

City of Petersburg  
Minutes of Regular City Council Meeting  
April 7, 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, Rita Rousseau, Ron Stumpmier

Absent: Kevin Richards, Joanne Tollison

Moved by Cilley to approve the agenda as printed. Supported by Antoszewski. 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 3/17/25 meeting be approved.  
Supported by Stumpmier. Aye (5) Nay (0) Absent (2) Motion carried.

**Public Comment:**

Stella Kirby reported 2 bike racks have been ordered for Fernstrom Park and the top flower bed has been edged, awaiting plants. A coffee truck “the Coffee Grind” will be parked at the top of the Park on clean up day, April 26, from 9am-12pm.

**New Business:**

Moved by Rousseau to approve a two year contract with Karen Lieb as the assessor effective May 1, 2025 through April 30, 2027 as printed and presented. Supported by Cilley. Aye (5) Nay (0) Absent (2) Motion carried.

Moved by Antoszewski to accept the BS&A Cloud proposal for all accounting software as printed and presented. Supported by Rousseau. Aye (5) Nay (0) Absent (2) Motion carried.

Moved by Cilley to approve the Arbor Day Proclamation for April 25, 2025 as printed and presented. Supported by Stumpmier. Aye (5) Nay (0) Absent (2) Motion carried.

**Old Business:**

Mayor reported the backhoe is in need of replacement soon. He is looking for used options. The small dump truck needs clutch repairs and the watering truck needs repairs.

**Council Reports:**

Antoszewski commented that the street sweeping looks great and asked about repairing the street at Rose and Center.

Stumpmier asked if the storm sewer at Wittman and N. Division can be vactored soon for debris.

Cilley reported that the library community room floor is being replaced next week and it will be closed for 2 weeks.

**Employee Reports:**

Clerk Goodin reported the standby generator installation will begin next week, hopefully completed before the May 6 election.

Treasurer Goodin distributed a revenue/expenditure report to council.

Moved by Cilley that Council adjourn at 7:12p.m. Supported by Antoszewski. Aye (5) Nay (0) Absent (2) Motion carried.

Guests: Stella Kirby

Employees: Leanne Goodin, Trudy Goodin

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

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