JOPLIN CELEBRATIONS COMMISSION

Meeting Minutes – Tuesday, August 6, 2024, 4:00 p.m.
Location: Joplin City Hall, 5th Floor

Attended: Chad Stebbins, Patrick Tuttle, Brad Belk, Kerry Sachetta, Paula Callihan, and Laura Evans

I. Meeting Called to Order by Mr. Tuttle

II. The February and April 2024 minutes are approved. Ms. Callihan motioned to accept, and Dr. Sachetta seconded. The vote was unanimous.

III. General Discussion

Since the commission had not met since April, much of the discussion was about the getting caught up event over the past six months.

a. World Street Painting Festival.
b. Heritage Trail Markers
c. Ewert Park Renovation
d. Jefferson Highway (road Signs and Convoy in October)
e. Additional mural in Route 66 Mural Park

IV. Mr. Tuttle informed the group of a conversation with Mr. Michael Wallis and Pixar regarding the 20th anniversary of CARS in 2026. Joplin is in the running for some part of the celebration.

V. Meeting Adjourned

The next meeting will be on September 3rd, at 4:00 p.m. in City Hall, 5th Floor.

Approved: _____
Rikki Smith, Secretary

Approved: _____
Patrick Tuttle, Co-Chair