOINTEE PRIOR TO
23 CONFIRMATION APPEAR BEFORE THE COMMITTEE TO
24 WHICH CONSIDERATION OF THE APPOINTMENT HAS BEEN
25 REFERRED; REQUESTING ONE-CYCLE EMERGENCY
26 PASSAGE; PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

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28 **WHEREAS**, Ordinance 2023-350-E established the Opioid and
29 Substance Use Disorder Grants Committee (the "Committee") to act as
30 an advisory body for the City of Jacksonville and to review, evaluate
31 and score grant applications to fund projects and programs aimed at

1 combatting the opioid crisis; and

2 **WHEREAS**, Section 84.202, *Ordinance Code*, outlines the
3 composition of the Committee which shall consist of seven voting
4 members, three of whom shall be appointed by the Mayor and confirmed
5 by Council and three of whom shall be appointed by the Council
6 President and confirmed by Council; and

7 **WHEREAS**, the Mayor and Council President shall each appoint
8 one member to the Committee from each of the following categories:
9 (i) Mental Health Professional, (ii) Peer Specialist, and (iii)
10 Healthcare Professional; and

11 **WHEREAS**, the members of the Committee are chosen to provide
12 knowledge of needed services, shall demonstrate an interest in the
13 impact of opioid-related programs in the community, and a willingness
14 to participate fully in the process; now therefore

15 **BE IT RESOLVED** by the Council of the City of Jacksonville:

16 **Section 1. Appointment.** The Council hereby confirms the
17 Mayor's appointment of Dr. Lantie Elisabeth Jorandby to the Opioid
18 and Substance Use Disorder Grants Committee, as a Healthcare
19 Professional representative, in accordance with Section 84.202
20 (Composition; City Council Liaison; Terms; Removal), Part 2 (Opioid
21 and Substance Use Disorder Grants Committee), Chapter 84 (Opioid
22 Settlement Proceeds Grants), *Ordinance Code*, for a first full term
23 expiring on June 30, 2025.

24 **Section 2. A Non-Resident of Duval County with substantial**
25 **economic business interests in Duval County.** Section 50.102 (Members
26 of Boards and Commissions), Part 1 (Organization), Chapter 50
27 (Organization of Boards and Commissions), *Ordinance Code*, requires
28 Board and Commission members be either a Duval Country resident or
29 individuals with substantial economic business interests in Duval
30 County. Dr. Jorandby has substantial business interests in Duval
31 County. Since 2019, Dr. Jorandby has been serving as the Chief Medical

1 Officer for Lakeview Health, a dual diagnosis treatment facility
2 located in Jacksonville, Florida.

3 **Section 3. Waiver of Council Rule 4.1101 (Appearance Before**
4 **Committee), Council Rules.** Council Rule 4.1101 (Appearance Before
5 Committee), *Council Rules*, is hereby waived as to the requirement
6 that the appointee prior to confirmation appear before the committee
7 to which consideration of the appointment has been referred. A waiver
8 is required because the appointee is unable to appear before the
9 Rules Committee due to a scheduling conflict. This waiver will allow
10 the Rules Committee and Council to act upon this appointment in a
11 timely manner to give the Committee sufficient time to schedule
12 organizational and training meetings to prepare for the initial grant
13 cycle and to allow the appointee to attend and participate in those
14 meetings as a member of the Committee.

15 **Section 4. Requesting One-cycle emergency Passage Pursuant**
16 **to Council Rule 4.901 (Declaration of Emergency), Part 9 (Emergency**
17 **Legislation), Chapter 4 (Procedures).** One-cycle emergency passage
18 of this legislation is requested. The nature of the emergency is that
19 applications for the initial Opioid Settlement Proceeds Grants cycle
20 (Fiscal Year 2023-2024) must be submitted by no later than September
21 30, 2023. The City Council would like to seat the Committee members
22 as soon as possible to provide the members and staff time to schedule
23 their initial organizational and training meetings to prepare for the
24 grant cycle.

25 **Section 5. Effective Date.** This Ordinance shall become
26 effective upon signature by the Mayor or upon becoming effective
27 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: Lawsikia J. Hodges

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