CITY OF JOPLIN
COUNCIL AGENDA ITEM

ITEM
Council Bill 2025-535 – Approval of a Real Estate Contract

MEETING DATE
October 6, 2025

ORIGINATING DEPT
Finance

ATTACHMENTS
CB 2025-535 Ordinance; Exhibit "A" Real Estate Purchase Contract; Map of East of North Street – West of St Louis Avenue; Bid Tabulation

REVIEWED BY
Department Head: Leslie Haase; City Attorney: Peter Edwards; City Manager: Nick Edwards

SUMMARY
This Council Bill approves a real estate contract for the sale of one parcel located at North Street – West of St Louis Avenue.

BACKGROUND
The City offered several pieces of buildable surplus property for sale with a bid opening of April 14, 2025. The properties were listed with a minimum bid price based on the appraised value as set forth in the City's land policy.

The City received one bid for North Street – West of St Louis Avenue, which had a minimum bid price of $7,650.00. Lauren White submitted the best bid with a sales price of $7,650.00. The property is currently zoned R-1 and contains approximately 10,625 square feet of land.

The City will complete the sale of this parcel on or before January 30, 2026.

FUNDING SOURCE
This item is not applicable for this council bill.

RECOMMENDATION
Staff recommends approval of this council bill on first reading.