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LEGISLATIVE SUMMARY

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Bill Type and Number: 2020-260

Introducer/Sponsor(s): Council President Wilson

Date of Introduction: May 12, 2020

Committee(s) of Reference: NCSPHS, F

Date of Analysis: May 13, 2020

Type of Action: Ordinance extending reporting requirements regarding Public Service Grants

Bill Summary: This bill extends the period of time outlined in Section 118.201(f)(4) & (5), *Ordinance Code*, to extend the deadline for those public service grant recipients who have audit reports due in April or May 2020 for an additional ninety (90) days.

Background Information: Recipients of public service grants under Chapter 118, *Ordinance Code*, are required to comply with certain audit and reporting requirements. The COVID-19 pandemic has made it so these public service grant recipients have been unable to have their auditors provide these auditing services. Without an extension of the deadline, these public service grant recipients whose audit reports are due would be placed on the City's non-compliant list and their City funding would be withheld. The 90 day extension will also allow them to continue to serve the citizens of Jacksonville during this public health crisis.

Policy Impact Area: Public Service Grants

Fiscal Impact: No direct cost to the City

Analyst: Hampsey

