

**CITY COUNCIL RESEARCH DIVISION  
LEGISLATIVE SUMMARY**

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**Bill Type and Number:** 2019-624

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

**Date of Introduction:** August 27, 2019

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

**Date of Analysis:** August 28, 2019

**Type of Action:** *Ordinance Code* amendment

**Bill Summary:** This bill amends Chapter 111, Part 3, Section 111.305, *Ordinance Code* which refers to the Sheriff's Vehicle Maintenance Fund. Section 111.310, Part 3, Chapter 111, *Ordinance Code*, which refers to annual reporting requirements for seized property credited to the Special Law Enforcement Trust Fund, is also amended.

**Background Information:** The Jacksonville Sheriff's Office is requesting this legislation to reflect recent changes in the Florida Statutes regarding the Florida Contraband Forfeiture Act. All sums collected as a result of settlements made pursuant to cases prosecuted under the Florida Contraband Forfeiture Act will be credited to the Sheriff's Vehicle Maintenance Fund and shall be used for the acquisition and maintenance of vehicles forfeited to the Office of the Sheriff. An annual report from the Budget Division of the Jacksonville Sheriff's Office regarding the Florida Contraband Forfeiture Act must be submitted to FDLE and City Council by December 1st each year.

**Policy Impact Area:** Florida Contraband Forfeiture Act

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

**Analyst:** Hampsey