

# CITY COUNCIL RESEARCH DIVISION

## LEGISLATIVE SUMMARY



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**Bill Type and Number:** Resolution 2023-845

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

**Date of Introduction:** November 28, 2023

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

**Date of Analysis:** November 28, 2023

**Type of Action:** Appointment confirmation

**Bill Summary:** This bill confirms the Mayor's appointment of Robin M. Lang to the Jacksonville-Duval County Council on Elder Affairs, replacing Andrew J. Westhoff, for a partial term to expire on June 30, 2024, followed by a first full term to expire on June 30, 2026.

**Background Information:** The Jacksonville-Duval County Council on Elder Affairs is established pursuant to Chapter 82, *Ordinance Code*, and charged to serve as an advocate for the older persons in the city, to the governmental agencies responsible for the various plans and programs designed to help older persons; assist in the implementation of plans and programs selected by regional organizations, as they relate to the city and its citizens; designate priorities among programs developed in the city by public, nonprofit and private providers concerning older persons.

Section 82.101, *Ordinance Code*, provides that there are 19 members, including five at large members of the Council on Elder Affairs appointed by the Mayor and confirmed by the City Council.

Robin Lang holds a bachelor's degree from JU and a master's degree from Strayer University. She retired in 2022 from the US Postal Service after 34 years of service, is a certified mediator, and serves as the trustee board secretary for New Bethel AME. Ms. Lang resides in Duval County in council district 2.

**Policy Impact Area:** Jacksonville-Duval County Council on Elder Affairs operations

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

**Analyst:** Hampsey