

**CITY COUNCIL RESEARCH DIVISION
LEGISLATIVE SUMMARY**



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Bill Type and Number: Ordinance 2021-0845

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

Date of Introduction: November 23, 2021

Committee(s) of Reference: F, JWC, NCSPHS, TEU

Date of Analysis: November 23, 2021

Type of Action: Appropriation; designation of oversight agency

Bill Summary: This bill is an appropriation of \$15,000 in grant funding from the Florida Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission (the "FWC") for reimbursement to the City of the costs to remove one derelict vessel located in the City waterways. The Environmental Quality Division of the Neighborhoods Department will provide oversight.

Background Information: The purpose of this legislation is to provide funds to reimburse the City for the removal of one derelict vessel in public City waterways under the City's jurisdiction: up to \$15,000 for the removal of a 40-foot Shellcraft Commercial Trawler located at 9998 Old Lem Turner Road in the Trout River. The vessel will be disposed of in a landfill after it has been removed. The vessel removal/disposal will help to protect marine resources and water quality while also improving public welfare and boater safety.

Policy Impact Area: City waterways- derelict vessel removal

Fiscal Impact: Appropriation of \$15,000 as initiated by B.T. 22-022 in FWC grant funds, no match from the City

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