

**CITY OF JOPLIN  
COUNCIL AGENDA ITEM**

**ITEM**

Council Bill No. 2022-006 – (Re-adoption of Code of Ethics Ordinance)

**MEETING DATE**

August 15, 2022

**REVIEWED BY:**

Peter Edwards, City Attorney; Leslie Haase, Finance Director; Holly Nagy, City Clerk;  
Nick Edwards, City Manager.

**SUMMARY:**

This Council Bill re-adopts Chapter 2, Administration, of the Joplin City Code, Section 2-107, "Financial interest disclosure", which requires certain officials and employees of the City of Joplin to file Financial Interest Disclosure Statements.

**BACKGROUND:**

Each year by September 15<sup>th</sup>, it is necessary to re-adopt our Code of Ethics for the Council, and certain City employees in order to "opt out" of the provisions of Section 105.485.2.

A certified copy of this Council Bill will be forwarded to the Missouri Ethics Commission prior to September 15, 2022.

**RECOMMENDATION:**

Staff recommends this Council Bill be placed on First Reading.

**ATTACHMENTS:**

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