

Minutes of the September 23, 2021
Special Meeting of the Board of Trustees
of the Joplin Policemen's and Firemen's Pension Plan

CALL TO ORDER

The special meeting of the September 23, 2021 Board of Trustees of the Joplin Policemen's and Firemen's Pension Plan was called to order by Chairman Mayor Ryan Stanley at 8:30 a.m.

Roll Call: Present: Chuck Brown, Will Davis, Jared Delzell, Justice Gannaway (via phone), Adam Grimes, Mayor Ryan Stanley, Finance Director Leslie Haase, and City Attorney Peter Edwards. Also in attendance was Paul Rowe.

DISCUSSION OF PAUL ROWE DISABILITY RETIREMENT

Leslie gave an update on the disability insurance; they have determined that medically Paul is disabled. The hang up is the requirement of loss of income; 80% loss of income. They ruled he is disabled; they are paying him for March and then terminating it. Leslie stated she had a conversation with them (Hartford) and Segal and explained that's not how things work with the City of Joplin. There were questions and discussion from the board. Motion by Jared Delzell, second by Will Davis to have Paul Rowe declared disabled after reviewing of his medical information and doctors' opinions according to the duty disability benefit section of the plan. Motion passed. The board will approve Paul's lump sum and monthly benefit at the October meeting.

OTHER BUSINESS

Motion by Adam Grimes, second by Jared Delzell to adjourn. With no further business to come before the board, the meeting was adjourned at 8:45a.m.

Submitted,



Roschelle Forsythe, Secretary