

City of Petersburg
Minutes of the Regular City Council Meeting
October 3, 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, Richard 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 Richards that the minutes of the previous meeting, 9/19/16, be approved.
Supported by Tollison. Aye (7) Nay (0) Absent (0) Motion carried.

Treasurer Goodin reported that water bills were mailed last week and some residents used a larger amount of water during the summer. John Anderson of Madison Street called regarding his high usage which he attributes to watering trees in the city right of way and asked if the City would consider lowering the bill since he was advised to water trees. This was discussed but not approved.

Moved by Haller to approve lot split/combination on Lots 15, 16 & 17 on River Dale Drive. Supported by Bruckner. Aye (7) Nay (0) Absent (0) Motion carried.

Moved by Richards to allow the purchase of a new Stihl weed eater by DPW at a price to be determined. Supported by Tollison. Aye (7) Nay (0) Absent (0) Motion carried.

Mayor reported high service pump is back in operation and the other pump will be rebuilt on site.

No news on new police car. Mayor will contact Major Kemp for accurate price. Clerk and Treasurer will get title for old police car from safe deposit box and sign over to Sheriff Department.

Regarding Safe Routes to School, Mayor will contact Drain and Road Commission about tiling the ditch on Elizabeth Street. One resident would like cleanouts. Safe Routes committee will be meeting soon.

Tollison advised that the tree trimming/removal needs to be completed by the end of October per the grant. Aardvark's quote for tree cutting was very high, Tollison getting second quote from John's Tree Service. We might only be able to remove 1 tree this year. Tollison also complained about loud 4-wheelers going up and down Madison Street in the evening. Deputy will need to address this if it continues.

Mayor will contact Deputy Corie regarding police coverage for Halloween.

Moved by Richards that Council adjourn at 7:40p.m. Supported by Bauer. Aye (7) Nay (0) Absent (0) Motion carried.

Guests:
Employees: Leanne Goodin, Trudy Goodin

Minutes submitted by: _____ Leanne Goodin, Clerk

Minutes approved by: _____ Mayor James W. Holeman