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Long-time community leader Carl E. Louwe, 65 of Port Austin, passed away

Wednesday, Dec. 15 at his home, following a long illness.

He was born March 1, 1928 in Hazel Park, son of the late Oscar P. and Philomena (Heyer) Loews. He was united in marriage to Mary E. Everton on Aug. 13, 1949 in Detroit, and the family moved to Port Austin from Beridey in 1963.

He owned and operated the Village Butcher in Port Austin for 23 years and was active in many civic groups, including the Port Austin Village Council, Chamber of Commerce and Sewer/Water Authority. He was active in establishing the Scheurer Hospital Medical Clinic in Port Austin and served on the Scheurer Hospital Board.

Survivors include his wife Mary, plus four daughters, including Mrs. Allen (Terry) Collison of Pigeon; and four sons, including Timothy and wife Betty of

Linkville.

Funeral services were conducted at St. Michael's Catholic Church of Port Austin on Saturday, Dec. 18. The Rev. Robert Shine officiated, with buriel in the church cemetery. Knoblock Funeral Home of Kinde handled arrangements.