COUNCIL BILL NO. 2023-128 **ORDINANCE NO.**

AN ORDINANCE approving the City of Joplin to enter into a Governor's Transportation Cost Share Agreement with the Missouri Highways and Transportation Commission; authorizing the City Manager or his designee to execute the same by and on behalf of the City of Joplin; and containing an emergency clause.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF JOPLIN, as follows:

Section 1. That the City of Joplin enter into a Governor's Transportation Cost Share Agreement with the Missouri Highways and Transportation Commission, for the Zora Street Widening Project from Rangeline Road to MO-249, a true and accurate copy of said agreement being attached hereto and incorporated herein and the same is hereby approved.

Section 2. That the City Manager of the City of Joplin, Missouri, or his designee, is hereby authorized and directed to execute said agreement, or agreement in substantially similar form, by and on behalf of the City of Joplin with the Missouri Highways and Transportation Commission.

Section 3. That the City hereby declares that this Ordinance dealing with a public improvement, is an emergency within the meaning of Section 2.12(6) of the HOME RULE CHARTER of the City of Joplin, Missouri, and as such, this Ordinance shall become effective immediately upon its passage.

PASSED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF JOPLIN, MISSOURI, this _____ day of_____, 2023, by a vote of_____.

Douglas W. Lawson, Mayor

ATTEST:

Holly Nagy, City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Peter C. Edwards, City Attorney