CITY COUNCIL RESOLUTION NO. 2022-116

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LAKE CITY, FLORIDA DECLARING RICKY JERNIGAN TO HAVE BEEN ELECTED CITY COUNCIL MEMBER FOR DISTRICT FOURTEEN IN THE AUGUST 23, 2022, NONPARTISAN ELECTION.

WHEREAS, pursuant to the provisions and requirements of the City Charter and all applicable general laws of the State of Florida, Befaithful Coker and Ricky Jernigan properly qualified for the seat of Council Member of the City of Lake City in the August 23, 2022, primary election; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Article V, Section 512 of the Charter of the City of Lake City, Florida, the City Council received the results of the primary election from the Columbia County Canvassing Board and finds that Befaithful Coker received 91 votes and Ricky Jernigan received 264 votes; and

WHEREAS, Section 510 of the Charter of the City of Lake City, Florida requires that all City elections be called by resolution of the City Council; and

WHEREAS, Ricky Jernigan received a majority of the votes in the nonpartisan election and is entitled to be declared the duly elected City Council Member for District Fourteen.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LAKE CITY, FLORIDA, AS FOLLOWS:

- **Section 1**. The above recitals are all true and accurate and are incorporated herein and made a part of this resolution.
 - **Section 2**. Pursuant to the provisions of the City Charter, City

ordinances and other applicable provisions of the general election laws of the State of Florida, Ricky Jernigan is hereby declared the duly elected City Council Member of the City of Lake City for a term of four (4) years, and pursuant to the provisions of Section 509(c), City Charter, shall assume office at the first regularly scheduled City Council meeting following the November, 2022 State General Election, upon taking and subscribing an oath or affirmation required by Section 513, City Charter.

PASSED AND ADOPTED at a meeting of the City Council this ___day of September 2022.

CITY OF LAKE CITY, FLORIDA

	By:
	Stephen M. Witt, Mayor
ATTEST:	APPROVED AS TO FORM AND
By:	LEGALITY:
Audrey E. Sikes, City Clerk	By:
	Frederick L. Koberlein, Jr.,
	City Attorney