

City Council Minutes  
June 15, 2010

REGULAR MEETING at City Hall  
Petersburg, Illinois

I. CALL TO ORDER

Mayor John Stiltz called the City Council to order at 7:00 p.m.

II. PRELIMINARY MATTERS

Members present were Mayor John Stiltz, Aldermen Ray Jordan, Keith Wilson, Kevin Molohon, Perry Wilson, Stacey Frick, Ken Ortman, Treasurer Dave Frick and City Clerk Sue Freeland.

Mayor Stiltz led the Council in the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America.

A motion was made by Alderman K.Wilson and seconded by Alderman Ortman to approve the agenda as amended. Votes: P.Wilson, yes; Molohon, yes; Ortman, yes; Jordan, yes; K.Wilson, yes; Frick, yes. Mayor Stiltz declared the MOTION CARRIED.

III. CITY CLERK

A motion was made by Alderman Ortman and seconded by Alderman Jordan to approve the minutes from the regular meeting of June 1, 2010 as amended. Votes: Ortman, yes; Jordan, yes; K.Wilson, yes; Frick, yes; P.Wilson, yes; Molohon, yes. Mayor Stiltz declared the MOTION CARRIED.

A motion was made by Alderman Jordan and seconded by Alderman Frick to approve the minutes from the Executive session of June 1, 2010 as presented. Votes: Ortman, yes; Jordan, yes; K.Wilson, yes; Frick, yes; P.Wilson, yes; Molohon, yes. Mayor Stiltz declared the MOTION CARRIED.

The City Clerk presented the warrant list. A motion was made by Alderman Frick and seconded by Alderman Molohon to approve payment of the bills as listed on the Accounts Payable and Warrant List as presented. Votes: Molohon, yes; Ortman, yes; Jordan, yes; K.Wilson; Frick, yes; P.Wilson, yes. Mayor Stiltz declared the MOTION CARRIED.

A motion was made by Alderman Ortman and seconded by Alderman P.Wilson to approve Ordinance 2010-06 "An Ordinance Ascertaining and Adopting Prevailing Rate of Wage". VOTES: Frick, yes; P.Wilson, yes; Molohon, yes; Ortman, yes; Jordan, yes; K.Wilson, yes. Mayor Stiltz declared the MOTION CARRIED.

IV. HEARING OF CITIZENS

None

V. DEPARTMENTAL REPORTS

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**A. Water**

Georgia Ed presented the Water Collector's report for May 2010. A motion was made by Alderman Ortman and seconded by Alderman P.Wilson to accept the Water Collector's report for May 2010 and approve the requested adjustments as presented. VOTES: K.Wilson, yes; Frick, yes; P.Wilson, yes; Molohon, yes; Ortman, yes; Jordan, yes. Mayor Stiltz declared the MOTION CARRIED.

The Council reviewed the Water Department report. A motion was made by Alderman P.Wilson and seconded by Alderman Jordan to accept the Water Superintendent's report as presented. VOTES: P.Wilson, yes; Molohon, yes; Ortman, yes; Jordan, yes; K.Wilson, yes; Frick, yes. Mayor Stiltz declared the MOTION CARRIED.

**B. Street**

The Council reviewed the Street Department report.

A motion was made by Alderman Ortman and seconded by Alderman K.Wilson to accept the Personnel Committee's recommendation and authorize Street Superintendent Nimmo to hire no more than 2 part-time summer employees at the hourly rate of \$9.00. VOTES: Frick, yes; P.Wilson, yes; Molohon, yes; Ortman, yes; Jordan, yes; K.Wilson, yes. Mayor Stiltz declared the MOTION CARRIED.

**C. Police**

The Council reviewed the Police Department report.

**D. Zoning**

The Council reviewed the Zoning Department report.

**E. Fire**

Fire Chief Matt Heubner updated the Council on the Fire Department's activities.

**VI. OFFICERS' REPORTS**

**A. Mayor's Report**

Discussion was held on alternate retail electric suppliers. Glacier Energy and Direct Energy contacted the City and would like to look at our energy costs and prepare a presentation for the Council. The Council approved the request by consensus.

