

**CITY COUNCIL RESEARCH DIVISION**  
LEGISLATIVE SUMMARY

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**Bill Type and Number:** Resolution 2019-533

**Sponsor:** Council President at the request of the Mayor

**Date of Introduction:** July 23, 2019

**Committee(s) of Reference:** R

**Date of Analysis:** July 25, 2019

**Type of Action:** Appointment Confirmation

**Bill Summary:** This bill confirms the Mayor's appointment of James Register, Jr., as a member of the Civil Service Board, replacing Pamela G. Payne for a first three-year term ending June 30, 2022.

**Background Information:** The Civil Service Board is established pursuant to Article 17, *Jacksonville Charter*, and charged to periodically review the operation and effect of the personnel provisions of the charter, the classification plan, and the pay plan, and report their findings to the council and the mayor; hear and determine appeals initiated by employees who are charged with personnel violations; hear and determine complaints by employees and prospective employees concerning alleged violations of civil service rules or regulations with respect to hiring and promotion; hear and determine the grievance of persons covered by the civil service rules or the grievance of persons who may be entitled to be covered concerning any action taken which pertains to employment rights. Section 17.02, *Jacksonville Charter*, provides that the nine members of the Board shall be residents and qualified electors of the City of Jacksonville, and five of the members shall be appointed by the Mayor, subject to the confirmation by the City Council.

Mr. Register was an Agent at State Farm Insurance from 1996 to 2019. He graduated with a Bachelor of Science from Southern Illinois University. He resides in Council District #6.

**Policy Impact Area:** Civil Service Board operations

**Fiscal Impact:** Anticipated to be minimal

**Analyst:** Distel