

JOPLIN CITY COUNCIL  
INFORMAL MEETING NOTES  
APRIL 19, 2021

Mayor Stanley called the April 19, 2021 Joplin City Council informal meeting to order at 5:15 p.m.

In attendance were Council Members: Charles Copple, 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 Assistant City Attorney Jordan Paul.

FY 2022 Budget Update

Finance Director Leslie Haase presented the FY 2022 budget calendar, noting the dates and descriptions for the upcoming budget meetings.

Sales Tax Update

Finance Director Leslie Haase presented the April general sales tax report. The year-to-date general sales tax revenues are up 5.5%. Most of the top 100 sales producing businesses showed an increase in the year-to-date report. Overall, it was a good report.

Boards & Commissions: Re-Appointments/New Appointments

The City Council approved the following boards/commissions reappointments:

Airport - Bob Loudermilk

City Tree Board - Lauren Copple

Board of Health - Aaron Rice

Parks & Rec - Chalise Cooper

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Building Board of Appeals - Kyle Denham

Planning & Zoning - Rodney McCullough

Capital Improvement - Lori Haun

Solid Waste Commission - Andrew Whitehead

City Tree Board - Bob Willcoxon

The following applicants were approved to fill vacancies on certain boards/commissions:

ADA Committee: Judith Edwards to replace Jeff Hughey

Board of Adjustment: Chase Kraft as Alternate (new appt)

Building Board of Appeals: Steve Urie-Ross to replace Mark Callihan

Building Board of Appeals: Lance Windsor to replace David Reeder (new appt)

CVB: Kevin Mandarini (restaurant) to replace Jeremy Nienkamp

Historic Preservation: Adam Berkowicz to replace Chris Ferguson

Housing Authority: Holly Stone to replace Sherry Genisio

Joplin Historical & Mineral Museum (at large) Paula Callihan (new appt)

Joplin Historical & Mineral Museum (at large) Chad Stebbins (new appt)

Personnel Board: Pamela Lanier to replace Todd Hawkins

Planning & Zoning: Amia Warren to replace Pete Ramsour

Police & Fire: Chuck Brown to replace Marshall Hogue

Solid Waste (industrial): Ashley Cantrell to replace Jacob Calvin

Solid Waste: Zoe Gawlick to replace Alicia Rodriguez

Traffic Commission: Richard Schurman to replace Robert Schroer

The meeting was adjourned at 5:45 p.m.

Barbara Gollhofer, MPCC, City Clerk