

# CITY COUNCIL RESEARCH DIVISION

## LEGISLATIVE SUMMARY



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**Bill Type and Number:** Resolution 2022-847

**Introducer/Sponsor(s):** Council President Freeman

**Date of Introduction:** November 9, 2022

**Committee(s) of Reference:** R

**Date of Analysis:** November 7, 2022

**Type of Action:** Appointment

**Bill Summary:** This bill appoints Mike Zaffaroni as a member of the Jacksonville Small and Emerging Business “JSEB” Monitoring Committee, filling a seat formerly held by Mike Stovall, as a trade association representative, for a partial term expiring April 30, 2023, followed by a first full term expiring April 30, 2026.

**Background Information:** The JSEB Monitoring Committee is established pursuant to Section 126.606, *Ordinance Code*, and charged to review the status of the goals of the Jacksonville Small Emerging Businesses Program, along with a comparison of the achievements under the Program compared with the goals. Four of the members of the JSEB Monitoring Committee are appointed by the City Council, including a trade association representative.

Mr. Zaffaroni holds a Bachelor of Science in Hospitality Administration from Florida State University. Mr. Zaffaroni owns and operates Liberty Landscape Supply, a five location (three retail, one commercial installation, one farm) landscape supply, delivery and installation business. Mr. Zaffaroni is a member of the U.S. Chamber of Commerce Small Business Council, the University of Florida/IFAS Environment Horticulture Advisory Board, the Small Business Development Center Advisory Board, and he served as a Northeast Florida Builders Association Nassau Council Board Member from 2016-2020. He resides in Council District 5.

**Policy Impact Area:** JSEB Monitoring Committee

**Fiscal Impact:** No direct cost to the City

**Analyst:** Hampsey