Introduced by Council Member White and Co-Sponsored by Council Member Morgan, Hazouri, Newby, Diamond, Carlucci, Salem, Ferraro and Becton:

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WHEREAS, the City of Jacksonville wishes to honor Trooper

RESOLUTION 2019-593-A

RESOLUTION SUPPORTING HOUSE BILL 0385 DESIGNATING A PORTION OF U.S. ROUTE 301 BETWEEN U.S. ROUTE 90 AND SUMMER FIELD LANE IN DUVAL COUNTY AS "TROOPER EDWIN J. MEMORIAL HIGHWAY"; DIRECTING THE CHIEF LEGISLATIVE SERVICES TO SEND A COPY OF THIS RESOLUTION TO THE FLORIDA DEPARTMENT TRANSPORTATION, DUVAL LEGISLATIVE DELEGATION, THE FLORIDA SENATE PRESIDENT AND THE SPEAKER OF THE FLORIDA HOUSE; PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, during the 2019 Legislative Session, the Florida Legislature passed House Bill 0385, which makes honorary designations of transportation facilities through Florida and directs the Florida Department of Transportation (FDOT) to erect

suitable makers for those designations; and

WHEREAS, House Bill 0385 designates that portion of U.S. Route 301 (72140000) between U.S. Route 90 and Summer Field Lane in Duval County as "Trooper Edwin J. Gasque Memorial Highway" in Duval County; and

WHEREAS, Section 334.071, Florida Statutes, provides that a city or county must pass a resolution in support of a particular designation before road markers are erected; and

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Edwin J. Gasque and requests that the Florida Department of Transportation erect suitable markers designating a portion of U.S. Route 301 (72140000) between U.S. Route 90 and Summer Field Lane in Duval County as "Trooper Edwin J. Gasque Memorial Highway"; now therefore

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

Section 1. The City of Jacksonville strongly supports House Bill 0385, and designation of a portion of U.S. Route 301 (72140000) between U.S. Route 90 and Summer Field Lane in Duval County as "Trooper Edwin J. Gasque Memorial Highway", and hereby authorizes the erection of appropriate signage by the Florida Department of Transportation to commemorate the designation.

Section 2. Direction to Chief of Legislative Services. The Chief of Legislative Services for the City Council is hereby directed to provide a copy of this Resolution to the Florida Department of Transportation, Duval County Legislative Delegation, Florida Senate President and Speaker of the Florida House.

Section 3. Effective Date. This Resolution shall become effective upon signature by the Mayor or upon becoming effective without the Mayor's signature.

Form Approved:

/s/ Paige H. Johnston

Office of General Counsel

Legislation Prepared By: Jeff Clements, City Council Research

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