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LEGISLATIVE SUMMARY

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Bill Type and Number: Resolution 2026-156

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

Date of Introduction: February 24, 2026

Committee(s) of Reference: R

Date of Analysis: February 24, 2026

Type of Action: Reappointment confirmation

Bill Summary: This bill confirms the Supervisor of Elections' reappointment of Raymond S. Pringle, Jr. to the Duval County Election Advisory Panel, for a second full term ending April 16, 2029.

Background Information: The Duval County Election Advisory Panel is established pursuant to Chapter 59, *Ordinance Code*, and charged to study and make recommendations regarding the quality of voter registration and education efforts and ways to enhance the voter's election-day experience, including poll worker training, polling locations, ballot styles, and fraud prevention; evaluate and recommend improvements on the election effectiveness, including number of overvotes, undervotes and spoiled ballots, voter complaints, and voter turnout; review and comment on ballot styles, instructions and absentee ballot appearance; and make an annual report to Council on progress.

Section 59.103, *Ordinance Code*, provides that the members of the Duval County Election Advisory Panel shall be Duval County registered voters, and that three members designated by the Supervisor of Elections and confirmed by the City Council.

Mr. Pringle is an Army veteran, a member of the River Keepers of the Apalachicola River and the Estuarine Systems for Apalachee Bay. Mr. Pringle resides in Duval County in council district 8.

Attendance: Mr. Pringle attended 5 of 11 (45%) meetings in his first term.

Policy Impact Area: Duval County Election Advisory Panel operations

Fiscal Impact: No direct cost to the City

Analyst: Hampsey