LEGISLATIVE FACT SHEET

DATE: 02/08/16

BT or RC No:

(Administration Bills)

SPONSOR:

Office of Economic Development

(Department/Division/Agency/Council Member)

Project Omega is proposing to create a new financial services operation in Jacksonville. Omega is a global professional services firm. Omega is proposing to add a minimum of 450 financial services jobs, over 4 years by 2019; at an average wage of \$49,340. Omega proposes to invest up to \$5.95 million in real and tangible personal property to support their new financial services center. Project Site has not been determined. The project has a positive ROI for the City of Jacksonville.

APPROPRIATION: Total Amount Appropriated:	as follows:
(Name of Fund as it will appear in title of legislation)	
Name of Federal Funding Source:	Amount:
Name of State Funding Source:	Amount:
Name of City of Jax Funding Source:	Amount:
Name of In-Kind Contribution:	Amount:
Name of Bond Acct:	Amount:
Bond Account Number:	

IMPACT - FINANICIAL / OTHER:

The Company is seeking public investment through the State of Florida Qualified Targeted Industry (QTI) Tax Refund program and Florida Flex Training (FFT) grant program. Total public investment proposed is up to \$3,285,000. The QTI award is \$2,250,000, \$5,000 per job. The City portion of the QTI is 20 percent of the basic award, \$1,000 per new job, not to exceed \$450,000. The State portion is 80% of the award, \$4,000 per job not to exceed \$1,800,000. The FFT grant totaling \$1,035,000, \$2,300 per job is 100% funded by the State of Florida. The total amount of City incentives would be up to \$450,000. The total State incentives would be up to \$2,835,000.

ACTION ITEMS:	Yes	No	
Emergency?		Х	Justification of Emergency:
Federal or State Mandates?		Х	
Fiscal Year Carryover?		Х	
CIP Amendment?		Х	(Attach CIP Form(s))
Contract / Agreement (C/A) Approval?	Х		(Attach a copy)
C/A Negotiations On-going?		Х	

Oversight Department Required?	Х		Name of Dept.:	Office of Economic Development/DIA
Related RC/BT?		Х	(Attach a copy)	
Waiver of Code?		Х	Identify Code:	Public Investment Policy
Code Exception?		Х	Identify Code:	
Continuation of Grant?		Х		
Surplus Property Certification?		Х	(Attach a copy)	
Related Enacted Ordinances?		Х	Ordinance #:	
Report Required to City Council or		Х		
Council Auditors?		<u> </u>	Date:	Frequency:

ADMINISTRATIVE TRANSMITTAL

To: MBRC, c/o Roselyn Chall, Budget Office, St. James Suite 325

- Cc: Sam Mousa, Chief Administrative Officer Mayor's Office, Fourth Floor, City Hall at St James
- From: Kirk Wendland, Executive Director, Office of Economic Development (OED) (Name, Job Title, Department) Phone: 630-2455 E-mail: <u>kwendland@coj.net</u>

Contact Ed Randolph, Business Development Project Manager, OED

Person: (Name, Job Title, Department)

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COUNCIL MEMBER / INDEPENDENT AGENCY / CONSTITUTIONAL OFFICER TRANSMITTAL

To: Peggy Sidman, Office of General Counsel, St. James Suite 480 Phone: 630-4647 E-mail: psidman@coj.net

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Legislation from Independent Agencies require a resolution from the Independent Agency Board approving the legislation.

FACT SHEET IS REQUIRED BEFORE LEGISLATION IS INTRODUCED