City Council Minutes March 23, 2021

WATER/SEWER COMMITTEE MEETING at City Hall Petersburg, Illinois

I. CALL TO ORDER

Mayor Rick Snyder called the Water Committee to order at 7:40 p.m.

II. PRELIMINARY MATTERS

A. Members present were Mayor Rick Snyder, Committee Chair Bruce Gorman, Andrew Gain and Kevin Molohon. Also present were City Clerk Ken Ortman, Street Superintendent Dave Troxell, Alderman Mike Allison, Nate Grosboll, Rick Sonnemaker and John Sawyer with Fehr Graham Engineering.

III. SEWER RATE DISCUSSION

A. Discussion on reasons for raising rates for the Sewer Treatment Plant. John Sewer gave the reasoning behind the State of Illinois or USDA requirements for obtaining a grant or loan. To get to 1% of the medium household income of \$46306.00 the sewer rate would have to increase to \$6.22

IV. COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATIONS

A. The Committee will look at the water rates vs. the sewer and try to adjust the water rates to compensate for the increase of the sewer rates.

V. ADJOURNMENT

A motion was made by Alderman Gain and seconded by Alderman Molohon to adjourn the meeting. VOTES: Molohon, yes; Gain, yes; Gorman, yes. MOTION CARRIED. Meeting Adjourned at 8:17 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

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Rick Sonnemaker, Committee Chairman

Approved: April 6, 2021