

**City Council Minutes  
November 14, 2024**

**WATER/SEWER & PERSONNEL COMMITTEE MEETING  
at City Hall  
Petersburg, Illinois**

**I. CALL TO ORDER**

Clerk Ken Ortman called the Committees to order at 7:00 p.m.

**II. ROLL CALL**

Members present were Aldermen Neil Conklin, Andrew Gain, Bruce Gorman and Rick Sonnemaker. Also present were City Clerk Ken Ortman and Asst. Water/Sewer Superintendent Kyle Honkala.

**II. EXECUTIVE SESSION**

A motion made by Alderman Sonnemaker seconded by Alderman Conklin to move to Executive Session. VOTES: Sonnemaker, yes; Gorman, yes; Conklin, yes; Gain, yes. MOTION CARRIED.

**III. REGULAR SESSION**

A motion made by Alderman Sonnemaker seconded by Alderman Conklin to resume Regular Session. VOTES: Sonnemaker, yes; Gorman, yes; Conklin, yes; Gain, yes. MOTION CARRIED.

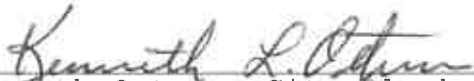
A motion made by Alderman Gain seconded by Alderman Gorman to recommend to the Full Council to hire both Ritchell Riley and Darwin Rademaker for the Water/Sewer Department with a starting rate of \$18.00 per hour. VOTES: Gain, yes; Sonnemaker, yes; Gorman, yes, Conklin, yes. MOTION CARRIED.

**XII. ADJOURNMENT**

A motion was made by Alderman Conklin and seconded by Alderman Gain to adjourn the meeting. VOTES: Gain, yes; Sonnemaker, yes; Gorman, yes; Conklin, yes. MOTION CARRIED. Meeting Adjourned at 8:06 p.m.

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Respectfully submitted,

  
Kenneth Ortman, City Clerk

Approved: November 19, 2024