# Staff Report on Proposed 2013L Series' Text Amendment to the Future Land Use Element of the 2030 Comprehensive Plan

### **ORDINANCE 2014-134**

As indicated in EXHIBIT 1 for Ordinance 2014-134, a text amendment is being proposed to the Future Land Use Element of the 2030 Comprehensive Plan to amend Map L-4, 100 Year Flood Hazard Area, Flood Zones Map. The flood zones are designated by the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) to define the various flooding characteristics of different lands based on a 100-year storm. All lands are given a flood zone designation. This update to Map L-4 recognizes the most recent FEMA update to the flood zones which became effective June 3, 2013 and which were adopted by the City pursuant to Ordinance 2013-310-E, amending Chapter 652, City of Jacksonville Ordinance Code. Therefore, the Planning and Development Department recommends APPROVAL of the text amendment in the attached EXHIBIT 1 and submitted as Ordinance 2014-134.

#### ORDINANCE 2014-134

AN ORDINANCE APPROVING PROPOSED 2013L SERIES TEXT AMENDMENT TO THE FUTURE LAND USE ELEMENT OF THE 2030 COMPREHENSIVE PLAN OF THE CITY OF JACKSONVILLE UPDATING FUTURE LAND USE ELEMENT MAP L-4, 100 YEAR FLOOD HAZARD AREA, FLOOD ZONES MAP IN ACCORDANCE WITH FEMA MAPS, FOR TRANSMITTAL TO THE STATE OF FLORIDA'S VARIOUS AGENCIES FOR REVIEW; PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, the Planning and Development Department has initiated certain revisions and modifications to the text of the 2030 Comprehensive Plan in accordance with the procedures and requirements set forth in Chapter 650, Part 4, Ordinance Code to facilitate the appropriate and timely implementation of the plan, and has provided the necessary supporting data and analysis to support and justify the amendments determined to be required and accordingly has proposed certain revisions and modifications which are more particularly set forth in Exhibit 1, attached hereto, and incorporated herein by reference; and

WHEREAS, the Jacksonville Planning Commission, as the Local Planning Agency, held a public hearing on this proposed amendment to the 2030 Comprehensive Plan, with due public notice having been provided, and reviewed and considered all comments received during the public hearing, and made a recommendation to the City Council; and

WHEREAS, the Land Use and Zoning (LUZ) Committee held a public hearing on this proposed amendment pursuant to Chapter 650, Part 4, Ordinance Code, having considered all written and oral comments received during the public hearing, has made its recommendation to the

Council; and

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WHEREAS, the City Council held a public hearing on this proposed amendment with public notice having been provided, pursuant to Section 163.3184(3), Florida Statutes, and Chapter 650, Part 4, Ordinance Code, and having considered all written and oral comments received during the public hearing, the recommendations of the Planning and Development Department, the Planning Commission and the LUZ Committee, desires to transmit this proposed amendment through the State's expedited state review process to the Florida Department of Economic Opportunity, as the State Land Planning Agency, the Northeast Florida Regional Council, the Florida Department of Transportation, the St. Johns River Water Management District, the Florida Department of Environmental Protection, the Florida Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission, the Department of State's Bureau of Historic Preservation, the Florida Department of Education, and the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Affairs; now, therefore

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

Section 1. Approval of Amendment for Transmittal Purposes. The Council hereby approves the proposed 2013L Series' text amendment to the Future Land Use Element of the 2030 Comprehensive Plan as set forth in Exhibit 1, attached hereto, for transmittal to Florida's various required State Agencies for review.

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

Form Approved:

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## **Ordinance 2014-134**

# 2013L Series Text Amendment City of Jacksonville 2030 Comprehensive Plan

**Future Land Use Element (FLUE)** 

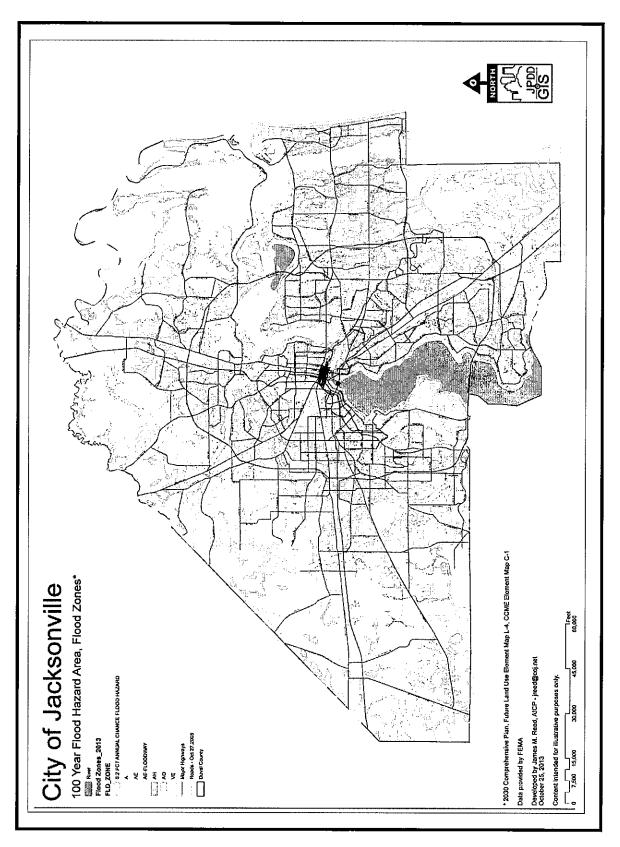


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