CITY COUNCIL RESEARCH DIVISION LEGISLATIVE SUMMARY



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Bill Type and Number: Resolution 2025-846

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

Date of Introduction: November 12, 2025

Committee(s) of Reference: R

Date of Analysis: November 13, 2025

Type of Action: Appointment confirmation and prospective effective date

Bill Summary: This bill confirms the Sheriff's appointment of Alan Parker as Director of the Department of Police Services in the Office of the Sheriff. The appointment will become effective January 2, 2026.

Background Information: Section 37.106, *Ordinance Code* establishes a Department of Police Services, headed by a Director, to provide central records, identification services, communications, civil process, budgeting and the administrative functions of the Sheriff's Office. Section 37.102 specifies that department directors in the Sheriff's Office have a college degree or at least five years' training and experience, be appointed by the Sheriff and confirmed by the Council before the appointment becomes permanent.

Chief Parker holds a bachelor's degree from the University of South Florida. He has served with JSO since 2004 in various capacities, including patrol officer, Patrol Sergeant, Homeland Security Lieutenant, Assistant Chief of Information Systems Management, and is currently the Chief of Investigations.

Policy Impact Area: JSO operations

Fiscal Impact: The salary range for this position is \$171,715.32 - \$280,351.32 annually.

Analyst: Hampsey