

1 Introduced by Council Member Becton:
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4 **ORDINANCE 2021-146**

5 AN ORDINANCE APPROVING AND AUTHORIZING THE
6 MAYOR, OR HIS DESIGNEE, THE SHERIFF OF DUVAL
7 COUNTY, AND THE CORPORATION SECRETARY TO ENTER
8 INTO A TRAFFIC CONTROL AGREEMENT WITH SOUTHERN
9 OAKS ASSOCIATION, INC., PURSUANT TO SECTION
10 316.006, *FLORIDA STATUTES*; PROVIDING
11 AUTHORIZATION FOR JSO TO ENFORCE SOUTHERN OAKS
12 NEIGHBORHOOD'S 15 MPH SPEED LIMIT; PROVIDING AN
13 EFFECTIVE DATE.
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15 **WHEREAS**, Southern Oaks Association, Inc. has requested the
16 Jacksonville Sheriff's Office to perform traffic monitoring on
17 private roads within the Southern Oaks community located near Philips
18 Highway; and

19 **WHEREAS**, the Board of Directors of Southern Oaks Association,
20 Inc., on January 23, 2021, voted to allow the Jacksonville Sheriff's
21 Office to enter Southern Oaks Association, Inc.'s property to perform
22 such traffic controls and approved entering into a contract
23 documenting same; and

24 **WHEREAS**, a copy of the minutes of the January 23, 2021 Southern
25 Oaks Association, Inc. meeting approving same are attached hereto as
26 **Exhibit 1**; now therefore

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

28 **Section 1. Approval and Authorization.** There is hereby
29 approved and the Mayor, or his designee, the Sheriff of Duval County,
30 and Corporation Secretary are hereby authorized to execute a Traffic
31 Control Agreement with Southern Oaks Association, Inc., in

1 substantially the form attached hereto as **Exhibit 2**, pursuant to
2 Section 316.006, *Florida Statutes*, for municipal traffic control
3 jurisdiction by the Jacksonville Sheriff's Office over the limited
4 access roads located within the boundaries of the Southern Oaks
5 community.

6 **Section 2. Providing Authorization for JSO to Enforce**
7 **Southern Oak's Neighborhood Speed Limit of 15 MPH.** Pursuant to
8 Section 804.402, *Ordinance Code*, the City may vary and post speed
9 limits throughout the City to promote the efficient flow of traffic
10 and the safety of motorists and pedestrians upon public streets and
11 highways. The internal roads of the Southern Oaks community are
12 private, and the speed limit has been posted at a maximum of 15 miles
13 per hour. The City Council hereby authorizes the Jacksonville
14 Sheriff's Office to enforce the posted speed limit of 15 miles per
15 hour on the private roads within the Southern Oaks community.

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

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20 Form Approved:

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22 /s/ Paige H. Johnston

23 Office of General Counsel

24 Legislation Prepared By: Paige H. Johnston

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