

# CITY COUNCIL RESEARCH DIVISION

## LEGISLATIVE SUMMARY



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**Bill Type and Number:** Resolution 2023-63

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

**Date of Introduction:** January 24, 2023

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

**Date of Analysis:** January 24, 2023

**Type of Action:** Appointment

**Bill Summary:** This bill appoints Chandler A. Cole, to the Building Codes Adjustment Board, replacing Tamara G. Baker, for a first full-term ending September 30, 2025.

**Background Information:** The Building Codes Adjustment Board is established pursuant to Chapter 56, *Ordinance Code*, and charged to study building codes and recommend to Council needed amendments thereto as may be found necessary or desirable; hear and decide building code enforcement appeals; and authorize building code variances where authorized by law. Section 56.101, *Ordinance Code*, provides that the nine members of the board are appointed by the Council.

Mr. Cole is a structural engineer for Baker Design Build and has experience in engineering design, inspections, field project management and construction in commercial, educational, municipal and residential projects. Mr. Cole holds a degree in civil engineering from Florida State University and he is a member of the American Society of Civil Engineers (ASCE) and the Florida Structural Engineering Association (FSEA). He resides in Duval County in Council District 13.

**Policy Impact Area:** Building Codes Adjustment Board operations

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

**Analyst:** Hampsey