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ORDINANCE 2021-514

AN ORDINANCE APPROPRIATING \$100,000 FROM THE GENERAL FUND/ GENERAL SERVICES DISTRICT TO A DESIGNATED SPECIAL COUNCIL CONTINGENCY ACCOUNT FOR A GRANT TO CLARA WHITE MISSION, INC. FOR STRUCTURAL IMPROVEMENTS TO ASSIST TTS TRANSITIONAL HOUSING AND DROP-IN SERVICES FOR HOMELESS VETERANS; APPROVING, AND AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR, OR HIS DESIGNEE, AND CORPORATION SECRETARY TO EXECUTE AND DELIVER, AN AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE CITY OF JACKSONVILLE AND CLARA WHITE MISSION, INC.; INVOKING THE EXCEPTION IN SECTION 126.107(G), ORDINANCE CODE, TO ALLOW DIRECT CONTRACT WITH CLARA WHITE MISSION, INC. PROVIDE FUNDING FOR ITS STRUCTURAL IMPROVEMENTS TO ASSIST ITS TRANSITIONAL HOUSING AND DROP-IN SERVICES FOR HOMELESS VETERANS; PROVIDING FOR OVERSIGHT BY THE OFFICE OF GRANTS AND CONTRACT COMPLIANCE; PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

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

Section 1. Appropriation. For the 2021-2022 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):

(The account information is attached hereto as **Exhibit 1**, and incorporated herein by this reference)

(a) Appropriated from:

See attached Exhibit 1

\$100,000

(b) Appropriated to:

See attached Exhibit 1

\$100,000

(c) Explanation of Appropriation - The funding above is being appropriated from the General Fund/ General Services District to a Designated Special Contingency Account for Clara White Mission to provide funding for capital improvements needed to assist it in its Transitional Housing and Drop-In Services for Homeless Veterans Program.

Section 2. Purpose. The purpose of the appropriation in Section 1 is to provide funding to Clara White Mission, Inc. for capital improvements needed to the men's residence and drop-in center facility at 613 West Ashley Street (Clara White Mission) and will include structural improvements of roof replacement, plumbing upgrades and the replacement of a security gate protecting outdoor residential spaces, as more fully described in Exhibit 2 attached hereto.

Section 3. Agreement approved and execution authorized. There is hereby approved, and the Mayor, or his designee, and Corporation Secretary are hereby authorized to execute and deliver, the Funding Agreement between the City of Jacksonville and Clara White Mission, Inc., in a not to exceed amount of \$100,000 for the 2021-2022 fiscal year to be disbursed on the basis of charges for materials and improvements related to the capital improvements needed, subject to the terms, scope and conditions more fully described in Exhibit 2 attached hereto (the "Agreement").

Section 4. Invoking the exception to Section 126.107(g), Ordinance Code. The City is hereby authorized to procure the use of the professional services of Clara White Mission, Inc., to provide funding for capital improvements to assist its program for the Drop-In Center, located at 613 West Ashley Street (Clara White Mission).

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

Section 5. Oversight. The Mayor is requested to appoint the Office of Grants and Contract Compliance to oversee the project in Section 2 above and to ensure compliance with all other appropriate laws.

Section 6. Effective Date. This Ordinance shall become effective upon signature by the Mayor or upon becoming effective without the Mayor's signature.

16 Form Approved:

/s/ Margaret M. Sidman

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