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

## ORDINANCE 2019-615-E

AN ORDINANCE CLOSING AND ABANDONING AND/OR DISCLAIMING AN OPENED AND IMPROVED PORTION OF THE WILLOW STREET RIGHT-OF-WAY, A DEAD-END ROAD, ESTABLISHED IN WALSH'S 2ND ADDITION TO SOUTH JACKSONVILLE, AS RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK 7, PAGE 46 OF THE PUBLIC RECORDS OF DUVAL COUNTY, IN COUNCIL DISTRICT 5, AT THE REQUEST OF MILLENNIA JACKSONVILLE FL TC, LP, SUBJECT TO RESERVATION UNTO CITY AND JEA OF AN ALL UTILITIES EASEMENT OVER THE CLOSED PORTION OF THE RIGHT-OF-WAY FOR INGRESS AND EGRESS AND FOR ALL UTILITIES; PROVIDING FOR APPROVAL SUBJECT TO CONDITIONS; PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

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

Section 1. Closure and Abandonment. An opened and improved portion of the Willow Street right-of-way, a dead-end road, established in Walsh's 2<sup>nd</sup> Addition to South Jacksonville, as recorded in Plat Book 7, Page 46 of the public records of Duval County, in Council District 5, descriptions of which are attached hereto as Exhibit 1 and incorporated herein by this reference, is hereby closed and abandoned and/or disclaimed as a right-of-way at the request of Millennia Jacksonville FL TC, LP (the "Applicant"); provided, however, there is reserved unto the City and JEA an All Utilities Easement on, over, across, and under the closed right-of-way for ingress and egress and for all utilities, including but not

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limited to water, sewer, electric, and drainage, so as to provide City and JEA continued access to repair and maintain facilities in the future. There are no city, state, or other agency objections to this closure request. Applicant has paid the \$2,091.00 Right-of-Way Closure Application Fee.

Section 2. Purpose. Applicant owns the apartment complex (Palmetto Glen) bordering both sides of the right-of-way and is requesting the closure in order to be able to convert the closed right-of-way into additional parking for its tenants.

Hold Harmless Covenant. Section 3. The closure and abandonment by the City of its interests in the right-of-way is subject to the execution and delivery to the City by Applicant ("Grantor") of a hold harmless covenant in substantially the same form attached hereto as **Exhibit 2** and incorporated herein by this reference. Accordingly, the closure and abandonment of the rightof-way shall not be recorded in the Public Records until execution and delivery to the City by Grantor of the required hold harmless covenant.

Effective Date. This ordinance shall become Section 4. effective upon signature by the Mayor or upon becoming effective without the Mayor's signature.

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## /s/ James R. McCain, Jr.

26 Office of General Counsel

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