

1 Introduced by Council President White:  
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4 **RESOLUTION 2024-659**

5 A RESOLUTION CONFIRMING THE APPOINTMENT OF  
6 COUNCIL MEMBER JIMMY PELUSO, AS A LIAISON TO THE  
7 HOMELESSNESS INITIATIVES COMMISSION, PURSUANT  
8 TO SECTION 86.103(B), *ORDINANCE CODE*, FOR A TERM  
9 CONCURRENT WITH THE TERM OF THE COUNCIL  
10 PRESIDENT FOR THE 2024-2025 COUNCIL YEAR;  
11 REQUESTING EMERGENCY PASSAGE UPON INTRODUCTION;  
12 PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

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14 **WHEREAS**, addressing the needs of Duval County's homeless and  
15 chronically unhoused populations is an issue of significant concern  
16 and importance to the City and the Jacksonville community; and

17 **WHEREAS**, Ordinance 2024-111-E established the Homelessness  
18 Initiatives Commission (the "Commission") as an advisory body of the  
19 City to assess the current unmet needs of Duval County's homeless and  
20 chronic unhoused populations and to make recommendations regarding  
21 programs, initiatives and services to be funded by the City's  
22 Homelessness Initiatives Special Revenue Fund; and

23 **WHEREAS**, Section 86.103(b), *Ordinance Code* specifies that the  
24 Council President shall annually appoint a City Council Member to  
25 serve as a liaison to the Commission; now therefore

26 **BE IT RESOLVED** by the Council of the City of Jacksonville:

27 **Section 1. Appointment Confirmation.** The Council hereby  
28 confirms the Council President's appointment of Council Member Jimmy  
29 Peluso, as a liaison to the Homelessness Initiatives Commission, in  
30 accordance with Section 86.103(b), *Ordinance Code*, for a term  
31 concurrent with the term of the Council President for the 2024-2025

1 Council Year.

2           **Section 2.           Requesting Emergency Passage Upon Introduction**  
3 **pursuant to Council Rule 4.901 Emergency.** Emergency passage upon  
4 introduction of this legislation is requested. The nature of the  
5 emergency is to align the timeline for the appointment of the Council  
6 liaison with the appointments of the Commission members.

7           **Section 3.           Effective Date.** This Resolution shall become  
8 effective upon signature by the Mayor or upon becoming effective  
9 without the Mayor's signature.

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11 Form Approved:

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13           /s/ Carla A. Lopera          

14 Office of General Counsel

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