HB 1495 -- NEW CITY COUNCIL MEMBER ORIENTATION AND TRAINING

SPONSOR: Walton Gray

This bill requires a new city council member, whether elected or appointed, to complete 16 hours of orientation and training within one year of the member's election or appointment. The costs must be paid by the city. The orientation and training program must be provided by a statewide or national association or organization that offers education programs for developing or strengthening leadership skills of city officials.

This bill is the same as HB 53 (2015).