

Village of Petersburg Minutes  
March 2, 2021

The Petersburg Village Board met in the Regular meeting Tuesday, March 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2021 at 7:00p.m. Notice was published and posted. The board was given prior notice of the meeting. Chairman Stokes called the meeting to order and stated the Open Meeting Act was posted.

Trustees present were: Stokes, Henn, Werner, Koch, and Thieman. Staff: Prothman and Provencher. Guests: Helen Baumgartner, Larry Temme, Neil Baumgartner, and Officer Keck.

Sales tax funds from December 2020, \$5,956.13 (Motor Vehicle Sales Tax \$809.79).

Minutes of the February meeting were approved with a motion by Henn seconded by Thieman, all present voted aye, motion carried.

Treasurers report was presented and approved with a motion made by Henn seconded by Koch all present voted aye, motion carried.

Bills presented for payment:

Wages: 6178.00

EFTPS, payroll tax: 1,728.50

Village Reg. Acct., Motor Vehicle sales tax: 809.79

Village Reg. Acct., sales tax transfer for loan payment: 1006.06

Boone Co. Treas., police: 1,375.00

Boone Co. Zoning, fee: 100.00

Neil Baumgartner, se: 120.00

Tracy Paulson, se: 93.00

Great Plains State Bank, UV sewer loan pymt: 1,562.96

Great Plains State Bank, loan pymt: 1,000.06

Bud's Sanitary Service, se: 2,592.00

Albion News/Boone County Tribune, adv: 162.82

Great Plains Communications, se: 432.20

NE Public Environmental Health Lab, se: 15.00

Bomgaard's, su: 65.14

Appera, se: 63.99

Helena, su: 18.00

Beaver Bearing, su: 29.12

Cedar Valley Insurance, ins: 4,466.00

Mike's Auto Repair, su: 87.00

Municipal Supply, su: 1,679.05

Island Supply, se: 26.88

Leifelds, su: 197.61  
M&S Computer, su: 210.00  
Reigle Implement, su: 12,900.00  
Power & Packaging, su: 538.27  
Loup Power, se: 2,063.63  
Verizon, se: 79.60  
Zabka Svc, se: 272.26  
Midwest Service and Sales, su: 242.64  
Midwest Labs, se: 192.05  
Black Hills Energy, se: 814.11  
Yosten Law, se: 195.00  
Charles Schwab, Sundae's retirement: 132.28  
Charles Schwab, Nick's retirement: 250.77  
NE Dept. of Revenue, sales tax: 1572.84.

Stokes made a motion to pay bills and those not in yet, second by Thieman, all present voted aye, motion carried.

Police reported 64 hours of patrol time.

The current zoning manual will be updated in the fall after the census is updated. Petersburg currently works with Albion for zoning and would like to continue so in the future.

A short discussion was held on over-hanging trees. The weather has been nice, and it is a good time to start trimming some problem areas. Always a good idea to offer help to any neighbors.

The grill that was donated to the Community Club was discussed. The community club offered to provide the concrete for it, to get it placed in the park. The grill will be placed in the center of the shelter in the park.

Ordinance over Faust and Thieman properties will be forwarded to April meeting.

Werner made a motion to approve 3C's Special Designated License for March 28, 2021, second by Koch, all present voted aye, motion carried.

Discussion was held regarding a news article stating the Village funds. Explanation was provided by the board informing how the Village budgets funds yearly. The Village and Rural board currently hold an interlocal agreement, explaining the share of costs between Village and Rural board for general expenses. The Village board discussed updating the interlocal agreement with the Rural board. The Village wants to help the Rural board. The recent ambulance purchase was unexpected and a time sensitive issue, the Village board wasn't previously aware of, so the request for funds to assist in the purchase was not budgeted.

Discussion was held on armor coat. Prothman presented the quotes he got from different companies. H&L was quoted at a more reasonable price, while using less resources. Board decided to do further research with surrounding towns with their experiences with H&L before approaching a final decision. Stokes made a motion to get gravel from Emme's, second by Thieman, all present voted aye, motion carried.

Bids for roll off containers were presented. Stokes made a motion to hire Albracht Disposal, for roll off containers, second by Koch, all present voted aye, motion carried.

Discussion was held on looking into getting an enclosed structure for a generator for the sewer plant.

A decision was made to extend the open bids for surplus property until the April meeting.

Thieman made a motion to adjourn the meeting second by Werner, all present voted aye.

Meeting adjourned at 8:50 p.m.

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Corey Stokes, Chairman

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ATTEST: Sundae Provencher, Clerk-Treasurer