

Office of the County Auditor
Auditor's Analysis

Council Bill No. 62-2022

Introduced: September 6, 2022

Auditor: Lori Buchman

Fiscal Impact:

There is no fiscal impact resulting from this proposed legislation. This bill is a technical change to amend the Classification Plan for certain public safety positions. If passed, newly-hired or promoted Police Officers and Fire and Rescue Services employees will fill current, fully-funded vacancies. No additional funding appropriations are being requested in this legislation.

Purpose:

The purpose of the proposed legislation is to amend the minimum education requirements; position definitions; required knowledge, skills, and abilities; and class descriptions for certain public safety positions.

Other Comments:

Per the Office of Human Resources (HR), this legislation will affect the ability to fill six Fire and Rescue Services vacancies (one Battalion Chief and five Fire Captain vacancies) that will be filled through the promotional process.

Regarding the Police Department, HR indicated this legislation will primarily affect the recruitment for 26 vacant probationary, entry level police officer positions. The employees hired through this recruitment will go into the academy in FY 2023.