## PETITION

## UNDERGROUND POWER AND COMMUNICATIONS PROGRAM AREA

## ORTEGA POINT NORTH NEIGHBORHOOD

The undersigned Petitioners, respectfully request the City Council of the City of Jacksonville ("the City") to establish an Underground Power and Communications Neighborhood Assessment Program (the "NAP") as defined herein in accordance with the Underground Power and Communications Neighborhood Assessment Program pursuant to Ordinance 2007-558-E (the "Ordinance"), and codified in Part 3 of Section 714, Ordinance Code, and as more particularly set forth, shown, proposed and agreed hereafter:

1. NAME FOR THE PROPOSED NEIGHBORHOOD ASSESSMENT PROGRAM ("NAP"):

Ortega Point North
2. NEIGHBORHOOD REPRESENTATIVE:
(Please provide the name of the Petitioner who will be the primary point of contact for the NAP)

Gina Donahoo
John W. Donahoo, III
Polly Stein
JEA Project Outreach may also be contacted for additional information at projectoutreach@jea.com or 665-7500.
3. MAP OF BOUNDARIES:

See map Exhibit 1
Parcels lying within Blocks 1 through 4, Blocks 6 through 10, 13 and 26 and within Portions of Blocks 5, 11, 12, 14, 19, 20, 24, 25, 27, 28 and 31, Ortega, Plat Book 3, Page 40, of the Public Records of Duval County, Florida. Said parcels lying along parts of Ortega Boulevard, McGirts Boulevard, Oak Point Avenue, Bettes Lane, Eldorado Avenue, Holly Avenue, Baltic Avenue, Bettes Circle, Grand Avenue and Ionic Avenue as shown on Map Exhibit 1.
4. PROPOSED UNDERGROUND POWER AND COMMUNICATIONS PROJECT IMPROVEMENTS:
(Please describe the improvements to be made)
Conversion of overhead electric, telephone and cable television lines to underground utilities located within portions of the rights of way on the project map attached (Exhibit 1).

## 5. CERTIFIED ESTIMATE COST OF IMPROVEMENTS:

Based on the Certified Estimate by JEA:

| JEA Estimate | $\$ 1,123,717$ |
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| AT\&T Estimate | 234,000 |
| Comcast Estimate | 186,546 |
| Total estimate | $\$ 1,544,263$ |
| Less JEA parcel contribution | $-12,555$ |
| Revised total estimate | $\$ 1,531,708$ |

6. LIST OF PARCELS IN NAP:
(Please provide a spreadsheet identifying all of parcels included in the NAP by their respective real estate folio number (RE \#) and street address and identify those parcels that are owned by Petitioners with an asterisk or separate column)

See Exhibit 2 attached
7. NAP PARCELS:

122 parcels in the NAP

92 Petitioners' parcels in the NAP
Of the 122 parcels, 8 are owned by tax-exempt entities that are agreeing by petition to participate in the NAP project and be billed through a special assessment. Additionally, JEA has a lift station within the project footprint and will contribute a pro-rata share for its facilities outside the special assessment.

## 8. ESTIMATED PER-PARCEL TOTAL \& ANNUAL ASSESSMENT:

TOTAL: \$1,531,708 / 122 parcels $\$ 12,554.98$ per parcel
Estimated per parcel Annual Assessment w/o fees \$1,004.88
Annual Assessment with property appraiser \& tax collector fees \& early payment discount adjustment (7\%) \$1,075.22

For 20 year term
9. METHODOLOGY USED TO ESTIMATE PER PARCEL ASSESSMENT:

The cost of the main portion of the project will be divided equally between the property owners.

Owners will have the option to finance parcel specific costs for conversion of utility service from the right of way to the residential structure.
10. ASSENT TO NAP:

The Petitioners comprise of $75.4 \%$ of total benefited properties within the boundaries of the Proposed NAP. Ordinance requires at least three-fourths (75\%) of the total number of benefited properties.

## 11. PETITIONERS' AGREEMENTS I ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS:

Each undersigned Petitioner agrees that:

1) Assuming this Petition is determined to be complete and the Certified Estimate and the City's methodology does not increase the annual assessment by more than 25\% of the estimated annual per-parcel assessment, no further assent or consent of any Petitioner or any citizen is needed in order for the City to establish a NAP as contemplated by the Ordinance.
2) The Certified Estimate includes the cost estimate that could be assessed for each property. The Certified Estimate is the overall costs to convert the overhead lines within the public right of way, which may also include the conversion of any 3 phase customer owned equipment to single phase equipment based on cost analyses. Costs for converting individual electric services from the point of service or right of way line to dwelling or other structures is not included.
3) The Certified Estimate will assume that all required easements will be granted at no cost. In the event easements are required to be purchased, the neighborhood must elect to either approve the costs or abandon the project.
4) The Certified Estimate will be reviewed by Public Works for evaluation of impacts to the City's rights-of way and Council Auditor for comment on completeness.
5) The City, JEA, AT\&T, Comcast, any other communications provider and its agents shall not be responsible for any harm or damage to any property as result of the project's construction once project is completed and normal restoration has taken place. Petitioner agrees that he or she will execute a hold harmless and release further acknowledging this point as may be required.
6) The City may record evidence or notice of this Petition and/or its special assessment lien in the Official Records disclosing, at a minimum, the total amount and terms of the lien. Such evidence or notice shall be recorded in a form sufficient to provide notice to future parcel owners.
7) Petitioners will provide notice of this Petition and the processes, benefits, and burdens contemplated hereunder to any person who may be contemplating the acquisition of some interest within the project boundary in the event the City fails to record for whatever reason some notice of the special assessment lien.
8) Petitioners understand and acknowledge that in the event that JEA discovers unforeseen or unexpected conditions and results in an increase in the project cost more than $25 \%$ over the Certified Estimate, then $75 \%$ of the NAP must agree to increase costs. If the NAP withdraws its support or fails to agree to an increase cost, all parcel owners shall be assessed the actual prorated project costs expended. Alternatively, if the project is under budget, the NAP will be assessed a pro rata share of the inclusive actual costs expended.

## 12. PETITIONERS' CERTIFICATIONS:

1) Each undersigned Petitioner acknowledges receiving an unsigned copy of this Petition and has read and understands fully the statements, terms, conditions of such documents and/or has had sufficient time and opportunity to seek professional, legal and/or other assistance regarding same before signing this preliminary petition.
2) Each undersigned Petitioner owns a parcel of real property within the NAP as of the time this Petition is executed by Petitioner.
3) Each undersigned Petitioner has full authority and right to execute this Petition, and, in the case of homestead properties or properties owned by other than natural persons, this Petition has been executed by all those persons as would be required to grant fee simple title to the property.

## 13. CONFORMED COPIES

1) The City may attach multiple executed originals of this Page 5 to Pages 1 through 4 of this Petition for recording or other purposes.

WHEREFORE, the undersigned Petitioners request that the City establish a NAP as hereinabove contemplated as authorized and as provided by the Ordinance.

AGREED AND DATED this $\qquad$ day of $\qquad$ 2019.


Printed name of Petitioner

Street Address

Printed name of Additional Petitioner (if required)

Real Estate Parcel Identification

PETITION EXHIBIT 2 NEIGHBORHOOD ASSESSMENT PROGRAM PARCEL INFORMATION - ORTEGA POINT NORTH
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