COUNCIL BILL NO. 2016-015 ORDINANCE NO.

AN ORDINANCE authorizing and adopting Provisions for Collective Bargaining with Law Enforcement Sergeants in the City's Police Department.

WHEREAS, two Missouri Circuit Courts have ordered cities to establish a framework of their choosing for collective bargaining with those cities' police officers; and,

WHEREAS, The City Council of the City of Joplin, Missouri, deems it to be in the City's best interest to adopt Provisions for Collective Bargaining with Law Enforcement Police Sergeants in the City's Police Department.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF JOPLIN, MISSOURI, as follows:

Section 1. Collective Bargaining Provisions With Law Enforcement Sergeants Adopted. That the Provisions for Collective Bargaining with Law Enforcement Sergeants, to form their own separate collective bargaining unit, attached hereto and incorporated herein as Exhibit "A" be, and hereby is, approved and adopted.

PASSED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF JOPLIN, MISSOURI, this _____ day of _____, 2016, by a vote of _____.

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Michael L. Seibert, Mayor

ATTEST:

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Barbara L. Hogelin, City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

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Peter C. Edwards, City Attorney