

City of Petersburg  
Minutes of the Regular City Council Meeting  
August 22, 2022 - 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, Dawn Cilley, Kevin Richards, and Joanne Tollison.  
Charles Bruckner arrived at 7:10 p.m.  
Absent: Lawrence Schadewald

Moved by Tollison to approve the agenda as printed. Supported by Cilley. Aye (5) Nay (0) Absent (2) Motion carried.

Minutes of the last meeting were presented to Council in printed form as recorded.  
Moved by Cilley that the minutes of the previous meeting, 8/8/22 be approved.  
Supported by Bauer. Aye (5) Nay (0) Absent (2) Motion carried.

Invoices were presented to council in printed form by accounts: General fund- \$16,066.91; Police fund- \$25,381.00; Major St.-\$135.61; Local St. - \$311.50; Sewer fund- \$6,254.29; Water fund- \$16,152.98 for a total of \$64,302.29. Moved by Cilley that the invoices as presented be approved and checks drawn for the same. Supported by Tollison. Roll Call Vote: Aye (5) Nay (0) Absent (2) Motion carried.

**Public Comment:**

**New Business:**

Mayor Holeman read the letter that will be sent to Zeiler Excavating, upon approval of the council, regarding the 6 change orders that have not been finished. Termination, of the contract, will be seven days after Zeiler's receive the letter. At that point, the city will take over finishing the project and charge Zeiler's.  
Moved by Richards to send letter from the City of Petersburg to Zeiler Excavating for termination of the contract. Supported by Bruckner. Roll Call Vote: Aye (6) Nay (0) Absent (1) Motion carried.

Mayor reported that the city is waiting for bids for concrete and hot mix patching. There are a few potholes that need to have cold patch put in them now.

Fuel costs for the sheriff's car has gone up drastically. Mayor Holeman is looking into this.

Currently there is a bid out for the new police officer for the City of Petersburg.

**Old Business:**

Moved by Tollison to revisit the office hours' proposal until the September 6, 2022 meeting when Clerk Goodin would be present. Supported by Richards. Aye (6) Nay (0) Absent (1) Motion carried.

**Council Reports:**

Tollison reported that the DNR has found a new invasive species that decimates trees. It is called the Spotted Lantern Fly.

**Employee Reports:**

Moved by Bruckner that Council adjourn at 7:58 p.m. Supported by Richards. Aye (5) Nay (0) Absent (2) Motion carried.

Guests: Alice Bruckner, Stella Kirby, Paul Galoner, Charlie Vittore, and Bobby Richards.

Employees: Trudy Goodin, Donna Maertin

Minutes submitted by: \_\_\_\_\_ Donna J. Maertin, Deputy Clerk

Minutes approved by: \_\_\_\_\_ Mayor James W. Holeman