

March 2, 2026

Mayor and Petersburg Borough Assembly Members,

I respectfully request Assembly approval for the Petersburg Police Department to enter into a Master Services and Purchasing Agreement with Axon Enterprise, Inc. and to approve the associated quote for public safety equipment, software, and services at locked-in multi-year pricing.

The proposed agreement will modernize and sustain critical public safety technology currently utilized by the Department, including body-worn cameras, TASER conducted energy weapons, in-car camera systems, digital evidence management, and AI-assisted documentation tools. These systems are fully integrated with our existing Axon platform and are essential to maintaining officer safety, evidentiary integrity, transparency, and operational efficiency.

Axon has provided Quote Q-809257-46064SB totaling \$378,897.58 over a ten-year term, with predictable annual payments of approximately \$37,889. This pricing reflects significantly bundled savings and includes scheduled equipment refresh cycles, training, and ongoing software services that reduce long-term replacement and lifecycle costs while protecting the Borough from inflation and future price escalation.

Approval of this agreement will ensure continued compatibility with our existing equipment, strengthen accountability and evidence management capabilities, and provide financial predictability through locked pricing. **The agreement also contains standard non-appropriation provisions, ensuring Assembly oversight through the annual budgeting process.**

For these reasons, I respectfully request Assembly approval to authorize execution of the Axon Master Services and Purchasing Agreement and approval of the associated quote for equipment and services.

Please feel free to contact me with any questions or if additional information would assist your review. I appreciate your continued support of public safety and the Petersburg Police Department.

Respectfully,

James Kerr
Chief of Police
Petersburg Police Department