City of **JOPLIN** City Council Agenda Item

Requested Council Meeting Date: March 7, 2016
Council Bill No. 2016-110
Item: Purchase of Tymco Street Sweeper

Originating Department: PUBLIC WORKS – OPERATIONS

Attachments: 1) Council Bill No. 2016-110

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Finance Department: Leslie Haase
City Attorney: Peter C. Edwards
City Manager: Samuel L. Anselm

Recommended Action: Approval for the purchase of a Tymco Street Sweeper from Armor Equipment. in the amount of $174,444.00 for the Street Maintenance Division.

Background: Following the approval of the FY 2015-2016 Operating Budget it became time to look for replacement of Two (2) existing street sweepers in the Street Maintenance Department. The existing sweepers are being replaced by this one sweeper.

Discussion: The decision was made to use the state bid to purchase one Tymco Street Sweeper from Armor Equipment in the amount of $234,444.00. The trade in for the Two (2) existing sweepers is $60,000.00 making the cost of the new sweeper $174,444.00 and is below the budgeted amount. The equipment as bid meets the specifications requested by the Public Works Department.

Recommendation: City staff recommends that the City accept the bid as described for the purchase of a street sweeper and be approved on an emergency basis per Section 2.12 (6) of the Joplin City Charter.