

RESOLUTION 2026-01-07

**A RESOLUTION OF THE DOWNTOWN INVESTMENT AUTHORITY IN
RECOGNITION AND APPRECIATION OF MS. WANDA JAMES, MBA, FOR HER
DEDICATION AND SERVICE IN FURTHERANCE OF THE DOWNTOWN
INVESTMENT AUTHORITY, DOWNTOWN JACKSONVILLE, AND THE CITY OF
JACKSONVILLE AT LARGE; PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.**

WHEREAS, Ms. James began her career with the City of Jacksonville in 1999 as an accountant; and

WHEREAS, between 1999 and 2013 Ms. James worked in various departments throughout the City, including Technology Services Department as well as the Parks Recreation and Community Services Department; and

WHEREAS, during her 1999-2013 tenure, Ms. James advanced from Accountant to Accountant Supervisor; and

WHEREAS, in 2017, Ms. James returned to the City of Jacksonville as Finance Manager for Public Libraries, and subsequently accepted a position with the Downtown Investment Authority as a Financial Analyst; and

WHEREAS, during her tenure with the Downtown Investment Authority Ms. James played a critical role in guiding the transition from the FAMIS accounting system to 1CLOUD system, working tirelessly with the City's Accounting and Budget Departments throughout and following the transition,

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Downtown Investment Authority:

Section 1. The Downtown Investment Authority hereby expresses its sincere appreciation for and recognition of the contributions of Ms. Wanda James for her years of dedicated service to the Downtown Investment Authority and the City of Jacksonville.

Section 2. This Resolution 2026-01-07 shall become effective on the date it is signed by the Chair of the DIA Board.

WITNESS:

DOWNTOWN INVESTMENT AUTHORITY



Patrick Kreschowski, Chair



1-21-20

Date