Introduced by the Council President pursuant to Chapter 380:

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ORDINANCE 2020-184-E

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE GRANTING OF A NON-RESIDENTIAL SOLID WASTE COLLECTION AND TRANSPORTATION FRANCHISE TO FREEDOM WASTE MANAGEMENT LLC PURSUANT TO CHAPTER 380 (SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT), PART 6 (NONRESIDENTIAL WASTE SOLID COLLECTION AND TRANSPORTATION FRANCHISES), ORDINANCE CODE; PROVIDING FOR OVERSIGHT BY THE SOLID WASTE DIVISION OF THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS; PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, Freedom Waste Management LLC has submitted an application for a non-residential solid waste collection and transportation franchise pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 380, Ordinance Code; and

WHEREAS, the application was reviewed by the Solid Waste Division of the Department of Public Works; and

WHEREAS, the Department of Public Works recommends granting a franchise for non-residential solid waste collection and transportation to Freedom Waste Management LLC; and

WHEREAS, granting a non-residential solid waste collection and transportation franchise to Freedom Waste Management LLC will further the purposes for which the franchise program was adopted, including, but not limited to, safeguarding public health, safety, and welfare in the collection and transportation of solid waste through Jacksonville; now therefore

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

Franchise agreement authorized. In accordance Section 1. with the provisions of Chapter 380 (Solid Waste Management), Part 6 (Nonresidential Solid Waste Collection and Transportation Franchises), Ordinance Code, the Director of the Public Works Department is hereby authorized to issue a franchise agreement to Freedom Waste Management LLC to collect and transport nonresidential solid waste in the City of Jacksonville. Freedom Waste Management LLC has paid the application fee of \$1,500.00. A copy of the Non-residential Solid Waste Collection and Transportation Franchise Agreement is attached hereto as Exhibit and incorporated herein by this reference. A copy of the letter from the Department of Public Works forwarding Freedom Waste Management LLC's application to the Council for action is attached hereto as Exhibit 2 and incorporated herein by this reference.

Section 2. Oversight. The Solid Waste Division of the Department of Public Works shall oversee the project described herein.

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

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25 /s/ James R. McCain, Jr.

Office of General Counsel

Legislation prepared by: James R. McCain, Jr.

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