

City of Petersburg  
Minutes of Regular City Council Meeting  
January 6, 2025 – 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, Kevin Richards, Rita Rousseau, Ron Stumpmier  
Absent: Joanne Tollison

Moved by Cilley to approve the agenda as printed. Supported by Richards. 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 12/16/24 meeting be approved.  
Supported by Rousseau. Aye (6) Nay (0) Absent (1) Motion carried.

**Public Comment:**

Sheriff Troy Goodnough reported statistics for the past year and stated a new deputy will be assigned to Petersburg beginning Sunday.

**New Business:**

Moved by Rousseau to increase DPW employees pay 5% (averaged) as well as clerk, treasurer and deputy effective January 1, 2025. Supported by Richards. Aye (6) Nay (0) Absent (1) Motion carried.

Moved by Cilley to appoint Sue Shafer to the Compensation Commission to replace Jennifer Doughty through 10/29/28. Supported by Antoszewski. Aye (6) Nay (0) Absent (1) Motion carried.

**Old Business:**

Mayor reported street striping bids are coming in for spring and once we know how much those are we will know how much funding is left for possible purchase of equipment.

**Council Reports:**

Antoszewski has noticed a lot of cracking in the streets and asked the mayor and engineer to look them over.

Richards asked if the elementary school is still considering angle parking on Elm Street, and if so, we would need to make that known for striping.

**Employee Reports:**

Clerk reminded council the next meeting will be held on a Tuesday, January 21, due to MLK Day.

Moved by Stumpmier that Council adjourn at 7:21 p.m. Supported by Cilley. Aye (6) Nay (0) Absent (1) Motion carried.

Guests: Bobby Richards, Troy Goodnough, Stella Kirby, Harvey Salenbien, Boston Bashaw, Nilo Burgener

Employees: Leanne Goodin, Trudy Goodin

Minutes submitted by: \_\_\_\_\_ Leanne G. Goodin, Clerk

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