

**CITY COUNCIL RESEARCH DIVISION
LEGISLATIVE SUMMARY**



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Bill Type and Number: Resolution 2024-781

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

Date of Introduction: September 24, 2024

Committee(s) of Reference: R

Date of Analysis: September 24, 2024

Type of Action: Appointment confirmation

Bill Summary: This bill confirms the Mayor's appointment of Jovial Harper to the Art in Public Places Committee, as a lay person representing Planning District #4, replacing Cory Driscoll, for a partial term expiring December 31, 2024, followed by a first full term to expire on December 31, 2027.

Background Information: The Art in Public Places Committee is established pursuant to Chapter 118, *Ordinance Code*, and charged to create updates to the five-year plan known as the Art in Public Places Program Five Year Plan; develop budgets for public art administration, maintenance, conservation, and community education; develop an annual plan and budget for public art projects; develop and oversee policy implementation and administration of the public art program; and apply for and receiving state, federal and private funds related to public art on behalf of the City.

Section 118.613, *Ordinance Code*, provides that the eleven members of the committee are appointed by the Mayor, with six from the community at large, each residing within a different planning district whose interests, professions and community activities reflect the diversity of the Jacksonville arts community and of the community at large.

Ms. Harper is an artist, and she also serves as the Executive Assistant to the Mayor's Chief of Staff. She resides in Duval County in council district 12, planning district 4.

Policy Impact Area: Art in Public Places Committee operations

Fiscal Impact: No direct cost to the City

Analyst: Hampsey