

**JOPLIN CITY COUNCIL  
INFORMAL MEETING NOTES  
OCTOBER 3, 2022**

Mayor Lawson called the October 3, 2022, Joplin City Council informal meeting to order at 5:15 p.m.

In attendance were Council Members: Charles Cople, Keenan Cortez, Josh DeTar, Mark Farnham, Doug Lawson, Gary Shaw, Kate Spencer, Phil Stinnett, and Christina Williams. Also, in attendance were City Manager Nick Edwards and City Attorney Peter Edwards.

**Review Downtown Library RFP**

Nick Edwards, City Manager presented.

**Exemption Request from Michelle Fowler, Joplin Axe Company**

Michelle Fowler presented.

Discussion ensued.

Ms. Spencer expressed concern about the exemption

A revision of the two current ordinances sections 10-17 and 10-82 will come back to Council to include the exemption for the axe throwing business.

The meeting was adjourned at 5:40 p.m.

Holly Nagy, MRCC, City Clerk