

1 Introduced by the Council President at the request of the Mayor &
2 Co-Sponsored by Council Members Newby, DeFoor, Carlucci, Diamond,
3 Morgan, Boylan, Pittman, Becton, Gaffney, Ferraro, White and
4 Dennis:

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7 **RESOLUTION 2019-893-A**

8 A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY
9 OF JACKSONVILLE APPROVING THE ADAPTATION
10 ACTION AREA WORKGROUP REPORT AND
11 RECOMMENDATIONS, DATED NOVEMBER 2019;
12 PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

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14 **WHEREAS**, the City of Jacksonville implemented the State of
15 Florida 2015 Peril of Flood legislation (Section 163.3178(2)(f)2,
16 *Florida Statute*) by designating an area within the City that
17 experiences coastal flooding due to extreme high tides and storm
18 surge and is vulnerable to the impacts of sea level rise as the
19 Adaptation Action Area (AAA) in the Conservation/Coastal
20 Management Element of the City's Comprehensive Plan; and

21 **WHEREAS**, in 2017 the Planning and Development Department
22 proposed and the City Council adopted the AAA into the
23 Conservation/Coastal Management Element of the 2030 Comprehensive
24 Plan and committed to establishing a Workgroup to review existing
25 programs and policies to determine the need and appropriate timing
26 for additional and financially feasible responses to the effects of
27 coastal flooding within the AAA; and

28 **WHEREAS**, the Planning and Development Department established
29 the Workgroup and from February through August 2019 the Workgroup
30 held public meetings and learned about and evaluated existing
31 policies and regulations related to infrastructure, land

1 development, utilities, and emergency management and formulated a
2 series of recommendations; and

3 **WHEREAS**, in November 2019 the Adaptation Action Area Workgroup
4 issued its Report and Recommendations; now, therefore

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

6 **Section 1. Approval of Report and Recommendations.** The
7 City Council hereby recognizes and approves the Adaptation Action
8 Area Workgroup Report and Recommendations dated November 2019, **On**
9 **File** with the City Council Legislative Services Division.

10 **Section 2. Effective Date.** This Resolution shall become
11 effective upon the signature by the Mayor or upon becoming
12 effective without the Mayor's signature.

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14 Form Approved:

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16 /s/ Paige H. Johnston

17 Office of General Counsel

18 Legislation Prepared by: Kealey A. West

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