

CITY OF JOPLIN
CITY COUNCIL MEETING
MINUTES

July 17, 2017

CALL TO ORDER

The regular meeting for the Joplin City Council was called to order at 6:00 p.m. by Mayor Michael Seibert.

INVOCATION - read by Assistant City Clerk Barbara Gollhofer

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE to the United States of America was led by Mr. West

ROLL CALL – Answering Roll Call were: Taylor Brown; Melodee Colbert-Kean, Dan McCreary, Gary Shaw; Michael Seibert, Ryan Stanley, Phil Stinnett and Jim West. Also in attendance were City Manager Sam Anselm and City Attorney Peter Edwards. Absent: Miranda Lewis.

PRESENTATIONS

FINALIZATION OF CONSENT AGENDA – There being no further business to come before the Council, the Consent Agenda was finalized.

REPORTS AND COMMUNICATIONS

CITIZEN REQUESTS AND PETITIONS

PUBLIC HEARINGS

CONSENT AGENDA – Motion by Mr. Shaw, second by Mrs. Colbert-Kean, to approve the Consent Agenda. Voting in favor were Council Members: Brown, Colbert-Kean, McCreary, Seibert, Shaw, Stanley, Stinnett and West, 8. Nays: 0. Absent: 1, Lewis.

Minutes of the July 3, 2017 Council Meeting.

COUNCIL BILL NO. 2017-267 - AN ORDINANCE requesting to review the Final Plat of the Maryland Crossing in the City of Joplin, Jasper County, Missouri. **Ordinance No. 2017-104**

COUNCIL BILL NO. 2017-268. AN ORDINANCE amending Ordinance No. 2004-256, passed by the Council of the City of Joplin, Missouri, November 15, 2004, by removing from District R-1 and including in District R-2 property as described below and located 1516 E. 19th Street in the City of Joplin, Jasper County, Missouri. **Ordinance No. 2017-105**

COUNCIL BILL NO. 2017-512 - AN ORDINANCE approving position changes to the Salary Administration Plan for the City of Joplin. **Ordinance No. 2017-106**

Anyone wishing to address the Council should step to the Podium and state their name and address. If the matter is not a Public Hearing, a request to speak to the Council should be prepared prior to the meeting. Speaking time will be limited to five minutes.

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RESOLUTIONS

ORDINANCES – EMERGENCIES

ORDINANCES – FIRST READING

ORDINANCES – SECOND AND THIRD READING

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

NEW BUSINESS:

Announcements from the PIO, presented by Taylor Cunningham, assistant to the city manager:

Don't forget – this Thursday is the Downtown Joplin's Third Thursday event. If you haven't had a chance to get away for vacation yet, the theme of the event is Summer Travel.

Also, mark your calendars for the Downtown Joplin's Sidewalk Sale – set for Saturday, July 29.

And the Shoal Creek Audubon Center's Water Festival is Saturday, August 12.

Mayor Seibert acknowledged the passing of Jan Tupper, a former council member and active community supporter who served his country and community very well. He leaves a wonderful legacy and will be greatly missed.

Mr. Stanley announced that on August 26, 2017 at Mercy Park, the Alzheimer Association will be hosting the Walk to End Alzheimer's and he encouraged everyone to support this cause.

Vote to go into closed session, which shall pertain to the hiring, firing, disciplining, or promotion of an employee or particular employees of a governmental body involving personal information as set forth in Section 610.021 (3) RSMo, as amended 2016, and legal action, causes of action, or litigation including a public governmental body and any confidential or privileged communications between a governmental body or its representatives and its attorneys as set forth in Section 610.021(1) RSMo, as amended, 2016. This meeting, record, and vote to be closed to the extent provided by law. The City Council shall adjourn at the end of the session. Motion by Mr. Stanley, second by Mr. Brown to go into closed session. Voting in favor were Council Members: Brown, Colbert-Kean, McCreary, Shaw, Seibert, Stanley, Stinnett and West, 8. Nays: 0. Absent: 1, Lewis.

There being no further business the meeting adjourned at 6:07 p.m.

Submitted,


Barbara J. Gollhofer, Assistant City Clerk