

**CITY COUNCIL RESEARCH DIVISION  
LEGISLATIVE SUMMARY**



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**Bill Type and Number:** Ordinance 2024-765

**Introducer/Sponsor(s):** Council Member Peluso

**Date of Introduction:** September 24, 2024

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

**Date of Analysis:** September 24, 2024

**Type of Action:** *Ordinance Code* amendments

**Bill Summary:** This bill amends Section 86.103 and Section 86.104, *Ordinance Code*.

**Background Information:** The Homelessness Initiatives Commission was established pursuant to Chapter 86, *Ordinance Code* created through Ordinance 2024-111-E, approved by council on March 12, 2024. The initial members of the Commission were approved by council on August 13<sup>th</sup> and 27<sup>th</sup>, 2024. The purpose of this legislation is to adjust the deadlines for the creation of the 5-year strategic plan and annual plan, and the review of those plans. With this amendment, the 5-year strategic plan will be completed by December 31, 2025, the annual plan by September 1, 2025, and the review of both plans by March 1 each year beginning March 1, 2026. The bill also adds a Homelessness Initiatives Commission liaison position from the Jacksonville Fire and Rescue Department.

**Policy Impact Area:** Homelessness Initiatives Commission operations

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

**Analyst:** Hampsey