

CITY COUNCIL RESEARCH DIVISION LEGISLATIVE SUMMARY



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Bill Type and Number: Resolution 2025-615

Introducer/Sponsor(s): Council President Carrico

Date of Introduction: August 12, 2025

Committee(s) of Reference: R

Date of Analysis: August 13, 2025

Type of Action: Appointment

Bill Summary: This bill appoints Donovan Bradley as a member of the Duval County Election Advisory Panel, replacing Daniel L. Henry, for a first full-term ending April 16, 2028.

Background Information: The Duval County Election Advisory Panel is established pursuant to Chapter 59, *Ordinance Code*, and charged to study and make recommendations regarding the quality of voter registration and education efforts and ways to enhance the voter's election-day experience, including poll worker training, polling locations, ballot styles, and fraud prevention; evaluate and recommend improvements on the election effectiveness, including number of overvotes, undervotes and spoiled ballots, voter complaints, and voter turnout; review and comment on ballot styles, instructions and absentee ballot appearance; and make an annual report to Council on progress.

Section 59.103, *Ordinance Code*, provides that the members of the Duval County Election Advisory Panel shall be Duval County registered voters, and that three of the nine members shall be designated by the Council President and confirmed by the City Council.

Mr. Bradley holds a bachelor's degree from UNF. He works as an opposition researcher for Restoration of America, and he worked previously for the Republican Party of Duval County and as an aide to State Representatives Cord Byrd and Dean Black. Mr. Bradley resides, and is registered to vote, in Duval County in council district 3.

Policy Impact Area: Duval County Election Advisory Panel operations

Fiscal Impact: No direct cost to the City

Analyst: Hampsey