

1 Introduced by the Council President at the request of the Mayor:  
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4 **ORDINANCE 2020-493**

5 AN ORDINANCE APPROPRIATING AN \$80,000.00 GRANT  
6 RECEIVED FROM THE CITIES FOR FINANCIAL  
7 EMPOWERMENT FUND ("CFE") TO ALLOW THE KIDS  
8 HOPE ALLIANCE ("KHA") TO FUND FINANCIAL  
9 NAVIGATION SERVICES FOR FAMILIES IN  
10 JACKSONVILLE IMPACTED BY THE COVID-19  
11 PANDEMIC, AS INITIATED BY B.T. 20-102;  
12 AUTHORIZING KHA TO PROVIDE DIRECT FUNDING IN  
13 THE AMOUNT OF \$80,000.00 TO THE UNITED WAY OF  
14 NORTHEAST FLORIDA, INC. (the "UNITED WAY") TO  
15 PROVIDE FINANCIAL NAVIGATION SERVICES TO  
16 FAMILIES IN JACKSONVILLE IMPACTED BY THE  
17 COVID-19 PANDEMIC; INVOKING THE EXCEPTION TO  
18 SECTION 126.107(G) (EXEMPTIONS), PART 1  
19 (GENERAL REGULATIONS), CHAPTER 126  
20 (PROCUREMENT CODE), *ORDINANCE CODE*, REGARDING  
21 THE SERVICES TO BE PROVIDED BY THE UNITED WAY;  
22 AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR, OR HIS DESIGNEE, AND  
23 CORPORATION SECRETARY, AND/OR THE CHIEF  
24 EXECUTIVE OFFICER OF THE KIDS HOPE ALLIANCE TO  
25 EXECUTE AND DELIVER A SERVICES CONTRACT WITH  
26 THE UNITED WAY TO PROVIDE THE SERVICES  
27 SPECIFIED IN THIS ORDINANCE; WAIVING THE  
28 PROVISIONS OF CHAPTER 77 (KIDS HOPE ALLIANCE),  
29 *ORDINANCE CODE*, TO THE EXTENT THAT THE  
30 SERVICES SPECIFIED IN THIS ORDINANCE MAY NOT  
31 BE CONSIDERED CHILDREN'S SERVICES AS

1 CONTEMPLATED BY CHAPTER 77; WAIVING THE  
2 REQUIREMENTS OF CHAPTER 77 (KIDS HOPE  
3 ALLIANCE), SECTION 77.111(a) (PROVIDER  
4 CONTRACTS), ORDINANCE CODE, TO EXEMPT THE  
5 SERVICES TO BE PROVIDED BY THE UNITED WAY FROM  
6 COMPETITIVE PROCUREMENT; PROVIDING AN  
7 EFFECTIVE DATE.

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

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

14 (B.T. 20-102 attached hereto as **Exhibit 1** and incorporated herein  
15 by this reference)

16 (a) Appropriated from:

17 See B.T. 20-102 \$80,000.00

18 (b) Appropriated to:

19 See B.T. 20-102 \$80,000.00

20 (c) Explanation of appropriation:

21 The funding above is a grant received from CFE to allow  
22 KHA to fund financial navigation services for families in  
23 Jacksonville impacted by the COVID-19 pandemic through a  
24 direct contract with the United Way. These services will  
25 be marketed to families of children participating in  
26 children's services programs funded by KHA.

27 **Section 2. Purpose.** The purpose of the appropriation in  
28 this ordinance is to allow KHA to fund financial navigation  
29 services for families in Jacksonville impacted by the COVID-19  
30 pandemic through a direct contract with the United Way. The funds  
31 will be used to provide financial information and referrals to

1 families impacted by the COVID-19 pandemic and economic fallout.

2           **Section 3. Invoking the exception to Section**  
3 **126.107(g) (Exemptions), Part 1 (General Regulations), Chapter 126**  
4 **(Procurement Code), Ordinance Code.** KHA is hereby authorized to  
5 directly procure services from the United Way for financial  
6 navigation services for families in Jacksonville impacted by the  
7 COVID-19 pandemic in the amount of \$80,000.00. Pursuant to Section  
8 126.107(g) (Exemptions), Part 1 (General Regulations), Chapter 126  
9 (Procurement Code), *Ordinance Code*, such services are exempted from  
10 competitive solicitation because the services to be provided by the  
11 United Way are being appropriated and approved in this authorizing  
12 legislation.

13           **Section 4. Approval and authorization to execute.** The  
14 Mayor, or his designee, the Corporation Secretary, and/or the Chief  
15 Executive Officer ("CEO") of KHA are hereby authorized to execute  
16 and deliver a contract with the United Way for the services  
17 specified in this ordinance.

18           **Section 5. Waiver of the provisions of Chapter 77 (Kids**  
19 **Hope Alliance), Ordinance Code.** The City hereby waives the  
20 requirements of Chapter 77 (Kids Hope Alliance), *Ordinance Code*,  
21 with respect to the services funded and authorized under this  
22 ordinance to the extent that such services may not be considered  
23 children's services as contemplated by Chapter 77.

24           **Section 6. Waiving the requirements of Chapter 77 (Kids**  
25 **Hope Alliance), Section 77.111(a) (Provider Contracts), Ordinance**  
26 **Code.** The City hereby waives the requirements of Chapter 77 (Kids  
27 Hope Alliance), Section 77.111(a) (Provider Contracts), *Ordinance*  
28 *Code*, with respect to the contract approved and authorized under  
29 Section 4 of this ordinance. Section 77.111(a) requires contracts  
30 for children's services to be competitively procured by KHA via an  
31 evaluated bid process. This waiver is needed in order to allow KHA

1 to meet grant requirements.

2 **Section 7. Effective Date.** This ordinance shall become  
3 effective upon signature by the Mayor or upon becoming effective  
4 without the Mayor's signature.

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6 Form Approved:

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8  /s/ John C. Sawyer, Jr.

9 Office of General Counsel

10 Legislation prepared by: Julia B. Davis

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