

COUNCIL BILL NO. 2019-137

ORDINANCE NO. 2019-104

AN ORDINANCE amending Article 10, Traffic Control Devices, of Chapter 114, Traffic, of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Joplin, by enacting a new Section 114-798, Neighborhood Traffic Calming.

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

WHEREAS, the City of Joplin has received complaints from residents about vehicles travelling at high rates of speeds on residential streets in neighborhoods; and,

WHEREAS, the City of Joplin has determined that a Neighborhood Traffic Calming Policy is necessary to address this concern and for the overall health, safety and welfare of its citizens.

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

Section 1. That Article 10, Traffic Control Devices, of Chapter 114, Traffic, of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Joplin, is hereby amended by enacting a new Section 114-798, Neighborhood Traffic Calming, to read as follows:

“Sec. 114-798. – Neighborhood Traffic Calming

All traffic calming measures, including signs, signals, and devices, requested in residential areas are subject to the policy entitled “Neighborhood Traffic Calming Policy”, attached hereto and incorporated herein as Exhibit A. All traffic calming devices approved under this chapter for the purpose of neighborhood traffic calming shall comply with Section 114-782, to the extent it is practicable.”

Section 2. That this Ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and approval.

PASSED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF JOPLIN, MISSOURI, this 15th day of July 2019, by a vote of 8-0-1. Absent: Brown.

Gary L. Shaw, Mayor

ATTEST:

Barbara J. Gollhofer, City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Peter C. Edwards, City Attorney

