COUNCIL BILL NO. 2017-147 ORDINANCE NO.

AN ORDINANCE amending Chapter 114, Traffic Section 114-822, Specific Speed Limits, of the Code of Ordinance of the City of Joplin, Missouri to amend the speed limit on Schifferdecker Avenue from 9th Street to 20th Street to 45 mph and on Zora Avenue from St. Louis Avenue to Range Line to 40 mph; 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 portion of Section 114-822, Specific Speed Limits, which reads "Schifferdecker Fourth Street to 20th Street" and "Zora Avenue St. Louis Avenue to Range Line" be amended to read as follows:

Street	Extent	Speed
Schifferdecker Avenue	Fourth Street to 9th Street	35
Schifferdecker Avenue	9th Street to south city limits	45
Zora Avenue	St. Louis Avenue to Range Line	40

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

Section 3. That the City hereby declares that this Ordinance dealing with immediate preservation of the public peace, property, health, safety or morals, is considered an emergency within the meaning of Section 2.12(1) of the Home Rule Charter of the City of Joplin, Missouri, and, as such, this Ordinance shall become effective immediately upon its passage. Specifically, this Ordinances amends existing speed limits pursuant to traffic studies.

Passed by the Council of the City of Joplin, Missouri, this _____ day of

_____, 2017 by a _____ vote.

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ATTEST: Michael L. Seibert, Mayor

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Barbara L. Hogelin, City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

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Peter C. Edwards, City Attorney