

## LEGISLATIVE FACT SHEET

DATE: 11/17/23

BT or RC No: BT 24-031  
 (Administration & City Council Bills)

SPONSOR: Court Administration  
 (Department/Division/Agency/Council Member)

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PURPOSE. White Paper (Explain Why this legislation is necessary? Provide, Who What, When, Where, How and the Impact ) Council Research will complete this form for Council introduced legislation and the Administration is responsible for all other legislation. (Minimum of 350 words - Maximum of 1 page.)

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APPROPRIATION: Total Amount Appropriated: \$899,660.00 as follows:

List the source name and provide Object and Subobject Numbers for each category listed below:

(Name of Fund as it will appear in title of legislation)

Name of Federal Funding Source(s):	From: Department of Justice	Amount: <u>\$899,660.00</u>
	To: Court Administration, Problem Solving Courts	Amount: <u>\$899,660.00</u>
Name of State Funding Source(s):	From:	Amount: _____
	To:	Amount: _____
Name of City of Jacksonville Funding Source(s):	From:	Amount: _____
	To:	Amount: _____
Name of In-Kind Contribution(s):	From:	Amount: _____
	To:	Amount: _____
Name & Number of Bond Account(s):	From:	Amount: _____
	To:	Amount: _____

**PLAIN LANGUAGE OF APPROPRIATION / FINANCIAL IMPACT / OTHER:**

Explain: Where are the funds coming from, going to, how will the funds be used? Does the funding require a match? Is the funding for a specific time frame? Will there be an ongoing maintenance? ... and staffing obligation? Per Chapters 122 & 106 regarding funding of anticipated post-construction operation costs.

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**ACTION ITEMS: Purpose / Check List. If "Yes" please provide detail by attaching justification, and code provisions for each.**

ACTION ITEMS:	Yes	No	
Emergency?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Justification of Emergency: If yes, explanation must include detailed nature of emergency. <div style="border: 1px solid black; height: 20px; width: 100%;"></div>
Federal or State Mandate?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Explanation: If yes, explanation must include detailed nature of mandate Including Statute or Provision. <div style="border: 1px solid black; height: 20px; width: 100%;"></div>
Fiscal Year Carryover?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Note: If yes, note must include explanation of all-year subfund carryover language <div style="border: 1px solid black; height: 20px; width: 100%;"></div>
CIP Amendment?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Attachment: If yes, attach appropriate CIP form(s). Include justification for mid-year amendment.
Contract / Agreement Approval?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Attachment & Explanation: If yes, attach the Contract / Agreement and name of Department (and contact name) that will provide oversight. Indicate if negotiations are on-going and with whom. Has OGC reviewed / drafted? <div style="border: 1px solid black; height: 20px; width: 100%;"></div>
Related RC/BT?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Attachment: If yes, attach appropriate RC/BT form(s).
Waiver of Code?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Code Reference: If yes, identify code section(s) in box below and provide detailed explanation (including impacts) within white paper. <div style="border: 1px solid black; height: 20px; width: 100%;"></div>
Code Exception?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Code Reference: If yes, identify code in box below and provide detailed explanation (including impacts) within white paper. <div style="border: 1px solid black; height: 20px; width: 100%;"></div>
Related Enacted Ordinances?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Code Reference: If yes, identify related code section(s) and ordinance reference number in the box below and provide detailed explanation and any changes necessary within white paper. <div style="border: 1px solid black; height: 20px; width: 100%;"></div>

**ACTION ITEMS CONTINUED: Purpose / Check List.** If "Yes" please provide detail by attaching justification, and code provisions for each.

**ACTION ITEMS:**

	Yes	No	
Continuation of Grant?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<p>Explanation: How will the funds be used? Does the funding require a match? Is the funding for a specific time frame and/or multi-year? If multi-year, note year of grant? Are there long-term implications for the General Fund?</p> <div style="border: 1px solid black; height: 40px; width: 100%;"></div>
Surplus Property Certification?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<p>Attachment: If yes, attach appropriate form(s).</p>
Reporting Requirements?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<p>Explanation: List agencies (including City Council / Auditor) to receive reports and frequency of reports, including when reports are due. Provide Department (include contact name and telephone number) responsible for generating reports.</p> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px;"> <p>Problem Solving Courts are required to report to DOJ a bi-annual progress report and an annual financial report as well as a final performance progress reports and financial reports after the end of the project period. Teri Hamlyn, is the Authorized official, thamlyn@coj.net, 904-255-1040.</p> </div>

**BUSINESS IMPACT ESTIMATE**

Pursuant to Section 166.041(4), F.S., the City is required to prepare a Business Impact Estimate for ordinances that are **NOT** exempt from this requirement.

A list of ordinance exemptions are provided below. Please check all exemption boxes that apply to this ordinance. If an exemption is applicable, a Business Impact Estimate IS NOT required.

- The proposed ordinance is required for compliance with Federal or State law or regulation;
- The proposed ordinance relates to the issuance or refinancing of debt;
- The proposed ordinance relates to the adoption of budgets or budget amendments, including revenue sources necessary to fund the budget;
- The proposed ordinance is required to implement a contract or an agreement, including, but not limited to, any Federal, State, local, or private grant or other financial assistance accepted by the municipal government;
- The proposed ordinance is an emergency ordinance;
- The ordinance relates to procurement;
- The proposed ordinance is enacted to implement any of the following:
  - a. Part II of Chapter 163, Florida Statutes, relating to growth policy, county and municipal planning, and land development regulation, including zoning, development orders, development agreements and development permits;
  - b. Sections 190.005 and 190.046, Florida Statutes, regarding community development districts;
  - c. Section 553.73, Florida Statutes, relating to the Florida Building Code;
  - d. Section 633.202, Florida Statutes, relating to the Florida Fire Prevention Code.

If none of the boxes above are checked, then a Business Impact Estimate **IS REQUIRED** to be prepared by the using agency/office/department and submitted in the MBRC filing packet along with the memorandum request, legislative fact sheet, etc. A Business Impact Estimate form can be found at:  
<https://www.coj.net/departments/finance/budget/mayor-s-budget-review-committee>

Division Chief: Eve Janso  
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Prepared By: Calton  
(signature)

Date: 11/17/2023  
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**ADMINISTRATIVE TRANSMITTAL**

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**COUNCIL MEMBER / INDEPENDENT AGENCY / CONSTITUTIONAL OFFICER TRANSMITTAL**

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Legislation from Independent Agencies requires a resolution from the Independent Agency Board approving the legislation.

Independent Agency Action Item:      Yes      No  
Boards Action / Resolution?            Attachment: If yes, attach appropriate documentation. If no, when is board action scheduled?

**FACT SHEET IS REQUIRED BEFORE LEGISLATION IS INTRODUCED**