

CITY COUNCIL RESEARCH DIVISION

LEGISLATIVE SUMMARY

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Bill Type and Number: Resolution 2022-918

Sponsor: Council President at request of the Sheriff

Date of Introduction: December 13, 2022

Committee(s) of Reference: R

Date of Analysis: December 15, 2022

Type of Action: Appointment

Bill Summary: This legislation confirms the Sheriff's appointment of Jennifer G. Short, as Chief of Patrol Support Division, in the Office of the Sheriff, pursuant to Section 37.105, Ordinance Code.

Background Information: Pursuant to Section 37.105, there is established a Department of Patrol and Enforcement to provide law enforcement, community relations and police services. The Director of Patrol and Enforcement shall be the head of the Department of Patrol and Enforcement. They shall have a college degree or at least five years' experience and commensurate training.

The Department of Patrol and Enforcement shall be organized into the following divisions, each of which shall be headed by a division chief:

- (1) Special Events Division.
- (2) Patrol Division.
- (3) Patrol Support Division.

The Sheriff shall specify the duties and responsibilities of each division and division chief.

This appointment and its confirmation shall be retroactive to November 21, 2022.

Ms. Short has a bachelor's degree from Liberty University. Ms. Short has worked for JSO since 1999 and most recently was in the role of Assistant Chief in the Property Crime and Investigative Support Section.

Policy Impact Area: JSO operations

Fiscal Impact: Salary range for this position is \$102,806.32 to \$167,846.98 annually.

Analyst: Distel