

CITY COUNCIL RESEARCH DIVISION
LEGISLATIVE SUMMARY

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Bill Type and Number: Resolution 2020-457

Sponsor: Council President at the request of the Cultural Council of Greater Jacksonville

Date of Introduction: July 28, 2020

Committee(s) of Reference: R

Date of Analysis: July 29, 2020

Type of Action: Appointment Confirmation

Bill Summary: This bill confirms the appointment of Karen Estella Smith to the Cultural Service Grant Program Committee, as a community representative, replacing Sandra Hull-Richardson for a partial term ending December 31, 2021.

Background Information: The Cultural Service Grant Program Committee is established pursuant to Chapter 118, Part 6, *Ordinance Code*, and charged to recommend to the Cultural Council Board of Directors the organizations to be funded and the amount of the funding. Section 118.605, *Ordinance Code*, provides that the membership of the committee shall include seven individuals selected from community wide and confirmed by the City Council.

Ms. Smith is currently the Foundation Development Director at the Westminster Communities of Florida Foundation and has been in that role since 2018. She has a B.S. in English and a post-graduate degree in Museum Studies from the Florida State University. Ms. Smith resides within Council District #11.

Policy Impact Area: Cultural Service Grant Program Committee operations

Fiscal Impact: Anticipated to be minimal

Analyst: Distel