

**CITY COUNCIL RESEARCH DIVISION  
LEGISLATIVE SUMMARY**



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**Bill Type and Number:** Resolution 2020-159

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

**Date of Introduction:** February 26, 2020

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

**Date of Analysis:** February 25, 2020

**Type of Action:** Appointment Confirmation

**Bill Summary:** This bill confirms the Mayor's appointment of Martha "Marty" Lanahan as a member of the Jacksonville Electric Authority (JEA) Board, replacing April Green, for a first full term to expire February 28, 2024.

**Background Information:** The JEA is established pursuant to Article 21, *Jacksonville Charter*, and authorized to own, manage and operate a utilities system within and without the City of Jacksonville. JEA is created for the express purposes of acquiring, constructing, operating, financing and otherwise have plenary authority with respect to electric, water, sewer, natural gas and such other utility systems as may be under its control now or in the future. Section 21.03(a), *Municipal Charter*, provides that the seven members of the JEA Board are to be city residents and electors appointed by the Mayor and confirmed by the Council.

Ms. Lanahan is currently the Market President for Iberiabank Corporation and her work covers the balance sheet and income statement responsibility for the Tampa Bay market. Ms. Lanahan has a Bachelor of Business Administration from the University for South Carolina. She currently resides in Duval County.

**Policy Impact Area:** JEA Board operations

**Fiscal Impact:** Anticipated to be minimal

**Analyst:** Distel