

City of Petersburg
Minutes of Regular City Council Meeting
July 1, 2024 – 6:30 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 6:30 p.m. by Mayor, James W. Holeman
Councilpersons present were Laura Antoszewski, Dawn Cilley, Rita Rousseau, Ron Stumpmier, and Joanne Tollison.

Absent: Kevin Richards

Moved by Tollison to approve the agenda as printed. Supported by Cilley. Aye (6) Nay (0) Absent (1)
Motion carried.

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

Moved by Cilley that the minutes of the 6/17/24 meeting be approved.

Supported by Stumpmier. Aye (6) Nay (0) Absent (1) Motion carried.

Minutes of the joint public hearing with Summerfield Township were presented to Council in printed form as recorded.

Moved by Cilley that the minutes of the 6/17/24 joint public hearing be approved.

Supported by Antoszewski. Aye (6) Nay (0) Absent (1) Motion carried.

Public Comment:

Chuck Bruckner asked if anyone knew what happened to the Civil War cannon and the War Memorial board that used to be at Veterans Park. Mayor will look into it.

Jessica Cribbs, organizer of the 16th annual Rose Run on July 13, gave an update and thanked the City for their support.

New Business:

The Petersburg Event Committee asked the City for \$300 to purchase a projector screen for movies in the park. It was tabled until more details are provided and one of them can be present to answer questions.

Moved by Antoszewski to vote for all 3 candidates running for a four year term as Trustee for the Michigan Municipal League board. Supported by Cilley. Aye (6) Nay (0) Absent (1) Motion carried.

Old Business:

Mayor reported the new ramp for golf carts/pedestrians down to Fernstrom Park is complete and usable. Guard rails and signage are still needed.

Council Reports:

Tollison has begun the tree trimming/removal list.

Antoszewski is working on one blight issue and will send notice to the property owner.

Employee Reports:

Clerk Goodin asked if Council had reviewed the draft employee handbook. It will be discussed at the August 5 meeting which will be held at the Library due to the election being set up.

Moved by Tollison that Council adjourn at 7:32p.m. Supported by Cilley. Aye (6) Nay (0) Absent (1) Motion carried.

Guests: Kelly Kalb, Jessica Cribbs, Chuck Bruckner

Employees: Leanne Goodin, Trudy Goodin

Minutes submitted by: _____ Leanne G. Goodin, Clerk

Minutes approved by: _____ Mayor James W. Holeman