CITY COUNCIL RESEARCH DIVISION LEGISLATIVE SUMMARY

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Bill Type and Number: Ordinance 2024-507

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

Date of Introduction: July 23, 2024

Committee(s) of Reference: F

Date of Analysis: July 26, 2024

Type of Action: Adoption of 2025-29 Information Technology System Development Program (ITECH) project

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Bill Summary: The bill adopts the 2025-29 Information Technology System Development Program (ITECH) as required by the Budget Code. The 5-year plan encompasses a total of \$56,699,690 in IT projects, with \$13,850,039 being programmed for FY24-25. Borrowing is projected to fund \$35,637,515 (63%) of the ITECH projects, with the remainder being done on a pay-as-you-go basis. The bill declares the City's intent to expend available funds on IT projects and then reimburse itself using future borrowing.

Background Information: The largest projects scheduled for funding in FY24-25 are \$7,250,000 for 1Cloud Phase 2 implementation, \$1,998,000 for cybersecurity infrastructure, \$1,235,095 for network equipment refresh, and \$1,200,000 for Sheriff's Office IT equipment refresh.

Notable changes to the ITECH from the current year's plan are the removal of a Jacksonville Human Rights Commission case management system (\$90,000), the removal of an Ed Ball Building radio tower and backup system project (\$1,4482,364 over 4 years), and removal of a radio security enhancements project (\$3,017,763) and the addition of new projects entitled JFRD personnel accountability software (\$817,077), Salesforce public sector platform implementation (\$2,609,923), radio tower antenna infrastructure replacement (\$2,745,749), and radios dispatch console refresh (\$6,288,020).

Policy Impact Area: Information technology improvements and funding

Fiscal Impact: The 5-year plan encompasses a total of \$56,699,690 in IT projects to be financed by borrowing (63%) and various pay-as-you-go sources (37%).

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