

CITY COUNCIL RESEARCH DIVISION

LEGISLATIVE SUMMARY



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Bill Type and Number: Ordinance 2024-332

Introducer/Sponsor(s): Council President at the request of the Sheriff

Date of Introduction: April 23, 2024

Committee(s) of Reference: NCSPHS, R, F

Date of Analysis: April 23, 2024

Type of Action: Appropriation, agreement authorizations, *Ordinance Code* waiver and designation of oversight agency

Bill Summary: This bill is an appropriation of \$114,945.97 in Contributions from Private Sources within the Special Law Enforcement Trust Fund for various crime prevention and law enforcement expenditures and activities and for donations to various organizations. The agreements between the City of Jacksonville and Hubbard House, Inc., North Florida Council, Inc., Boy Scouts of America, Operation Save Our Sons, Inc., M.A.D. D.A.D.S., Jacksonville Chapter, Inc., Big Brothers Big Sisters of Northeast Florida, Inc., and Downtown Vision Alliance, Inc. are authorized. Section 110.112, *Ordinance Code* is waived to permit advanced payments. The Jacksonville Sheriff's Office will provide oversight.

Background Information: The Special Law Enforcement Trust Fund is composed of monies from the sales proceeds from law enforcement property seizures and forfeitures. According to Section 932.7055, *Florida Statutes*, monies from the Special Law Enforcement Trust Fund are to be directed to for school resource officers, crime prevention, safe neighborhood, drug abuse education and prevention programs, or for other non-operational law enforcement purposes. The \$114,945.97 appropriation will be allocated as follows:

- \$7,500 to the Teen Driver Special Revenue Fund for the Teen Driver Challenge Program
- \$7,500 to the Police Explorers Trust Fund for the JSO Police Explorer Post
- \$20,000 to the Homeward Bound Program
- \$9,945.97 to Hubbard House, Inc.
- \$10,000 to Boy Scouts of America, North Florida Council
- \$15,000 to Mad Dads Jacksonville Chapter
- \$5,000 to Big Brothers/Big Sisters
- \$25,000 to Downtown Vision

Policy Impact Area: Special Law Enforcement Trust Fund

Fiscal Impact: Appropriation of \$114,945.97 as initiated by B.T. 24-092

Analyst: Hampsey