



CITY COUNCIL

February 6, 2023

A regular meeting of the City of Petoskey City Council was held in the City Hall Council Chambers, Petoskey, Michigan, on Monday, February 6, 2023. This meeting was called to order at 5:30 P.M.; then, after a recitation of the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America, a roll call then determined that the following were

Present: John Murphy, Mayor
Tina DeMoore, City Councilmember
Derek Shiels, City Councilmember
Brian Wagner, City Councilmember
Lindsey Walker, City Councilmember

Absent: None

Also in attendance were City Manager Shane Horn and City Clerk Sarah Bek.

Conduct Public Safety Director Interviews

The City Manager reviewed that the leadership team interviewed the same five candidates earlier in the day and was asking Council to conduct interviews since the Public Safety Director position is highly involved with the community.

City Councilmembers interviewed the five candidates which were Russell Girbach, Brandon Weber, Tim Rodwell, Adrian Karr and Todd Troxel. Councilmembers asked a series of questions to each candidate including, but not limited to, addressing community policing, budgetary issues, experience in three disciplines of public safety and interest in serving the Petoskey community.

Councilmembers thanked the City Manager on approach and including them in the process.

The City Manager reviewed that the position is ultimately his hire, but appreciated and valued Council's feedback and that the Public Safety Department is a good model and the process has been helpful with former Director Breed's succession planning.

There being no further business to come before the City Council, this February 6, 2023, meeting of the City Council adjourned at 9:13 P.M.

John Murphy, Mayor

Sarah Bek, City Clerk