

**CITY COUNCIL RESEARCH DIVISION  
LEGISLATIVE SUMMARY**



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**Bill Type and Number:** Ordinance 2023-611

**Introducer/Sponsor(s):** Council Member Joe Carlucci

**Date of Introduction:** September 12, 2023

**Committee(s) of Reference:** NCSPHS, TEU

**Date of Analysis:** September 14, 2023

**Type of Action:** Naming of public building

**Bill Summary:** The bill names the City-owned building at 711 North Liberty Street as the “Joseph A. Carlucci Building” in recognition of the public service career of the former City Council member and State Senator.

**Background Information:** The building is located on the northeast corner of North Liberty Street and East Beaver Street just south of the Union Street junction with the Mathews Bridge Expressway. The building opened in 1926 as the Jacksonville Police Headquarters and was used as such until the current Police Memorial Building opened as the headquarters of the Sheriff’s Office in 1970. The Florida Department of Law Enforcement thereafter occupied the building for a number of years during which time it was named as the “Joseph A. Carlucci Building” by FDLE. The City has since re-occupied the building and it houses various JSO functions and departments, but the Joseph Carlucci name and plaque was removed at some point in the past.

Mr. Carlucci was elected to an at-large seat on the first consolidated government City Council in 1968 and served most of three terms, resigning in late 1978 to run for and win a seat in the Florida Senate which he held until his death in 1986.

**Policy Impact Area:** Public facility naming

**Fiscal Impact:** Minimal cost anticipated for new signage

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