

**CITY COUNCIL RESEARCH DIVISION  
LEGISLATIVE SUMMARY**



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**Bill Type and Number:** Resolution 2024-659

**Introducer/Sponsor(s):** Council President White

**Date of Introduction:** August 13, 2024

**Committee(s) of Reference:** R

**Date of Analysis:** August 13, 2024

**Type of Action:** Appointment confirmation and emergency passage upon introduction

**Bill Summary:** This bill confirms the appointment of Council Member Jimmy Peluso as a liaison to the Homelessness Initiatives Commission, for a term concurrent with the term of the Council President for the 2024-2025 Council Year.

**Background Information:** Chapter 89, *Ordinance Code* established the Homelessness Initiatives Commission as an advisory body of the City to assess the current unmet needs of Duval County's homeless and chronic unhoused populations and to make recommendations regarding programs, initiatives and services to be funded by the City's Homelessness Initiatives Special Revenue Fund.

Pursuant to Section 86.103 (b), *Ordinance Code*, the City Council President shall annually appoint a City Council Member to serve as a liaison to the Commission.

Emergency passage upon introduction of this legislation is requested to align the timeline for the appointment of the Council liaison with the appointments of the Commission members.

**Policy Impact Area:** Homelessness Initiatives Commission operations

**Fiscal Impact:** No direct cost to the City

**Analyst:** Hampsey