CITY OF JOPLIN
COUNCIL AGENDA ITEM

ITEM
Resolution 2024-018: A RESOLUTION approving the Joplin-Jasper County Emergency Management plan as revised in 2024

MEETING DATE
October 21, 2024

ORIGINATING DEPT
Fire Department

REVIEWED BY
Dept. Head: Gerald Ezell; City Attorney: Peter Edwards; Finance Director: Leslie Haase; City Manager: Nick Edwards

SUMMARY
This Resolution approves the revisions to the Joplin-Jasper County Emergency Management plan, which was completed in 2024.

BACKGROUND
This resolution will assist the City of Joplin officials in responding to and recovering from the effects of natural and man-made disasters. The Joplin/Jasper County Emergency Operations Plan was updated in October of 2023. The last update of the plan was from 2014. The update included all ANNEXES within the Plan. Each ANNEX was reviewed page by page, to make sure all the information was up to date. The main changes to the plan were updates to personnel, county and city officials, resources lists and emergency contact lists. The 2020 U.S. Census numbers were also used in the update. A new Promulgation Statement with County and City officials signatures was also added.

RECOMMENDATION
Staff recommends approval of this resolution.