

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

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4 **ORDINANCE 2024-737**

5 AN ORDINANCE APPROPRIATING \$1,200,000.00 FROM  
6 THE COUNTYWIDE TRAFFIC SIGNALIZATION - FIBER  
7 OPTIC PROJECT TO THE MONCRIEF ROAD FIBER OPTIC  
8 PROJECT (THE "PROJECT") TO PAY FOR THE  
9 INSTALLATION OF FIBER ON MONCRIEF ROAD, AS  
10 INITIATED BY B.T. 24-144; AMENDING THE 2024-2028  
11 FIVE-YEAR CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PLAN APPROVED BY  
12 ORDINANCE 2023-505-E TO REFLECT THIS  
13 APPROPRIATION OF FUNDS TO THE PROJECT; PROVIDING  
14 FOR OVERSIGHT BY THE TRAFFIC ENGINEERING  
15 DIVISION OF THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS;  
16 PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

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

19 **Section 1. Appropriation.** For the 2023-2024 fiscal year,  
20 within the City's budget, there is 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. 24-144, attached hereto as **Exhibit 1** and incorporated herein  
24 by this reference)

25 (a) Appropriated from:

26 See B.T. 24-144 \$1,200,000.00

27 (b) Appropriated to:

28 See B.T. 24-144 \$1,200,000.00

29 (c) Explanation of Appropriation:

30 The funding above represents an appropriation of  
31 \$1,200,000.00 from the Countywide Traffic Signalization -

1 Fiber Optic Project to the Moncrief Road Fiber Optic  
2 Project.

3 **Section 2. Purpose.** The purpose of the appropriation in  
4 Section 1 is to transfer funds from the Countywide Traffic  
5 Signalization - Fiber Optic Project to the Moncrief Road Fiber Optic  
6 Project (the "Project") for the construction and installation of the  
7 Project. The Project will entail installation of fiber on Moncrief  
8 Road to provide communication between traffic signals on Moncrief  
9 Road and the county transportation monitoring system. This  
10 communication will allow the Traffic Engineering Division to respond  
11 more quickly to signal outages, address problems proactively, more  
12 quickly coordinate with the Jacksonville Sheriff's Office for traffic  
13 control and provide a much better level of service to residents.

14 **Section 3. Capital Improvement Plan Amendment.** Ordinance  
15 2023-505-E, adopting the 2024-2028 Five-Year Capital Improvement Plan  
16 (the "CIP") for the City and certain of its independent agencies, is  
17 hereby amended to reflect the appropriation of funds to the Project,  
18 as more fully described in the Project Information Sheets attached  
19 hereto as **Exhibit 2**, and incorporated herein by this reference. The  
20 City Council finds that the deferral of this amendment of the CIP  
21 until the next annual budget and CIP review will be detrimental to  
22 the best interests of the community because such deferral will  
23 unnecessarily delay the commencement and completion of the Project.

24 Pursuant to Section 122.605(c), *Ordinance Code*, enactment of  
25 this Ordinance requires the affirmative vote of two-thirds of the  
26 City Council members present at the meeting because of the CIP  
27 amendment set forth in this section. This Ordinance shall constitute  
28 an amendment to Ordinance 2023-505-E. In all other respects, the  
29 Five-Year Capital Improvement Plan approved by Ordinance 2023-505-E  
30 shall remain unchanged and continue in full force and effect.

31 **Section 4.** The Traffic Engineering Division of the

1 Department of Public Works shall have oversight with respect to the  
2 project described herein.

3           **Section 5.           Effective Date.**   This Ordinance shall become  
4 effective upon signature by the Mayor or upon becoming effective  
5 without the Mayor's signature.

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7 Form Approved:

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9 /s/ Harry M. Wilson, IV

10 Office of General Counsel

11 Legislation Prepared By: Harry M. Wilson, IV

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