

**REGULAR MEETING OF THE BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS
AND SAFETY OF THE CITY OF PERU, INDIANA,**

April 4, 2023

The Board of Public Works and Safety of the City of Peru, Indiana, met in regular session at 4:00 pm on March 7, 2023, with the following members present: Mayor Miles Hewitt and Board member Matthew Jelenek, City Clerk/Treasurer Kurt Krauskopf, and City Attorney Dustin Kern. Also in attendance were department heads and other interested parties.

A motion was made by Board Member Dausch, seconded by Board Member Jelenek, to suspend the rules and dispense with the reading and correcting of the Journal of Minutes for the regular meeting on March 21, 2023.

MOTION CARRIED

Motion was made to accept the payment of claims submitted on April 4, 2023

Payment of Claims:	\$ 437,980.65	Motion-Jelenek	Second-Dausch
Regular Payroll	\$ 202,113.53	Motion-Dausch	Second-Jelenek
Pension Payroll	\$ 88,751.56	Motion – Jelenek	Second-Dausch
Crossing Guard Payroll	\$ 5,990.77	Motion-Dausch	Second-Jelenek

MOTIONS CARRIED

OLD BUSINESS:

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NEW BUSINESS:

Chief Sofianos presented a letter recommending the promotion of Jay Richardson to the rank of Captain replacing Steve Hoover who retired last month. It was moved by Board Member Dausch, seconded by Board Member Jelenek to accept the recommendation. Motion carried.

A request from Stephanie Graf was heard to waive the user fee for the use of the amphitheater for a Juneteenth celebration. The correct date of the use of the amphitheater should be June 17th. It was moved by Board Member Dausch, seconded by Board Member Jelenek, to correct the agenda to reflect the date to Saturday, June 17th. Motion carried. Board Member Dausch, seconded by Board Member Jelenek to approve the request for use on the corrected date. Motion carried.

A request was heard from George Morris for a temporary closure of a block on East Fifth Street between Benton and Godfroy streets on Saturday May 13th. It was moved by Board Member Dausch, seconded by Board Member modify the times of the closure. The agenda incorrectly stated 5:00 pm to 11:00pm. The actual requested times should be 12:00pm until midnight. It was moved by Board Member Dausch, seconded by Board Member Jelenek, to change the times. Motion carried. It was moved by Board Member Jelenek, seconded by Board Member Dausch to approve the request with the corrected time period. Motion carried.

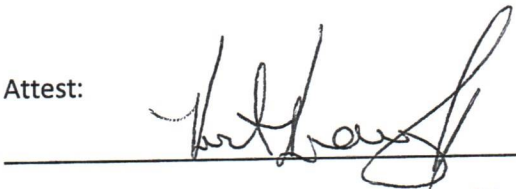
Motion made by Board Member Dausch, seconded by Board Member Jelenek to adjourn. Motion carried.



Myles Hewitt, Mayor

City of Peru, Indiana

Attest:



Kurt Krauskopf Clerk-Treasurer City of Peru Indiana