

City of Petersburg
Minutes of Regular City Council Meeting
December 4, 2023 - 7:00 p.m.
Petersburg, MI 49270

A 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 Dawn Cilley, Kevin Richards, Rita Rousseau, and Joanne Tollison
Absent: Laura Antoszewski, Ron Stumpmier

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

Minutes of the previous meeting were presented to Council in printed form as recorded.
Moved by Cilley that the minutes of the 11/20/23 meeting be approved.
Supported by Richards. Aye (5) Nay (0) Absent (2) Motion carried.

Public Comment:

Planning Commission chair Stella Kirby gave highlights of last week's meeting.

New Business:

Nic Calkins presented the 2023 Audit Report.

Moved by Cilley to appoint Rita Rousseau as Street Administrator for 1 year. Supported by Richards. Aye (5)
Nay (0) Absent (2) Motion carried.

Discussed DPW letter to council asking for a raise. Mayor will contact area DPW departments to see what their
pay rates are. Will revisit next meeting.

Moved by Cilley to award \$100, \$75 and \$50 cash prizes for this year's outdoor Christmas decorating contest.
Supported by Rousseau. Aye (5) Nay (0) Absent (2) Motion carried.

Old Business:

Mayor reported the radiator on the vactor truck has been repaired.

Council Reports:

Richards reported a group of citizen volunteers are planning events for the December 16 tree lighting.

Tollison announced that local actor David Wahr will be at the library December 8 at 5pm performing Christmas
story readings along with desserts.

Employee Reports:

Clerk Goodin asked council to consider changing meeting time to 6:30pm next year. Will revisit next meeting.

Moved by Richards that Council adjourn at 8:09p.m. Supported by Cilley. Aye (5) Nay (0) Absent (2) Motion
carried.

Guests: Nic Calkins, Stella Kirby, Bobby Richards

Employees: Leanne Goodin, Trudy Goodin

Minutes submitted by: _____ Leanne G. Goodin, Clerk

Minutes approved by: _____ Mayor James W. Holeman