

**CITY COUNCIL RESEARCH DIVISION
LEGISLATIVE SUMMARY**



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Bill Type and Number: Ordinance 2023-0386

Introducer/Sponsor(s): Council Member Salem

Date of Introduction: June 13, 2023

Committee(s) of Reference: Finance, NCSPHS

Date of Analysis: June 15, 2023

Type of Action: Appropriation of funds, requesting one-cycle emergency passage.

Bill Summary: The bill appropriates \$150,000 for the City Council to procure the professional services of an economic development consultant. A one-cycle emergency passage is being requested.

Background Information: The primary aim of this bill is to engage a consultant specializing in economic development to advise council, given the magnitude of the City's current and forthcoming economic development initiatives. The expertise of such a consultancy would ensure a smooth transition and consistent strategy implementation for both the returning and incoming council members.

Policy Impact Area: City Council staffing and services

Fiscal Impact: \$150,000 appropriated from the General Fund Operating Fund to the CCSS Council Staff Services and Other Professional Services account.

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