CITY COUNCIL RESEARCH DIVISION LEGISLATIVE SUMMARY



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Bill Type and Number: Resolution 2025-203

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

Date of Introduction: March 11, 2025

Committee(s) of Reference: R

Date of Analysis: March 12, 2025

Type of Action: Appointment confirmation

Bill Summary: This bill confirms the Mayor's appointment of Tricia Ridgway-Kapustka to the Renew Arlington Community Redevelopment Agency Advisory Board, replacing Cantrece Jones, as a Category Marketing, Public Relations, or Advertising Profession representative, for a first full term to expire on December 31, 2027.

Background Information: The Renew Arlington Community Redevelopment Agency Advisory Board was established by Ordinance 2015-738-E and charged to review and make recommendations to the Council on proposed changes to the CRA Plan or amendments thereto; all proposed road closures and rezoning of properties located within the CRA boundary; and plans and programs developed by the Office of Economic Development regarding the CRA Plan.

Section 53.102, *Ordinance Code*, provides that five of the nine members of the board are appointed by the Mayor and confirmed by the Council, in various categories, including a marketing, public relations or advertising profession representative.

Ms. Ridgway-Kapustka holds a bachelor's degree from the University of Florida. She serves as a principal, consultant for TLK Communications, and she is accredited in public relations and a certified public relations counselor by the Florida Public Relations Association. Ms. Ridgway-Kapustka resides in Duval County in council district 1.

Policy Impact Area: Renew Arlington Community Redevelopment Agency Advisory Board operations

Fiscal Impact: No direct cost to the City

Analyst: Hampsey