

**CITY COUNCIL RESEARCH DIVISION
LEGISLATIVE SUMMARY**



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Bill Type and Number: Resolution 2020-327

Sponsor: Council President Wilson

Date of Introduction: June 9, 2020

Committee(s) of Reference: R

Date of Analysis: June 9, 2020

Type of Action: Reappointment

Bill Summary: This bill reappoints Steven J. Grossman to the Duval County Tourist Development Council (TDC), as a representative of the tourist industry, for a second term ending June 30, 2024.

Background Information: The TDC is established pursuant to Chapter 70, *Ordinance Code*, and Section 125.0104, *Florida Statutes*, and charged to recommend a method of coordination of existing tourist development efforts by both public and private agencies, organizations and business and of new or additional tourist development efforts; identify and recommend methods of eliminating unnecessary duplications in existing tourist development efforts; identify and develop new tourist development efforts; create, prepare and submit to the Council a tourist development plan; and review the expenditures of revenues from the Tourist Development Trust Fund and report any unauthorized expenditures to the Council and State Department of Revenue. Section 70.102(a), *Ordinance Code*, provides that three of the members of the Duval County Tourist Development Council shall be persons who are involved in the tourist industry and who have demonstrated an interest in tourist development, but are not associated with tourist accommodation.

Mr. Grossman received a master's degree in urban planning from Michigan State University. He was the Chief Executive Officer for the *Jacksonville Aviation Authority* from 2009-2018. Mr. Grossman also currently serves on the United Way of Northeast Florida Board of Directors. He resides within Council District #11.

Policy Impact Area: Duval County Tourist Development Council operations

Fiscal Impact: Anticipated to be minimal.

Analyst: Distel