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Introduced by the Council President at the request of the Mayor and Co-Sponsored by Council Members Ferraro, Salem, Carlucci, Newby, Morgan, Gaffney, White, Bowman, Cumber, DeFoor, Freeman, Hazouri, Pittman and Diamond:

ORDINANCE 2020-63

ΑN ORDINANCE APPROPRIATING A \$521,855.00 REIMBURSABLE GRANT FROM THE FLORIDA DEPARTMENT ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION FOR THE DEVELOPMENT OF JACKSONVILLE FREEDOM PARK, AS INITIATED BY B.T. 20-029; APPROVING, AND AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR, OR HIS DESIGNEE, AND THE CORPORATION SECRETARY TO EXECUTE AND DELIVER, FOR AND ON BEHALF OF THE CITY, THE STANDARD GRANT AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE STATE OF FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AND THE CITY OF JACKSONVILLE AND OTHER DOCUMENTS AND TAKE FURTHER ACTION TO EFFECTUATE THE PURPOSES OF THIS ORDINANCE; PROVIDING FOR OVERSIGHT ΒY THE PARKS, RECREATION AND COMMUNITY SERVICES DEPARTMENT; PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

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

Section 1. Appropriation. For the 2019-2020 fiscal year, within the City's budget, there are hereby appropriated the indicated sum(s) from the account(s) listed in subsection (a) to the account(s) listed in subsection (b):

- (B.T. 20-029 attached hereto as **Exhibit 1** and incorporated herein by this reference)
 - (a) Appropriated from:

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1	See B.T. 20-029 \$521,855.00
2	(b) Appropriated to:
3	See B.T. 20-029 \$521,855.00
4	(c) Explanation of Appropriation
5	The appropriation above is a reimbursable grant award
6	from the Florida Department of Environmental Protection
7	for the development of Jacksonville Freedom Park. The
8	funding must be used by October 31, 2020.
9	Section 2. Purpose. The purpose of the appropriation in
10	Section 1 is to provide funding for the development of Jacksonville
11	Freedom Park (the "Park"). The Park wil recognize two groups, U. S.
12	Veterans and the Gullah Geechee, both with strong ties to
13	Jacksonville and the surrounding communities. The Park will become
14	a gateway to the National Heritage Corridor and Fort Caroline
15	National Memorial and will tell the stories of the Gullah Geechee
16	and U. S. Veterans through landscape, walkways, and story boards.
17	The Park will be one of the southerly locations of the Gullah
18	Geechee Cultural Heritage Corridor that extends from North Carolina
19	to north Florida.
20	Section 3. Approval and authorization. There is hereby
21	approved, and the Mayor, or his designee, and the Corporation
22	Secretary are hereby authorized to execute and deliver on behalf of
23	the City, the Standard Grant Agreement between the State of Florida
24	Department of Environmental Protection and the City of
25	Jacksonville, a copy of which is has been placed ON FILE with the
26	Office of Legislative Services, and other documents and take
27	further action to effectuate the purposes of this ordinance.
28	Section 4. Oversight. The Parks, Recreation and
29	Community Services Department shall oversee the project described

Section 5. Effective Date. This ordinance shall become

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herein.

effective upon signature by the Mayor or upon becoming effective 1 2 without the Mayor's signature. Form Approved: 3 4 5 /s/ James R. McCain, Jr. Office of General Counsel 6 7 Legislation prepared by: James R. McCain, Jr. 8 GC-#1334736-v1-01_13_20_BT_20_029_Parks_FDEP_FreedomPark_CA.docx