

JOPLIN CITY COUNCIL
INFORMAL MEETING NOTES
MARCH 15, 2021

Mayor Stanley called the March 15, 2021 Informal Meeting of the Joplin City Council to order at 5:15 p.m.

In attendance were Council Members: Charles Cople, Keenan Cortez, Doug Lawson, Anthony Monteleone, Diane Reid Adams, Gary Shaw, Ryan Stanley, Phil Stinnett, and Christina Williams. Also, in attendance were City Manager Nick Edwards and City Attorney Peter Edwards.

Sales Tax Update

Finance Director Leslie Haase reported an increase of 8.41% in sales tax for March. The YTD increase from FY2020 is 2.71%.

Republic Services Proposal Update

Assistant Public Works Director of Operations Lynden Lawson presented two options (attached) for a service agreement with Allied (Republic) Services for residential trash service:

Option 1: Temporary One-Year Extension

Option 2: Five-Year Renewal.

After discussion of the options, a motion was made by Mr. Stinnett and seconded by Dr. Reid Adams to approve Option 2. Voting in favor were Council Members: Cople, Cortez, Lawson, Monteleone, Reid Adams, Shaw, Stanley, Stinnett, and Williams, 9. Nays: 0.

Ms. Williams asked what the fee would be for a second cart for recycling. Jennifer Fagan (Municipal Manager for Republic) stated a second cart would be provided free of charge upon request.

Update: 10-year Joplin Tornado Remembrance Events – May 22, 2021

Convention and Visitors Bureau Director Patrick Tuttle provided a timeline (attached) for the Joplin Tornado 10-Year Remembrance Events. The theme is 10 Years Stronger.

Other Business - None

The meeting was adjourned at 5:37p.m.

Barbara Gollhofer, MPCC, City Clerk



January 7, 2021

David Hertzberg – Director of Public Works
City of Joplin
602 S. Main St.
Joplin, Mo. 64801

Dear David,

Per our meeting last month, Republic would like to offer the following options for renewal:

Option 1: Temporary One-Year Extension

- Rate Adjustment 2% (current agreement terms)
- Residential Trash Rate \$12.10 (plus all city fees)
- Residential Recycle Rate \$5.05 (only paid by subscribers)
- Trash Services No Change
- Recycling Services No Change

Option 2: Five-Year Renewal

- Rate Adjustment 2% (annually)
- Residential Trash Rate \$11.86 (plus all city fees)
- Residential Recycle Rate \$4.50 (only paid by subscribers)
- Trash Services No Change
- Recycling Services Every-Other-Week (Service days determined by Republic)

Republic appreciates the long-term partnership we have formed with Joplin and your residents. We value our relationship and pride ourselves in providing excellent service to the citizens of Joplin. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Jennifer Fagan".

Jennifer Fagan
Republic Services of Galena
Municipal Manager
417-499-3739 cell





WORKING TIMELINE (ALL FOCUSED-ON CUNNINGHAM PARK):

MAY 21

JOPLIN MEMORIAL RUN

4:00-7:00 26th Street closed, St. John’s Blvd. to Maiden Lane (Fri-Sat)
 Packet Pick-up, Music
 161 flags on display .

MAY 22

JOPLIN MEMORIAL RUN

6:30 Freeman Half Marathon, US Bank Relay, Sparklight 10K
 6:45 Liberty 5K
 10:30 Course Closed
 11:00 Sign Designs Kid’s Run

10-YEAR REMEMBRANCE

3:00-5:00	Community Awareness	
5:15	Welcome, Opening Comments	Mayor Stanley (emcee)
	Joint First-responder Honor Guard	Post the Colors
	National Anthem	
	Reading of the 161 names of those who died	
	Invocation	Bishop Rice (TBD)
5:40	Bell Toll (10 volleys of 2 rings) JFD	
5:41	Minute of Silence	
	<i>Amazing Grace</i> on bagpipes	Tulsa Fire Dept
	Moving towards Recovery	Former Gov. Nixon
	Joplin Today	Mayor Stanley
	Looking towards the future	City Mgr Edwards
	Benediction	Councilman Shaw

LEGACY EFFORT:

Joplin Hope Center for Disaster Recovery