

# CITY COUNCIL RESEARCH DIVISION

## LEGISLATIVE SUMMARY



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**Bill Type and Number:** 2020-526

**Introducer/Sponsor(s):** Council President at the request of the Mayor

**Date of Introduction:** August 25, 2020

**Committee(s) of Reference:** NCSPHS, TEU, F

**Date of Analysis:** August 26, 2020

**Type of Action:** Appropriation, agreement authorization and designation of oversight agency

**Bill Summary:** This bill is an appropriation of \$60,000 in reimbursement grant funds from the State of Florida Department of Environmental Protection for a project titled AAA Public Engagement Workshops for Continued Resiliency Planning, which will carryover to subsequent fiscal years. The bill authorizes the grant agreement between the State of Florida Department of Environmental Protection and the City of Jacksonville. The Planning and Development Department will provide oversight.

**Background Information:** The purpose of this legislation is to provide funds for AAA Public Engagement Workshops for Continued Resiliency Planning, intended to engage the public through several workshops at which sea level rise and flooding scenarios will be presented along with proposed policies or recommendations to address these issues. The grant funds will be received on a reimbursement basis for all eligible project costs upon the completion, submittal, and approval of each deliverable identified in the Grant Work Plan, and the funds will expire on June 30, 2021.

**Policy Impact Area:** Resiliency Planning Workshops

**Fiscal Impact:** Appropriation of \$60,000 as initiated by B.T. 20-109 in reimbursement grant funds from the State of Florida Department of Environmental Protection

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