

1 Introduced by the Council President at the request of the Mayor and  
2 amended by the Finance Committee:

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5 **ORDINANCE 2021-506-E**

6 AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR, OR HIS  
7 DESIGNEE, AND CORPORATION SECRETARY TO (1)  
8 EXECUTE AND DELIVER, FOR AND ON BEHALF OF THE  
9 CITY, (A) AN AGREEMENT WITH SHANDS  
10 JACKSONVILLE MEDICAL CENTER, INC., AND (B) A  
11 LETTER OF AGREEMENT WITH THE STATE OF FLORIDA  
12 THROUGH ITS AGENCY FOR HEALTH CARE  
13 ADMINISTRATION, BOTH CONCERNING PAYMENT AND  
14 DISTRIBUTION OF THE CITY'S INDIGENT HEALTH CARE  
15 FUNDS IN THE AMOUNT OF \$35,000,000 FOR FISCAL  
16 YEAR 2021-2022, AND (2) TAKE SUCH FURTHER ACTION  
17 AS MAY BE NECESSARY OR APPROPRIATE TO EFFECTUATE  
18 THE PURPOSE OF THE ORDINANCE; PROVIDING AN  
19 EFFECTIVE DATE.

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

22 **Section 1. Authorization.** The Mayor, or his designee, and  
23 Corporation Secretary are hereby authorized to: (1) execute and  
24 deliver (a) an agreement between the City of Jacksonville and Shands  
25 Jacksonville Medical Center, Inc. ("Shands"), in substantially the  
26 same form as is attached hereto as **Revised Exhibit 1**, labeled as  
27 "Revised Exhibit 1, Rev Shands Agmt, September 21, 2021 - Finance"  
28 and incorporated herein by this reference, and (b) letters of  
29 Agreement between the City of Jacksonville and the State of Florida  
30 Agency for Health Care Administration, in substantially the same

1 forms as are attached hereto as **Revised Exhibit 2**, labeled as "Revised  
2 Exhibit 2, Rev LIP Agmt, September 21, 2021 - Finance" and **Revised**  
3 **Exhibit 3**, labeled as "Revised Exhibit 3, Rev DSH Agmt, September 21,  
4 2021 - Finance" and incorporated herein by this reference, both of  
5 which concern payment and distribution of the City's indigent health  
6 care funds in the amount of \$35,000,000 for fiscal year 2021-2022  
7 and, (2) take such further action as may be necessary or appropriate  
8 to effectuate the purpose of this ordinance. No agreements between  
9 the City and the State of Florida, Agency for Health Care  
10 Administration, will be executed and no funding disbursed by the City  
11 to the State until the City confirms adequate participation in the  
12 IGT program by other counties and government entities in the State.

13 **Section 2. Purpose.** The purpose of this Ordinance is to  
14 provide for the distribution of the City's contribution to indigent  
15 health care funding between Shands and the State of Florida as part  
16 of the State's Medicaid Hospital Program.

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

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21 Form Approved:

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23           /s/ Paige H. Johnston          

24 Office of General Counsel

25 Legislation prepared by: Margaret M. Sidman

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