Introduced by Council Member Pittman:

RESOLUTION 2021-467

A RESOLUTION HONORING AND COMMEMORATING THE LIFE AND ACCOMPLISHMENTS OF GEORGE F. CARTER, III; PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, George Frank Carter, III, a native of Albany, Georgia, moved to Jacksonville as a child, attended Duval County Public Schools, and graduated from New Stanton High School; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Carter earned his bachelor's degree in political science and business administration with a minor in African-American studies from Florida A&M University, where he was a member of the Theta Phi chapter of Omega Psi Phi Fraternity, Inc.; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Carter was the founder and owner of George F. Carter Insurance Agency for over 42 years, which merged with Associates Consortium, giving him over 48 years of dedicated service in the insurance industry; and

WHEREAS, George Carter had a varied business career, and later in his professional life he was a realtor, an Officer/Director of the National African American Business League, and the first African-American stockbroker in Jacksonville; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Carter was married to the love of his life, Veronica M. Harris, and had two beloved daughters and four grandchildren at the time of his passing; now therefore

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

Section 1. The Council hereby honors and commemorates the life and accomplishments of George Frank Carter, III, and extends to his family and many friends and business associates the City's sincere condolences on his passing. His life was a shining example

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of service and dedication, and he will be greatly missed by those who treasured him.

Section 2. Effective Date. This Resolution shall become effective upon signature by the Mayor or upon becoming effective without the Mayor's signature.

Form Approved:

__/s/ Margaret M. Sidman

Office of General Counsel

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