

1 Introduced by the Council Member White:
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4 **ORDINANCE 2024-628-E**

5 AN ORDINANCE REGARDING EMERGENCY MEDICAL
6 TRANSPORTATION SERVICES; AMENDING SECTION 158.203
7 (AVAILABILITY OF GROUND CERTIFICATES; CURRENT
8 CERTIFICATE HOLDERS), PART 2 (EMERGENCY MEDICAL
9 TRANSPORTATION SERVICES), CHAPTER 158 (EMERGENCY AND
10 NONEMERGENCY MEDICAL TRANSPORTATION SERVICES),
11 *ORDINANCE CODE*, TO ALLOW FOR AN EXEMPTION FROM THE
12 LIMITATION ON CERTIFICATES FOR CERTAIN NOT FOR
13 PROFIT MEDICAL FACILITIES; PROVIDING CODIFICATION
14 INSTRUCTIONS; PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.
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16 **BE IT ORDAINED** by the Council of the City of Jacksonville:

17 **Section 1. Amending Section 158.203 (Availability of ground**
18 **certificates; current certificate holders), Part 2 (Emergency Medical**
19 **Transportation Services), Chapter 158 (Emergency and Nonemergency**
20 **Medical Transportation Services), Ordinance Code.** Section 158.203
21 (Availability of ground certificates; current certificate holders),
22 Part 2 (Emergency Medical Transportation Services), Chapter 158
23 (Emergency and Nonemergency Medical Transportation Services),
24 *Ordinance Code*, is hereby amended to read as follows:

25 **CHAPTER 158 - EMERGENCY AND NONEMERGENCY MEDICAL TRANSPORTATION**
26 **SERVICES**

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28 **PART 2. - EMERGENCY MEDICAL TRANSPORTATION SERVICES**

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30 **Sec. 158.203. - Availability of ground certificates; current**
31 **certificate holders.**

1 Ground certificates shall be issued for ground transportation
2 ambulance services and shall become available as follows:

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4 (d) The limitation set forth in this section does not apply to not
5 for profit medical facilities who have contracts with the City
6 of Jacksonville to provide indigent care and provide those
7 services in facilities owned by the City of Jacksonville.

8 **Section 2. Codification Instructions.** The Codifier and the
9 Office of General Counsel are authorized to make all chapter and
10 division "table of contents" consistent with the changes set forth
11 herein. Such editorial changes and any other necessary to make the
12 *Ordinance Code* consistent with the intent of this legislation are
13 approved and directed herein, and the changes to the *Ordinance Code*
14 shall be made forthwith and when inconsistencies are discovered.

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

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19 Form Approved:

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21 /s/ Mary E. Staffopoulos

22 Office of General Counsel

23 Legislation Prepared By: Dylan Reingold

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