

CITY COUNCIL RESEARCH DIVISION

LEGISLATIVE SUMMARY



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Bill Type and Number: Resolution 2022-883

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

Date of Introduction: November 22, 2022

Committee(s) of Reference: R

Date of Analysis: November 21, 2022

Type of Action: Appointment confirmation

Bill Summary: This bill confirms the Mayor's appointment of Larry Wilson, a resident of Duval County, to the Art in Public Places Committee, as an art professional, replacing Ana Kamiar, pursuant to Section 126.903 (Art in Public Places Committee), Part 9 (Art in Public Places), Chapter 126 (Procurement Code), *Ordinance Code*, for a first full term to expire on December 31, 2024.

Background Information: The Art in Public Places Committee is established pursuant to Chapter 126, *Ordinance Code*, and charged to choose art which is compatible with and which will enhance the architecture and general environment of the City; receive, review and act on the recommendations of the Art Selection Panels; seek to ensure that at least 15% of the artists selected for purchase or commission will be resident(s) in the Greater Jacksonville area (Duval, St. Johns, Nassau, Clay and Baker Counties); and also encourage the selection of regional artists e.g. Florida and the Southeastern United States.

Section 126.903, *Ordinance Code*, provides that the eleven members of the committee are appointed by the Mayor, with three of the members from the professions of architecture, interior design, landscape architecture, planning, art professional, or art historian.

Mr. Wilson earned his Bachelor of Design Degree in Interior Design from the College of Architecture, University of Florida and he is the managing partner of Designmind LLC. He is a practicing artist and has exhibited his works in national and local museums and galleries. Mr. Wilson is a Duval County resident and resides in Council District 5.

Policy Impact Area: Art in Public Places Committee operations

Fiscal Impact: No direct cost to the City

Analyst: Hampsey