CITY COUNCIL RESEARCH DIVISION

LEGISLATIVE SUMMARY

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Bill Type and Number: Resolution 2021-480

Sponsor: Council President Newby

Date of Introduction: July 27, 2021

Committee(s) of Reference: R

Date of Analysis: July 27, 2021

Type of Action: Appointment

Bill Summary: This bill confirms the appointment of Council Member Michael Boylan as a substitute member of the Election Canvassing Board, for the remainder of the term ending June 30, 2022.

Background Information: The Election Canvassing Board is established pursuant to Section 102.141, *Florida Statutes*, and charged to publicly canvass the absentee electors' ballots and provisional ballots and to publicly canvass the vote given each candidate, nominee, constitutional amendment, or other measure submitted to the electorate of the county, as shown by the returns then on file in the office of the supervisor of elections and the office of the county court judge.

Section 102.141(1)(c), *Florida Statutes*, provides that in the event the chair of the board of the county commissioners (i.e., Council President) is unable to serve, the board of county commissioners shall appoint as a substitute member, one of its members.

Policy Impact Area: Election Canvassing Board operations

Fiscal Impact: Anticipated to be minimal.

Analyst: Distel