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Case 044-20: Forest Park Cemetery – A request to remove from District R-1 (Single-family Residential) and include in District R-1-HP (Single-family Residential Historic Preservation) for Historic Preservation – City of Joplin

Ms. Sullivan stated that Forest Park Cemetery is unique. It was a private cemetery then the City of Joplin acquired it in 1988. Forest Park cemetery was started in the 1880s. It has some of Joplin's early settlers who started the development and shape of the community. It is architecturally significant and does have other significance and meets numerous criteria that is set by Preservation Commission.

Mr. Ramsour asked if the Commissioners had any questions for Ms. Sullivan? They did not. Mr. Ramsour asked if there is anyone else to speak in favor of this case? There was not. Mr. Ramsour asked if there is anyone to speak in opposition of this case? There was not.

**MR. KIMBLE MOVED, SECONDED BY MR. MCCULLOUGH THAT CASE 044-20 BE FORWARDED TO THE CITY COUNCIL WITH RECOMMENDATION FOR APPROVAL. MOTION CARRIED, WITH MR. RAMSOUR, MS. STEELE, MR. MCCULLOUGH, MR. EASTMAN AND MR. KIMBLE VOTING "AYE". (5 IN FAVOR, 1 ABSENT).**