CITY COUNCIL RESEARCH DIVISION

LEGISLATIVE SUMMARY

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Bill Type and Number: Resolution 2023-626

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

Date of Introduction: September 12, 2023

Committee(s) of Reference: R

Date of Analysis: September 13, 2023

Type of Action: Appointment confirmation

Bill Summary: This bill confirms the Mayor's appointment of Nina Sickler as Director of Public Works.

Background Information: Section 32.102, *Ordinance Code* provides that the Director of Public Works shall be the head of the Department, appointed by the Mayor, subject to confirmation by the Council, and shall serve at the pleasure of the Mayor. The Director shall be registered by the State of Florida as a Professional Engineer and have at least five years of experience in industrial or municipal public works. The Director shall have responsibility for the management, operation and control of all public works undertaken by the Consolidated Government.

Ms. Sickler holds bachelor's and master's degrees in civil engineering from Georgia Institute of Technology, and she is a Registered Professional Engineer. She worked previously as the Senior VP of the River City Development Group, VP of Pond and Company, President of Landmark Engineering, and she served as a member of the JSEB Monitoring Committee. Ms. Sickler resides in Duval County in council district 1.

Policy Impact Area: Public Works Department operations

Fiscal Impact: The salary range for this position is \$151,056.18 - \$246,622.11 annually

Analyst: Hampsey

