

**CITY COUNCIL RESEARCH DIVISION
LEGISLATIVE SUMMARY**



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Bill Type and Number: Resolution 2024-575

Introducer/Sponsor(s): Council President White

Date of Introduction: July 23, 2024

Committee(s) of Reference: R

Date of Analysis: July 23, 2024

Type of Action: Appointment

Bill Summary: This bill appoints Council Member Ron Salem, as a member of the Duval County Tourist Development Council, replacing Council Member Terrance Freeman, for a term ending June 30, 2025.

Background Information: The TDC is established in accordance with Chapter 70, *Ordinance Code*, and charged to recommend a method of coordination of existing tourist development efforts by both public and private agencies, organizations and business and of new or additional tourist development efforts; identify and recommend methods of eliminating unnecessary duplications in existing tourist development efforts; identify and develop new tourist development efforts; create, prepare and submit to the Council a tourist development plan; and review the expenditures of revenues from the Tourist Development Trust Fund and report any unauthorized expenditures to the Council and State Department of Revenue.

Section 70.102(a)(3), *Ordinance Code*, provides that one of the nine members of the TDC shall be a current City Council member, with preference given to a past City Council President or a City Council member with an interest and experience in tourism.

Policy Impact Area: Tourist Development Council operations

Fiscal Impact: No direct cost to the City

Analyst: Hampsey