

CITY COUNCIL RESEARCH DIVISION

LEGISLATIVE SUMMARY



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Bill Type and Number: Resolution 2024-185

Introducer/Sponsor(s): Council Member Clark-Murray

Date of Introduction: February 27, 2024

Committee(s) of Reference: R

Date of Analysis: February 27, 2024

Type of Action: Appointment

Bill Summary: This bill appoints Rochelle Gross to the Jacksonville – Duval County Council on Elder Affairs, as the Council District 9 representative, filling a seat formerly held by Jacquelyn J. Nash, for a first full-term expiring June 30, 2025.

Background Information: The Jacksonville-Duval County Council on Elder Affairs is established pursuant to Chapter 82, *Ordinance Code*, and charged to serve as an advocate for the older persons in the city, to the governmental agencies responsible for the various plans and programs designed to help older persons; assist in the implementation of plans and programs selected by regional organizations, as they relate to the city and its citizens; designate priorities among programs developed in the city by public, nonprofit and private providers concerning older persons.

Section 82.101, *Ordinance Code*, provides that the Council on Elder Affairs shall be composed of 19 members, fourteen of whom shall be appointed by the City Council (one nominee from each of the 14 District Council Members).

Ms. Gross holds a bachelor's degree from UNF. She is a retired Florida Department of Corrections Sergeant and currently operates a home-based tax preparation service. Ms. Gross resides in Duval County in council district 9.

Policy Impact Area: Jacksonville – Duval County Council on Elder Affairs operations

Fiscal Impact: No direct cost to the City

Analyst: Hampsey