

**REGULAR MEETING OF THE BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS  
AND SAFETY OF THE CITY OF PERU, INDIANA  
NOVEMBER 5, 2024**

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The Board of Public Works and Safety of the City of Peru, Indiana, met in regular session at 3:00pm November 5, 2024, with the following members present: Mayor Don Sturch, Bruce Carson, Clerk Treasurer Andrea Newnum. Also in attendance were department heads and other interested parties.

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A motion was made by Board Member Walker, seconded by Board Member Sturch, to suspend the reading and approve the minutes from the October 15th meeting.

**MOTION CARRIED**

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**PAYMENT OF CLAIMS**

Payment of Claims 11/5	\$ 99,675.46	Motion-Walker Second Sturch
Regular Payroll 10/18	\$ 209,076.84	Motion-Walker Second Sturch
Monthly Council/Cross guard payroll	\$ 6,859.34	Motion-Walker Second Sturch
Pension Payroll 10/25	\$ 82,869.67	Motion-Walker Second Sturch
Regular Payroll 11/1	\$ 209,201.02	Motion-Walker Second Sturch

**MOTIONS CARRIED**

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**OLD BUSINESS: NONE**

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**NEW BUSINESS:**

A request was made by Erick McCoy from Story Church to activate designated drop-off/ pick up area on 6<sup>th</sup> Street for members with lower mobility to be able to access the facility easier or reactivate the area in front of Von Liche. Even if it is for a limited time 8a-1p Sundays. Todd from the traffic department stated there use to be a bus loading and unloading area in front of the old YMCA and that got removed when they closed. Mr. McCoy stated that he had not been in contact with Von Liche, however he intends to. Mayor Sturch made a motion to approve the request to add an area for drop-off and pick up on Sundays between 8am and 1pm in front of Von Liche pending a letter of agreement from Von Liche, seconded by Board Member Walker .

**MOTION CARRIED**

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A request made by Erick McCoy from Story Church would like to repair the concrete ramp that allows entry to the alley off 6<sup>th</sup> Street between Story Church and Von Liche, the current concrete is in despair and would be difficult for a wheelchair to maneuver there. Mayor Sturch stated that Story Church is wanting to repair this area that is much needed at their own expense. A motion was made by Mayor Sturch, seconded by Board Member Walker.

**MOTION CARRIED**

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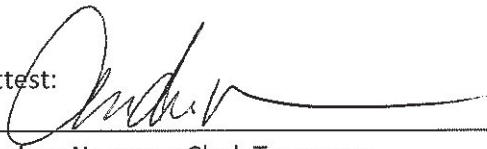
Request from Sandy Chittum for the 2025 Farmers Market starts on May 3<sup>rd</sup> and runs through September 27<sup>th</sup>, requesting closure of 5<sup>th</sup> Street from North Broadway to Court Street. A motion was made by Mayor Sturch, seconded by Board Member Walker

**MOTION CARRIED**

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**Communications: none**

With nothing further, Board Member Walker moved, seconded by Mayor Sturch to adjourn.

Attest: 

Andrea Newnum Clerk Treasurer  
City of Peru Indiana



Don Sturch, Mayor  
City of Peru, Indiana

These minutes are a summary of actions taken at the City of Peru Board of Works meetings. The full video of the meeting is available for viewing at [https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=1\\_1nDIOHr7U](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=1_1nDIOHr7U) for as long as this media is supported.