

1 Introduced by Council Member Gaffney, Jr.:

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4 **ORDINANCE 2023-809**

5 AN ORDINANCE APPROPRIATING \$150,000 FROM A
6 DESIGNATED CONTINGENCY ACCOUNT TO THE SUBSIDIES
7 AND CONTRIBUTIONS TO PRIVATE ORGANIZATIONS
8 ACCOUNT TO PROVIDE FUNDING TO NORTHSIDE
9 COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT, INC. ("NCI") FOR THE
10 COMMUNITIES WITH RESOURCES WORKING TOGETHER FOR
11 THE BETTERMENT OF JACKSONVILLE, FLORIDA PROGRAM
12 (THE "PROGRAM") DESCRIBED HEREIN; INVOKING THE
13 EXEMPTION IN SECTION 126.107(G) (EXEMPTIONS),
14 PART 1 (GENERAL REGULATIONS), CHAPTER 126
15 (PROCUREMENT CODE), *ORDINANCE CODE*, TO ALLOW FOR
16 A DIRECT CONTRACT WITH NCI; WAIVING SECTION
17 118.107 (NONPROFITS TO RECEIVE FUNDING THROUGH
18 A COMPETITIVE EVALUATED AWARD PROCESS), PART 1
19 (GENERAL PROVISIONS), CHAPTER 118 (CITY GRANTS),
20 *ORDINANCE CODE*, TO ALLOW FOR A DIRECT CONTRACT
21 WITH NCI; APPROVING, AND AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR,
22 OR HER DESIGNEE, AND THE CORPORATION SECRETARY
23 TO EXECUTE AND DELIVER ON BEHALF OF THE CITY AN
24 AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE CITY OF JACKSONVILLE AND
25 NORTHSIDE COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT, INC. FOR THE
26 PROGRAM; PROVIDING FOR OVERSIGHT BY THE GRANTS
27 AND CONTRACTS COMPLIANCE DIVISION OF THE FINANCE
28 AND ADMINISTRATION DEPARTMENT; PROVIDING AN
29 EFFECTIVE DATE.

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

1 human services and social justice in targeted communities. NCI, as
2 the lead agency administering the Program, will oversee the grant
3 application, scoring and award process as outlined in **Exhibit 2**. In
4 addition, NCI will ensure each subrecipient seeking reimbursement has
5 provided the appropriate documentation and justification of
6 expenditures reflecting adherence to applicable City Codes and
7 policies prior to requesting funds from the City for reimbursement.

8 **Section 3. Invoking the Exemption in Section 126.107(g),**
9 **Ordinance Code.** The City is hereby authorized to directly procure
10 the professional services of Northside Community Involvement, Inc.
11 to administer the Program described herein. Pursuant to Section
12 126.107(g) (Exemptions), Part 1 (General Regulations), Chapter 126
13 (Procurement Code), *Ordinance Code*, such procurement is exempted from
14 competitive solicitation because the supplies or services are to be
15 provided by those specifically prescribed within authorizing
16 legislation that appropriates the same. With the exception of the
17 foregoing, all other provisions of Chapter 126, *Ordinance Code*, shall
18 remain in full force and effect.

19 **Section 4. Waiver of Section 118.107, Ordinance Code.** The
20 provisions of Section 118.107 (Nonprofits to receive funding through
21 a competitive evaluated award process), Part 1 (General Provisions),
22 Chapter 118 (City Grants), *Ordinance Code*, are hereby waived to allow
23 for a direct contract with Northside Community Involvement, Inc. NCI
24 is uniquely situated to administer this Program because it has
25 operated within the targeted communities (District 8) for more than
26 25 years and already provides guidance and assistance to the various
27 types of agencies who would qualify to receive this funding.

28 **Section 5. Approval and Authorization to Execute.** There is
29 hereby approved, and the Mayor, or her designee, and the Corporation
30 Secretary are hereby authorized to execute and deliver on behalf of
31 the City an agreement with Northside Community Involvement, Inc. in

1 an amount not-to-exceed \$150,000, subject to the Scope of Services
2 and Budget more particularly described in **Exhibit 2**, for a term
3 commencing upon the City's execution of the agreement through
4 September 30, 2024, and all other contracts and documents, including
5 extensions, renewals and amendments to the agreement, and to otherwise
6 take all action necessary to effectuate the intent of this Ordinance,
7 subject to appropriate legal review and approval by the General
8 Counsel, or his or her designee, and the City's Risk Management
9 Division for appropriate insurance and indemnification requirements
10 in accordance with Section 128.601, *Ordinance Code*.

11 **Section 6. Oversight Department.** The Grants and
12 Contract Compliance Division of the Finance and Administration
13 Department shall oversee the project described herein.

14 **Section 7. Effective Date.** This Ordinance shall become
15 effective upon signature by the Mayor or upon becoming effective
16 without the Mayor's signature.

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18 Form Approved:

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20 /s/ Mary E. Staffopoulos

21 Office of General Counsel

22 Legislation Prepared By: Mary E. Staffopoulos

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