LEGISLATIVE FACT SHEET

BT or RC No: (Administration & City Council Bills)

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 PURPOSE: White Paper (Explain Why this legislation is necessary? Provide; Who, What, When, Where, How and the Impact.) Council

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Following the release of the 2020 United States decennial census data, the City Council engaged in the redistricting of council and school board districts as required by Sections 5.02 and 13.03 of the Charter of the City of Jacksonville and enacted Ordinance 2022-01-E on March 22, 2022. The Jacksonville Branch of the NAACP and thirteen other plaintiffs filed suit against the City of Jacksonville and the Duval County Supervisor of Elections in the Middle District of Florida in case number 3:22-cv-493-MMH-LLL alleging the City Council violated the Fourteenth Amendment when it redrew the district lines by improperly taking race into consideration.

The Plaintiffs also sought a preliminary injunction preventing the City and the Duval County Supervisor of Elections from using the district lines in Ordinance 2022-01-E in the March 2023 elections and beyond.

On October 12, 2022, the District Court for the Middle District of Florida granted Plaintiffs' Motion for Preliminary Injunction in case number 3:22-cv-493-MMH-LLL and enjoined the City and the Duval County Supervisor of Elections from conducting any elections using the districts enacted in Ordinance 2022-01-E. The Court further ordered the City to enact and file with the Court no later than November 8, 2022, an interim remedial redistricting plan for use in all City Council and School Board elections held pending final judgment in the case.

Given the short timeframe within which the City must enact a remedial redistricting plan to comply with the Court's Order, an expedited process has been developed, which is the subject matter of the legislation.

APPROPRIATION: Total Amount Appropriated

as follows:

List the source **name** and provide Object and Subobject Numbers for each category listed below:

(Name of Fund as it will appear in title of legislation)

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Name of State Funding Source(s):	From:	Amount:
	To:	Amount:
Name of City of Jacksonville Fundi	From:	Amount:
	To:	Amount:

Name of In-Kind Contribution(s):	From:	Amount:
	То:	Amount:
Name & Number of Bond Account(s):	From:	Amount:
	То:	Amount:

PLAIN LANGUAGE OF APPROPRIATION / FINANCIAL IMPACT / OTHER:

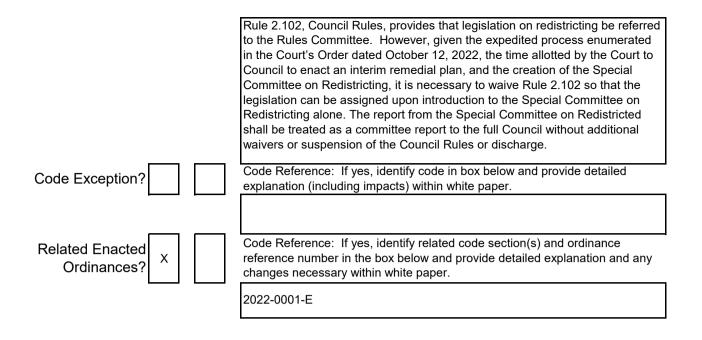
Explain: Where are the funds coming from, going to, how will the funds be used? Does the funding require a match? Is the funding for a specific time frame? Will there be an ongoing maintenance? ... and staffing obligation? Per Chapters 122 & 106 regarding funding of anticipated post-construction operation costs.

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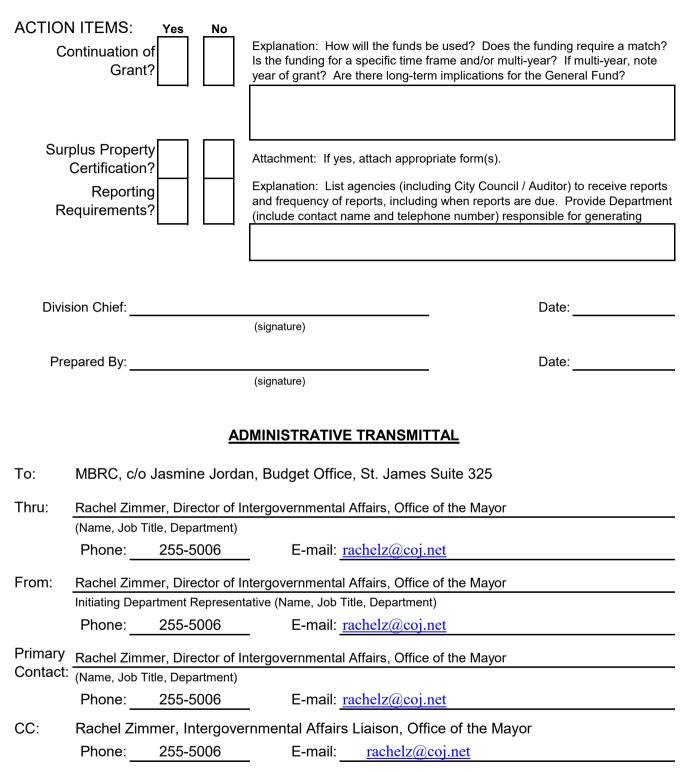
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ACTION ITEMS: Purpose / Check List. If "Yes" please provide detail by attaching justification, and code provisions for each.

ACTION ITEMS: Yes N Emergency? X	 Justification of Emergency: If yes, explanation must include detailed nature of emergency. The nature of the emergency is that the Court Order dated October 12, 2022, requires that Council complete the redistricting process to enact an interim remedial plan and submit the plan to the Court on or before November 8, 2022. Accordingly, the Council has created an expedited process, including the creation of a Special Committee and Redistricting to recommend an interim remedial plan and maps, and has noticed a Special Council meeting and public hearing on the interim remedial plan for November 4, 2022, all to comply with the Court Order.
Federal or State Mandate?	Explanation: If yes, explanation must include detailed nature of mandate including Statute or Provision.
Fiscal Year Carryover?	Note: If yes, note must include explanation of all-year subfund carryover language.
CIP Amendment? Contract / Agreement Approval?	Attachment: If yes, attach appropriate CIP form(s). Include justification for mid-year amendment. Attachment & Explanation: If yes, attach the Contract / Agreement and name of Department (and contact name) that will provide oversight. Indicate if negotiations are on-going and with whom. Has OGC reviewed / drafted?
Related RC/BT?	Attachment: If yes, attach appropriate RC/BT form(s). Code Reference: If yes, identify code section(s) in box below and provide detailed explanation (including impacts) within white paper.



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Legislatio	on from Independent Agencies re	equires a resolution from the Independent Agency Board

approving the legislation. Independent Agency Action Item: Yes No Boards Action / Resolution? X Attachment: If yes, attach appropriate documentation. If no, when is board action scheduled?

FACT SHEET IS REQUIRED BEFORE LEGISLATION IS INTRODUCED