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Introduced by Council Member Cumber and amended by the Neighborhoods, Community Services, Public Health & Safety Committee:

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ORDINANCE 2020-66-E

AN ORDINANCE APPROVING, AND AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR, OR HIS DESIGNEE, AND CORPORATION SECRETARY TO EXECUTE AND DELIVER A COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION RIGHT-OF-WAY MAINTENANCE AGREEMENT BY AND AMONG THE CITY OF JACKSONVILLE, SAN MARCO PRESERVATION SOCIETY, INC., AND SAN MARCO MERCHANTS ASSOCIATION, INC.; PROVIDING FOR FORM COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION RIGHT-OF-WAY MAINTENANCE AGREEMENT; PROVIDING FOR ADDITIONAL AUTHORIZATIONS; PROVIDING FOR OVERSIGHT BY THE MOWING AND LANDSCAPE MAINTENANCE DIVISION, PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT; PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, City is the owner of certain public right-of-ways in San Marco, which includes medians, sidewalks, roundabouts and other public right-of-way areas (collectively, the "City ROW Property");

whereas, San Marco Preservation Society, Inc.'s ("SMPS") mission is to preserve and renew San Marco as an area of historical and architectural significance for the benefit of local residents and businesses and for the education and enjoyment of visitors and the general public;

WHEREAS, San Marco Merchants Association, Inc.'s ("SMMA") mission is to unify the business groups located in San Marco with a collective voice to help promote San Marco as a destination to

locals and out of town visitors;

WHEREAS, SMPS and SMMA shall be collectively referred to herein as the "San Marco Community Associations";

WHEREAS, the San Marco Community Associations desire to donate their in-kind services to the City and assume, at their sole expense, certain landscaping and maintenance responsibilities regarding the City ROW Property for the benefit of the City and San Marco residents, businesses, and visitors;

WHEREAS, the Council believes it is in the best interest of the City to partner and collaborate with SMPS and SMMA, as well as other similar community associations and organizations, and enter into a community association right-of-way maintenance agreement; now therefore

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

Section 1. Recitals. The Recitals above are true and correct and incorporated herein by this reference.

Section 2. Approval and authorization. There is hereby approved, and the Mayor, or his designee, and Corporation Secretary are hereby authorized to execute and deliver for and on behalf of the City the Community Association Right-of-Way Maintenance Agreement among the City, SMPS, and SMMA in substantially the form attached hereto as Exhibit 1.

Section 3. Approval of Form Agreement. There is hereby approved for further use by the City the Community Association Right-of-Way Maintenance Agreement Form in substantially the form attached hereto as Exhibit 2.

Section 4. Additional authorizations. The Mayor, or his designee, and the Corporation Secretary are hereby authorized to execute and deliver additional Community Association Right-of-Way Maintenance Agreements in the form approved in Section 3 above with other community organizations or associations, including homeowner

associations, neighborhood associations and other similar organizations (collectively, the "Community Associations"), as determined by the Mayor, or his designee, to be in the best interest of the City without further Council approval. Such agreements shall be at no cost to the City. If a proposed landscaping and maintenance project pursuant to a Community Association Right-of-Way Maintenance Agreement involves advanced construction activity (e.g., heavy earth moving, concrete renovations, etc.) as determined by the Chief of Mowing and Landscape Maintenance Division, the City Risk Manager shall review such agreement to determine the appropriate and necessary indemnification and insurance requirements.

Section 5. Oversight. The Mowing and Landscape Maintenance Division of the Public Works Department shall oversee the Community Association Right-of-Way Maintenance Agreements entered into between the City and Community Associations pursuant to this ordinance.

Section 6. Effective Date. This ordinance 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

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