City of Petersburg
Minutes of the Regular City Council Meeting
April 18, 2016 7:00 p.m.
Petersburg Municipal Building
24 E. Center Street
Petersburg, MI 49270

A Regular Meeting of the Council for the City of Petersburg was held on the above date.

The Meeting was called to order at 7:00 p.m. by Mayor, James W. Holeman

Councilpersons present were Terri Bauer, Charles Bruckner, Rich Haller, Kevin Richards, Lawrence Schadewald, and Joanne Tollison. Absent:

Minutes of the last meeting were presented to Council in printed form as recorded.

Moved by Tollison that the minutes of the previous meeting, 4/4/16, be approved.

Supported by Tollison. Aye (7) Nay (0) Absent (0) Motion carried.

Invoices were presented to council in printed form by accounts: General fund- \$29,658.75 Police fund- \$23,915.27; Major St.-\$0; Local St.- \$0; Sewer fund- \$7,012.04; Water fund- \$2,137.80 for a total of \$62,723.86 Moved by Bruckner that the invoices as presented be approved and checks drawn for the same. Supported by Haller. Roll Call Vote: Aye (7) Nay (0) Absent (0) Motion carried.

Dawn Cilley advised that all necessary amendments have been made to the Planning Commission Book to bring it up to date and it has been approved by the Commission. Flood Plain map accuracy has been verified but still needs approval by Commission. Moved by Richards to approve the amendments to Planning Commission Book as approved by the Planning Commission. Supported by Bauer. Aye (7) Nay (0) Absent (0) Motion carried.

First Reading by Title Only of Ordinance #16-0001, repealing Ordinance #14-0002. Moved by Richards to approve Ordinance #16-0001, which increases water rates to \$5.50 per thousand gallons/city and \$9.90 per thousand gallons/township, effective July 2016. Supported by Bruckner. Roll Call Vote: Aye (7) Nay (0) Absent (0) Motion carried.

Two bids were received to replace the concrete basketball court; from Al Smith Concrete in the amount of \$7,800 and Eric Strickland for \$9,000. Moved by Schadewald to accept bid from Al Smith Concrete. Supported by Haller. Roll Call Vote: Aye (5) Nay (2) Absent (0) Motion carried. Mayor to contact Al Smith for start date, Haller to contact Rec Commission regarding ordering backboard/pole systems.

Lee Eggert informed Council that Cadillac Asphalt will be repaving Deerfield Road from bridge to West of Taft Road. Mr. Eggert will contact Cadillac to resubmit a bid to pave Railroad Street at the same time, hopefully lower than previous bid. Bedford Asphalt has submitted a bid in the amount of \$12,500 for Railroad Street. Decision tabled until Cadillac's new bid is received.

Discussed request by Karen Norton to eliminate quarterly water fees for 2" water line at 40 Saline Street that has been shut off. Mayor to gather more information on what she's being charged and ask Ms. Norton to attend next meeting before a decision is made.

No new information to report regarding BMX bike park request. Mayor has contacted the City of Monroe Parks and Recreation for information and has not heard back.

Tollison reported that Koraleski Farms will be providing flower baskets for light posts. The local author that visited the library was very well received. The Tractor/Farm Toy Show and Art Show is being held on April 30. The Library will not be conducting Safety City this year, but has received several calls from parents asking about it. Tollison will contact Terry Nowak at the Rec Commission to advise her.

Clerk Goodin reported that the March 8 Election Audit conducted by the county Clerk on April 13 went fine.

Moved by Bruckner that Council adjourn at 8:11pm. Supported by Bauer. Aye (7) Nay (0) Absent (0) Motion carried.

Guests: Lee Eggert, Dawn Cilley Employees: Leanne Goodin, Donna Maertin	
Minutes submitted by:	Leanne G. Goodin, Clerk
Minutes approved by:	Mayor James W. Holeman