

CITY COUNCIL RESEARCH DIVISION

LEGISLATIVE SUMMARY



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Bill Type and Number: Resolution 2023-777

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

Date of Introduction: October 24, 2023

Committee(s) of Reference: R

Date of Analysis: October 23, 2023

Type of Action: Appointment confirmation

Bill Summary: This bill confirms the Mayor's appointment of Monica Hernandez to the Cultural Council of Greater Jacksonville, replacing Kirsten Doolittle, for a partial term to expire September 30, 2025, followed by a first full term to expire on September 30, 2028.

(Note: the "partial" term may need to be amended in committee)

Background Information: The Cultural Council of Greater Jacksonville is designated pursuant to Chapter 118, Part 6, *Ordinance Code*, as the agent of the City for the purposes of determining and authorizing the allocation of a lump sum Cultural Service Grant and Capital Grant appropriation designated in the annual budget ordinance or in supplemental appropriation ordinances as being appropriated for eligible recipients.

Section 118.602, *Ordinance Code*, provides that the membership of the council shall include six members appointed by the Mayor and confirmed by the City Council.

Ms. Hernandez holds a bachelor's degree from UNF and an MBA from Nova Southeastern University. She is Vice President of Asset Services Control within Global Markets at Bank of America and the president of the First Coast Hispanic Chamber of Commerce. Ms. Hernandez resides in Duval County.

Policy Impact Area: Cultural Council of Greater Jacksonville operations

Fiscal Impact: No direct cost to the City

Analyst: Hampsey