

CITY COUNCIL RESEARCH DIVISION
LEGISLATIVE SUMMARY

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Bill Type and Number: Resolution 2020-455

Sponsor: Council President at the request of the Mayor

Date of Introduction: July 29, 2020

Committee(s) of Reference: R

Date of Analysis: July 29, 2020

Type of Action: Reappointment Confirmation

Bill Summary: This bill confirms the Mayor's reappointment of James Brent Allen as a member of the Downtown Development Review Board, as a Downtown property owner representative, for a second full term ending June 30, 2022.

Background Information: The Downtown Development Review Board is established pursuant to Section 656.361.7, *Ordinance Code*, and charged to review and make decisions with respect to all applications for development and redevelopment within the Downtown Overlay Zone. The nine voting members of the board are appointed by the Mayor and confirmed by the City Council, in various categories including a contractor, developer or realtor who does work within the downtown area.

Mr. Allen received a law degree from the Florida Coastal School of Law and is a Partner at *Euclid Partners, LLC*. He participates in a number of community organizations including the Rotary Club of Jacksonville and Boy Scouts of America. Mr. Allen resides within Council District #14.

Attendance:

Policy Impact Area: Downtown Development Review Board operations

Fiscal Impact: Anticipated to be minimal

Analyst: Distel