City of Petersburg
Minutes of the Regular City Council Meeting
July 2, 2018, 7:00 PM
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, Dawn Cilley, Kevin Richards, Lawrence Schadewald, and Joanne Tollison.

Absent:

Moved by Tollison to approve the agenda as printed. Supported by Richards. Aye (7) Nay (0) Absent (0) Motion carried.

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

Moved by Bruckner that the minutes of the previous meeting, 6/18/18 be approved. Supported by Bauer. Aye (7) Nay (0) Absent (0) Motion carried.

Public Comment:

Kelly Kalb, representing the Rose Run, asked for police coverage for the route of the Rose Run on July 14, especially at Railroad and Division, for safety of the runners.

Moved by Schadewald to hire an officer for the Rose Run, beginning at 8am on July 14. Supported by Bruckner. Aye (7) Nay (0) Absent (0) Motion carried.

New Business:

Second Reading by Title Only of Ordinance #18-0001, repealing Ordinance #16-0001. Moved by Richards to approve Ordinance #18-0001, which increases water rates to \$6.00 per thousand gallons/city and \$10.79 per thousand gallons/township, effective October 1, 2018. Supported by Tollison. Roll Call Vote: Aye (7) Nay (0) Absent (0) Motion carried

Mayor reported Jeff Sayre's sidewalk needs to be replaced which he is willing to do but has asked the city to repair the retaining wall. He will get an estimate.

Moved by Bruckner to reimburse the Farmer's for their \$1,000 insurance deductible for damage to their property due to the City's sanitary sewer construction failure. The Farmer's will be asked to sign a release form. Supported by Richards. Roll Call Vote. Aye (7) Nay (0) Absent (0) Motion carried.

Moved by Bauer to reappoint Stella Kirby and appoint Mike Doughty to the Planning Commission for a 3 year term commencing July 1, 2018. Supported by Cilley. Aye (7) Nay (0) Absent (0) Motion carried.

Old Business:

Mayor reported that parts for the backhoe have been ordered at approximately \$300-400.

Council will recognize Dottie Sambiagio and Conee Zibbell for their time on the Planning Commission. Clerk will prepare certificates.

Bruckner reported he tried to serve blight paperwork to a homeowner on Elm Street after a complaint by another resident and was greeted by the angry homeowner and her dog who said it will be taken care of. Bruckner also asked that Mike's Garage on Saline Street be asked to keep vehicles back from the road as they impede visibility of those on Elm Street. Mayor will speak to the manager or owner about this.

Cilley asked that the foliage near the bridge at the end of Rose road be trimmed back to allow for better visibility.

Tollison reported Library raffle tickets will be on sale beginning Thursday for Community Day.

Moved by Bruckner that Council adjourn at 7:54p.m. Supported by Richards. Aye (7) Nay (0) Absent (0) Motion carried.

Guests: Kelly Kalb, Jessica Cribbs, Mandy Stein, Carrie Samples, Conni Harrigan Employees: Leanne Goodin

| Minutes submitted by: | Leanne G. Goodin, Clerk |
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| Minutes approved by: | Mayor James W. Holeman |