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LEGISLATIVE SUMMARY

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Bill Type and Number: Resolution 2044-444

Sponsor: Council President Hazouri

Date of Introduction: July 28, 2020

Committee(s) of Reference: R

Date of Analysis: July 28, 2020

Type of Action: Appointment Confirmation

Bill Summary: This bill confirms the Council President's appointment of Bandele Onasayna, to the Renew Arlington Community Redevelopment Agency Advisory Board, as a citizen representative, for a first full term ending December 31, 2023.

Background Information: The Renew Arlington Community Redevelopment Agency Advisory Board was established by Ordinance 2015-738-E, and charged to review and make recommendations to the Council on proposed changes to the CRA Plan or amendments thereto; all proposed road closures and rezoning of properties located within the CRA boundary; and plans and programs developed by the Office of Economic Development regarding the CRA Plan. Ordinance 2019-524-E amended Chapter 53, Ordinance Code, to include two (2) additional members, who shall own at least one commercial parcel within the CRA boundary, to the Renew Arlington Community Redevelopment Agency Advisory Board

Mr. Onasayna is the President of ONAS Corporation as well as CEO, Project Manager and Administrator. Mr. Onasayna relocated to Jacksonville in 1983 and worked with Law Engineering Company on some major landmark projects such as the Dames Point Bridge and the Federal Reserve Bank. Mr. Onasayna resides within Council District #1.

Policy Impact Area: Renew Arlington Community Redevelopment Agency Advisory Board operations

Fiscal Impact: Anticipated to be minimal.

Analyst: Distel