

The Dallas City City Council held its regular meeting on January 14, 2010, at 5:30 P.M. Mayor Higgins called the meeting to order with the following commissioners present: Joyce Ellison, Jason Gold, Esther Newberry, and Harold Northup.

Others attending the meeting were Tawny Wood and Rod Clark.

A motion was made by Newberry, and 2nd by Gold to accept the minutes of the December 17, 2009, meeting. Ellison, Gold, Newberry, and Northup AYE.

A motion was made by Gold, and 2nd by Newberry to pay bills. Ellison, Gold, Newberry, and Northup AYE.

Tawny Wood discussed having a Super Bowl party on Sunday, February 7, at the Circle C. Since the Circle C does not have a liquor license to be open on Sundays, she requested permission for the Circle C to be open on this date and serve liquor. A motion was made by Gold, and 2nd by Newberry to allow the Circle C to be open and serve liquor on Sunday, February 7, 2010, from Noon until 10 P.M. Gold, Newberry, and Northup AYE. Ellison NAY.

Discussed building that has been torn down but has not been cleaned up.

Discussed the recycling bin. It appears that this business has been sold and will keep on providing service to us. Therefore, the recycling bin is still open and available for use.

Discussed a letter from TEST Inc. notifying the city that per our contract with them, our monthly rate for 2010 for their contracted work will be \$3755.33.

Joyce Ellison left the meeting at 5:55 P.M.

Discussed the building in town that the city has filed suit against the property owner for continued violation of the city's nuisance ordinance. The city attorney reported that there has been a hearing held with the property owner and that another hearing is scheduled for January 22, 2010, at 10 A.M.

Discussed a letter the city attorney has sent to a property owner on a water service that needs to be changed within 90 days.

A motion was made by Northup, and 2nd by Newberry to sign an agreement with the Hancock County Highway Department to have them do the necessary bridge inspections for the City of Dallas City. Gold, Newberry, and Northup AYE. Ellison ABSENT.

A motion was made by Northup, and 2nd by Newberry to adjourn the meeting. Gold, Newberry, and Northup AYE. Ellison ABSENT.

The meeting was adjourned at 6:25 P.M.

Stanley K Vorhies, Deputy City Clerk