JOPLIN CITY COUNCIL
AUGUST 26, 2024
SPECIAL MEETING MINUTES

CALL TO ORDER
The August 26, 2024, special meeting of the Joplin City Council was called to order at 6:00 p.m. by Mayor Keenan Cortez.

READING OF SPECIAL CALL
Holly Nagy, City Clerk read the Special Call.

ROLL CALL
Answering Roll Call were Council Members: Joshua Bard, Doris Carlin, Charles Copple, Keenan Cortez, Josh DeTar, Ryan Jackson, Doug Lawson, and Gary Shaw. Also, in attendance were City Manager Nick Edwards and City Attorney Peter Edwards.

Absent: Mark Farnham

Motion by Mr. DeTar, second by Mr. Jackson to excuse the absence of Dr. Farnham. Voting in favor were Council Members: Bard, Carlin, Copple, Cortez, DeTar, Jackson, Lawson and Shaw, 8. Absent: Farnham, 1.

PUBLIC HEARINGS
Public Hearing Procedures were read by City Clerk Holly Nagy

PUBLIC HEARING ON THE 2024-2025 Property Tax Rate
Mayor Cortez opened the Public Hearing
No one spoke in favor of this item.
No one spoke in opposition of this item.
The Public Hearing was closed.

ORDINANCES – EMERGENCY
COUNCIL BILL NO. 2024-509
Mr. DeTar introduced Council Bill No, 2024-509 - AN ORDINANCE levying taxes in the City of Joplin, Missouri for the year 2024 in the amount of Seventeen and Forty-Six Hundredths Cents ($0.1746) on One Hundred Dollars of valuation of all real property in said City, and levying taxes in the Joplin Public Library District for the year 2024 in the amount of Twenty-Four and Fifty-Nine Hundredths Cents ($0.2459) on One Hundred Dollars of valuation of all real property in said District; and, containing an emergency clause. Motion by Mr. DeTar, second by Mr. Lawson, that Council Bill No. 2024-509 be passed on an emergency basis. Voting in favor were Voting in favor were Council Members: Bard, Carlin, Copple, Cortez, DeTar, Jackson, Lawson and Shaw, 8. Absent: Farnham, 1. The Council Bill was declared adopted and entitled **Ordinance No. 2024-112.**

The meeting was adjourned at 6:06 p.m.

Respectfully,

Holly Nagy
City Clerk