

1 Introduced by the Council President at the request of the Mayor and  
2 amended by the Neighborhoods, Community Services, Public Health &  
3 Safety Committee:  
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6 **ORDINANCE 2020-735-E**

7 AN ORDINANCE APPROPRIATING \$3,865,827.00 IN  
8 COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT BLOCK GRANT (CDBG)  
9 FUNDING FROM THE U.S. DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING  
10 AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT AUTHORIZED BY THE  
11 CORONAVIRUS AID, RELIEF, AND ECONOMIC SECURITY  
12 (CARES) ACT TO BE USED TO PREVENT, PREPARE  
13 FOR, AND RESPOND TO THE CORONAVIRUS PANDEMIC  
14 (COVID-19) BY PROVIDING AID AND ASSISTANCE TO  
15 ELIGIBLE LOW- AND MODERATE- INCOME INDIVIDUALS  
16 AND FAMILIES, OR THOSE WHO LIVE IN AREAS  
17 DESIGNATED AS LOW- AND MODERATE- INCOME, TO  
18 MITIGATE THE IMPACTS OF COVID-19, AS INITIATED  
19 BY REVISED B.T. 21-023; INVOKING THE EXCEPTION  
20 IN SECTION 126.107(G), ORDINANCE CODE, TO  
21 ALLOW DIRECT CONTRACTS WITH CHANGING  
22 HOMELESSNESS, INC. AND EDWARD WATERS COLLEGE;  
23 PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.  
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25 **BE IT ORDAINED** by the Council of the City of Jacksonville:

26 **Section 1. Appropriation.** For the 2020-2021 fiscal year,  
27 within the City's budget, there are hereby appropriated the  
28 indicated sum(s) from the account(s) listed in subsection (a) to  
29 the account(s) listed in subsection (b):

30 (Revised B.T. 21-023 attached hereto as **Revised Exhibit 1**, labeled

1 as "Revised Exhibit 1, Revised B.T. 21-023, January 4, 2021 -  
2 NCSPHS" and incorporated herein by this reference)

3 (a) Appropriated from:

4 See Revised B.T. 21-023 \$3,865,827.00

5 (b) Appropriated to:

6 See Revised B.T. 21-023 \$3,865,827.00

7 (c) Explanation of Appropriation:

8 The funding above is an appropriation of Community  
9 Development Block Grant funds in the amount of  
10 \$3,865,827.00 from the U.S. Department of Housing and  
11 Urban Development (HUD) authorized by the Coronavirus  
12 Aid, Relief, and Economic Security (CARES) Act (CDBG-CV  
13 funds).

14 **Section 2. Purpose.** The purpose of the appropriation in  
15 Section 1 is to provide aid and assistance to prevent, prepare for  
16 and respond to COVID-19 by mitigating its impact on eligible low-  
17 and moderate- income individuals and families, or those who live in  
18 areas designated as low- and moderate- income. CDBG-CV funds are  
19 intended for short-term use (up to six months) by eligible  
20 recipients for mortgage and rental payment assistance, homeless  
21 service provision, public service grants, economic development  
22 projects, and public facility improvements that meet a HUD-defined  
23 national objective. These funds may also be used to cover or  
24 reimburse allowable costs incurred by a locality before the award  
25 of funding, including allowable costs incurred prior to the signing  
26 of the CARES Act. In addition, up to twenty percent (20%) of CDBG-  
27 CV funds may be used for administrative costs.

28 **Section 3. Invoking the exception to Section 126.107(g),**  
29 **Ordinance Code.** The City is hereby authorized to procure the use of  
30 the professional services of Changing Homelessness, Inc. and Edward  
31 Waters College, to provide services for Community Development Block

1 Grant Coronavirus Assistance (CDBG-CV). Pursuant to Section  
2 126.107(g) (Exemptions), Part 1 (General Regulations), Chapter 126  
3 (Procurement Code), *Ordinance Code*, such procurement is exempted  
4 from competitive solicitation because the supplies or services are  
5 to be provided by those specifically prescribed within authorizing  
6 legislation that appropriates the same. With the exception of the  
7 foregoing, all other provisions of Chapter 126, *Ordinance Code*,  
8 shall remain in full force and effect.

9 **Section 4. Effective Date.** This ordinance shall become  
10 effective upon signature by the Mayor or upon becoming effective  
11 without the Mayor's signature.

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13 Form Approved:

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15 /s/ Paige H. Johnston

16 Office of General Counsel

17 Legislation prepared by: Mary E. Staffopoulos

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