

1 Introduced by the Council President at the request of the Mayor and
2 amended by the Neighborhoods, Community Services, Public Health and
3 Safety Committee:

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6 **ORDINANCE 2020-493-E**

7 AN ORDINANCE APPROPRIATING AN \$80,000.00 GRANT
8 RECEIVED FROM THE CITIES FOR FINANCIAL
9 EMPOWERMENT FUND ("CFE") TO ALLOW THE KIDS
10 HOPE ALLIANCE ("KHA") TO FUND FINANCIAL
11 NAVIGATION SERVICES FOR FAMILIES IN
12 JACKSONVILLE IMPACTED BY THE COVID-19
13 PANDEMIC, AS INITIATED BY REVISED B.T. 20-102;
14 AUTHORIZING KHA TO PROVIDE DIRECT FUNDING IN
15 THE AMOUNT OF \$80,000.00 TO THE UNITED WAY OF
16 NORTHEAST FLORIDA, INC. (the "UNITED WAY") TO
17 PROVIDE FINANCIAL NAVIGATION SERVICES TO
18 FAMILIES IN JACKSONVILLE IMPACTED BY THE
19 COVID-19 PANDEMIC; INVOKING THE EXCEPTION TO
20 SECTION 126.107(G) (EXEMPTIONS), PART 1
21 (GENERAL REGULATIONS), CHAPTER 126
22 (PROCUREMENT CODE), *ORDINANCE CODE*, REGARDING
23 THE SERVICES TO BE PROVIDED BY THE UNITED WAY;
24 AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR, OR HIS DESIGNEE, AND
25 CORPORATION SECRETARY, AND/OR THE CHIEF
26 EXECUTIVE OFFICER OF THE KIDS HOPE ALLIANCE TO
27 EXECUTE AND DELIVER A SERVICES CONTRACT WITH
28 THE UNITED WAY TO PROVIDE THE SERVICES
29 SPECIFIED IN THIS ORDINANCE; WAIVING THE
30 PROVISIONS OF CHAPTER 77 (KIDS HOPE ALLIANCE),

ORDINANCE CODE, TO THE EXTENT THAT THE SERVICES SPECIFIED IN THIS ORDINANCE MAY NOT BE CONSIDERED CHILDREN'S SERVICES AS CONTEMPLATED BY CHAPTER 77; WAIVING THE REQUIREMENTS OF CHAPTER 77 (KIDS HOPE ALLIANCE), SECTION 77.111(a) (PROVIDER CONTRACTS), ORDINANCE CODE, TO EXEMPT THE SERVICES TO BE PROVIDED BY THE UNITED WAY FROM COMPETITIVE PROCUREMENT; 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):

(Revised B.T. 20-102 attached hereto as **Revised Exhibit 1**, labeled as "Revised Exhibit 1, Revised B.T. 20-102, August 31, 2020 - NCSPHS" and incorporated herein by this reference)

(a) Appropriated from:

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

(b) Appropriated to:

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

(c) Explanation of appropriation:

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

Section 2. Purpose. The purpose of the appropriation in

1 this ordinance is to allow KHA to fund financial navigation
2 services for families in Jacksonville impacted by the COVID-19
3 pandemic through a direct contract with the United Way. The funds
4 will be used to provide financial information and referrals to
5 families impacted by the COVID-19 pandemic and economic fallout.
6 The grant term will run from August 1, 2020 through July 31, 2021.
7 A copy of the grant award letter is attached hereto as **Exhibit 2**.

8 **Section 3. Invoking the exception to Section**
9 **126.107(g) (Exemptions), Part 1 (General Regulations), Chapter 126**
10 **(Procurement Code), Ordinance Code.** KHA is hereby authorized to
11 directly procure services from the United Way for financial
12 navigation services for families in Jacksonville impacted by the
13 COVID-19 pandemic in the amount of \$80,000.00. Pursuant to Section
14 126.107(g) (Exemptions), Part 1 (General Regulations), Chapter 126
15 (Procurement Code), *Ordinance Code*, such services are exempted from
16 competitive solicitation because the services to be provided by the
17 United Way are being appropriated and approved in this authorizing
18 legislation.

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

24 **Section 5. Waiver of the provisions of Chapter 77 (Kids**
25 **Hope Alliance), Ordinance Code.** The City hereby waives the
26 requirements of Chapter 77 (Kids Hope Alliance), *Ordinance Code*,
27 with respect to the services funded and authorized under this
28 ordinance to the extent that such services may not be considered
29 children's services as contemplated by Chapter 77.

30 **Section 6. Waiving the requirements of Chapter 77 (Kids**
31 **Hope Alliance), Section 77.111(a) (Provider Contracts), Ordinance**

1 **Code.** The City hereby waives the requirements of Chapter 77 (Kids
2 Hope Alliance), Section 77.111(a) (Provider Contracts), *Ordinance*
3 *Code*, with respect to the contract approved and authorized under
4 Section 4 of this ordinance. Section 77.111(a) requires contracts
5 for children's services to be competitively procured by KHA via an
6 evaluated bid process. This waiver is needed in order to allow KHA
7 to meet grant requirements.

8 **Section 7. Effective Date.** This ordinance shall become
9 effective upon signature by the Mayor or upon becoming effective
10 without the Mayor's signature.

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12 Form Approved:

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14 /s/ Paige H. Johnston

15 Office of General Counsel

16 Legislation prepared by: Julia B. Davis

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