CITY COUNCIL RESEARCH DIVISION

LEGISLATIVE SUMMARY

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Bill Type and Number: Resolution 2021-264

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

Date of Introduction: April 27, 2021

Committee(s) of Reference: R

Date of Analysis: April 26, 2021

Type of Action: Appointment Confirmation

Bill Summary: This bill confirms the Cultural Council's appointment of Wilton Blake to the Cultural Service Grant Program Committee, replacing Truitte Moreland as a community representative, for a first full-term ending December 31, 2023.

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 a community wide nominating process and confirmed by the City Council.

Mr. Blake is currently a Marketing Consultant for WiltonBlake.com and has been in that role since 2009. He earned his Juris Doctor from the Howard University School of Law. Mr. Blake resides in Council District #10.

Policy Impact Area: Cultural Service Grant Program Committee operations

Fiscal Impact: Anticipated to be minimal

Analyst: Distel