Collins Plumbing and Heating estimated it would cost \$1650.00 to repair the air conditioning compressor. The Council requested Mayor Stiltz get other bids for the repair. A motion was made by Alderman Jordan and seconded by Alderman K.Wilson to authorize repair to the air conditioning compressor at a cost not to exceed \$1650.00, after getting further bids. VOTES: Frick, yes; P.Wilson, yes; Molohon, yes; Ortman, yes; Jordan, yes; K.Wilson, yes. Mayor Stiltz declared the MOTION CARRIED.

**B. Treasurer's Report**

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Treasurer Dave Frick presented the Treasurer's report. A motion was made by Alderman Ortman and seconded by Alderman K.Wilson to accept the Treasurer's report for May 2010 as presented. VOTES: Frick, yes; K.Wilson, yes; Molohon, yes; Ortman, yes; Jordan, yes; P.Wilson, yes. Mayor Stiltz declared the MOTION CARRIED.

**VII. STANDING COMMITTEES' REPORT**

**A. Finance:** A motion was made by Alderman Molohon and seconded by Alderman Ortman to accept the Finance Committee's recommendation and accept the 2010-2011 fiscal year budget as presented by the Treasurer, post the budget for public view and set a Public Hearing for Tuesday, July 6, 2010. VOTES: Frick, yes; P.Wilson, yes; Molohon, yes; Ortman, yes; Jordan, yes; K.Wilson, yes. Mayor Stiltz declared the MOTION CARRIED.

A motion was made by Alderman Jordan and seconded by Alderman K.Wilson to accept the Finance Committee's minutes from June 8, 2010 as presented. Votes: Jordan, yes; K.Wilson, yes; Frick, yes; P.Wilson, abstain; Molohon, yes; Ortman, yes. Mayor Stiltz declared the MOTION CARRIED.

B. Judiciary: No report

C. Streets: No report

D. Police: No report

E. Health: No report

F. Fire: No report

G. Buildings and Grounds: No report

H. Playgrounds and Parks: No report

I. Water and Sewer: No report

**J. Personnel:** A motion was made by Alderman Ortman and seconded by Alderman K.Wilson to authorize Superintendent Nimmo to advertise for a full-time Street Department employee. VOTES: P.Wilson, yes; Frick, yes; K.Wilson, yes; Molohon, yes; Ortman, yes; Jordan, yes. Mayor Stiltz declared the MOTION CARRIED.

**VIII. SPECIAL COMMITTEES' REPORT**

**A. Tree City:** A motion was made by Alderman K.Wilson and seconded by Alderman Jordan to accept the Tree Committee minutes of May 10, 2010 as presented. VOTES: Frick, yes; K.Wilson, yes; Molohon, yes; Ortman, yes; Jordan, yes; Wilson, yes. Mayor Stiltz declared the MOTION CARRIED

**B. Library:** A motion was made by Alderman K.Wilson and seconded by Alderman Jordan to accept the Library Board minutes of May 10, 2010 as presented. VOTES: Frick, yes; K.Wilson, yes; Molohon, yes; Ortman, yes; Jordan, yes; Wilson, yes. Mayor Stiltz declared the MOTION CARRIED.

C. Plan Commission: No report

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- D. Zoning Board of Appeals: No report
- E. Revolving Loan Committee: No report
- F. E.L. Masters Board: No report.
- G. Community Development: No report

**IX. UNFINISHED BUSINESS**

Mayor Stiltz informed the Council that Ameren may still remove trees in town.

**X. NEW BUSINESS**

None

**XI. HEARING OF CITIZENS**

Clerk Freeland informed the Council that the PORTA Problem Solvers won the international competition in LaCrosse, Wi, and congratulated the team on their success.

**XII. ADJOURNMENT**

A motion was made by Alderman Frick and seconded by Alderman K.Wilson to adjourn. Votes: Molohon, yes; Ortman, yes; Jordan, yes; K.Wilson, yes; Frick, yes; P.Wilson, yes. Mayor Stiltz declared the MOTION CARRIED, and the meeting adjourned at 7:30 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

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Sue Freeland, City Clerk

Approved: July 6, 2010