

**RESOLUTION NO. 2022-003**

A RESOLUTION allowing the Joplin Public Works Department to proceed in developing new permits for all permitted industries in the City of Joplin and changes to the City of Joplin’s ordinance of Section 118 per the Environmental Protective Agency’s (EPA) General Pretreatment Regulations and Streamlining Rule.

WHEREAS, City Council provides authorization to proceed in sending proposed changes to the Missouri Department of Natural Resources (MDNR) for public comment or questions as per these streamlining regulations. and

WHEREAS, the Rule revises several provisions of Environmental Protection Agency’s (EPA) General Pretreatment Regulations and the objective of the Rule is to reduce the overall regulatory burden on industrial users and the Control Authority; and

WHEREAS, the EPA Streamlining Rule gives the City flexibility to reduce the burden of technical and administrative requirements while still meeting the environmental objectives; and

WHEREAS, the City’s existing pretreatment ordinance must be reviewed, and a determination made as to which of these 13 changes apply to Joplin; and

WHEREAS, the authorization allows for the acceptance of the tentative permits for permitted industries and the ordinance changes as per the EPA’s new Streamlining Rules and procedures.

**BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF JOPLIN, MISSOURI, as follows:**

Section 1. That this approval and proposed ordinance changes and permitting changes be sent to MDNR for the review and Public Notice.

Section 2. That the City Manager of the City of Joplin is hereby authorized and directed, upon recommendation and approval of the City Council, to submit a resolution of authorization as part of Department of Natural Resources review and approval after a Public Notice period.

PASSED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF JOPLIN, MISSOURI, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 2022 by a vote of

Ryan D. Stanley, Mayor

ATTEST:

Holly Nagy, City Clerk