

* CITY OF PERU COMMON COUNCIL MINUTES *

PERU CITY HALL, COUNCIL CHAMBERS

PERU, INDIANA

November 7, 2022

6 PM

Public Meeting call to order at 5:15 for hearing on Fire Departments application for a USDA Grant to purchase an ambulance. Chief Hawk presented information on other contributors and that bid packages were sent out for the ambulance. Meeting was closed at 5:30 PM.

Public Hearing cancelled by Tidd scheduled for 5:30pm. Brooke Robertson used the time to speak on a Broadband Survey that they needed people to participate in. Brooke also updated those in attendance on events for the upcoming Chriskindlmkt.

Public Meeting was called to order at 5:45PM by Mayor Hewitt for Resolution No. 16-2022 for an additional appropriation. Meeting was closed at 5:50 PM.

The Common Council of the City of Peru, Indiana met in regular session at City Hall at 6:00 p.m. on October 3, 2022. The following members were present: Steve Anderson, Tom Gustin, Mark Ramsey, Patricia Russell, Peter Sahaidachny and Betsy Wolfe, Kathleen Plothow.

Others present were Mayor Miles Hewitt, City Clerk/Treasurer Susan Rylands, City Attorney Dustin Kern, department heads and other interested persons.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE - led by Mark Ramsey

INVOCATION – led by Brent Wedding

ROLL CALL – Anderson, Gustin, Plothow, Ramsey, Russell, Sahaidachny, Wolfe were all present.

READING & CORRECTING JOURNAL - of minutes of Regular Meeting on October 3, 2022

Sahaidachny made a motion, seconded by Anderson to adopt the minutes as written.

Roll Call: 7 Ayes 0 Nays

Motion Passed

LIASON COMMUNICATIONS:

Ramsey: Animal Control; County Council, Street Department, and Parks Department

Plothow: None

Betsy: Planning Commission

Anderson: None

Sahaidachny: County Council

Gustin: Solid Waste

UNFINISHED BUSINESS: NONE

NEW BUSINESS:

ADDITIONAL APPROPRIATION RESOLUTION NO. 16-2022

Whereas, it has been determined that it is now necessary to appropriate more money that was originally appropriated in the annual budget:

Motion to consider Resolution No. 16-2022 was made by Wolfe, seconded by Russell. Roll call vote was taken with 7 Ayes, 0 Nays. MOTION CARRIED

Motion to approve Resolution No. 16-2022 was made by Russell, seconded by Wolfe. Roll call vote was taken with 7 Ayes, 0 Nays

MOTION CARRIED

Ordinance No. 30-2022 was cancelled by requester prior to meeting

CITY OF PERU COMMON COUNCIL ORDINANCE #32-2022

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND ORDINANCE 151.006 (B)

Motion to consider Ordinance #32-2022 was made by Wolfe, seconded by Russell. Roll call vote was taken with 7 Ayes, 0 Nays. MOTION CARRIED

Motion to approve Ordinance #32-2022 was made by Wolfe, seconded by Anderson. Roll call vote was taken with 7 Ayes, 0 Nays.

MOTION CARRIED

ORDINANCE #33-2022

AN ORDINANCE TO VACATE AN UNDEVELOPED STREET IN THE CITY OF PERU

Motion to consider Ordinance #33-2022 was made by Wolfe, seconded by Plochow. Roll call vote was taken with 7 Ayes, 0 Nays. MOTION CARRIED

Motion to approve Ordinance #33-2022 was made by Wolfe, seconded by Anderson. Roll call vote was taken with 7 Ayes, 0 Nays.

MOTION CARRIED

Chief Hawk stepped forward and handed out a financial report on station #2 per the request by Council Plothow. Chief Hawk answered questions by council on costs in the report.

COMMUNICATIONS:

Gustin invited all to attend the Quigley Festival to be held this weekend.

Council Wolfe reminded everyone to get out and vote in the upcoming election.

Sahaidachny informed everyone of an upcoming benefit to be held on November 26th for Gary Loe to be held at the Mannechor in Peru.

ADJOURNMENT:

Motion was made by Wolfe to adjourn the meeting, seconded by Anderson. All said Aye.

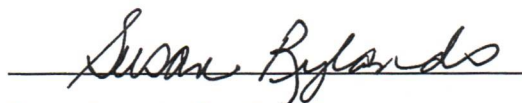
MEETING ADJOURNED



Miles Hewitt, Council President,

Mayor of Peru, Indiana

Attest:



Susan Rylands, City Clerk Treasurer

City of Peru, Indiana