

The Dallas City Council held its regular meeting on June 10, 2010, at 5:30 P.M. Mayor Higgins called the meeting to order with the following commissioners present: Joyce Ellison, Esther Newberry, and Harold Northup. Jason Gold was absent.

Others attending the meeting were Ryan Thompson, Chris Classen, and John Hauk.

A motion was made by Newberry, and 2nd by Ellison to accept the minutes of the May 27, 2010, meeting. Ellison, Newberry, and Higgins AYE. Northup ABSTAIN. Gold ABSENT.

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

Discussed culverts at Ryan Thompson's residence.

A motion was made by Northup, and 2nd by Newberry to rescind the motion approved at the May 13, 2010, meeting to purchase the culvert and couplers for this project but not spend more than \$386.93. Ellison, Newberry, and Northup AYE. Gold ABSENT.

A motion was made by Northup, and 2nd by Newberry to purchase plastic double wall culvert from Timewell and agree to allow Ryan Thompson to install the tile at his residence, as long as Mr. Thompson provides the City with proof of insurance. Also, if necessary, the City will provide a grate. Ellison, Newberry, and Northup AYE. Gold ABSENT.

Discussed the bridges being replaced on East Third Street and East Fourth Street. The East Fourth Street bridge is now open to traffic, and it appears that the work on the East Third Street bridge is coming along well.

Chris Classen reported that the contractor on the East Third Street bridge is preparing to cap off the water main on both sides of the bridge. Discussed some minor repairs that he has recently done. He sent out the consumer confidence reports this week in the Shopper.

Discussed request from Connie Siemens and Kristin Kaminski at the last meeting for a donation to help pay for the fees involved in forming a non-profit organization that would take over the old high school building. It was decided to table this request until the non-profit organization is actually established.

Discussed stop signs in town that need to be replaced. New signs have been ordered to replace the ones that need to be replaced.

Discussed the Henderson County Multi-Jurisdictional Natural Hazards Mitigation Plan. A motion was made by Newberry, and 2nd by Ellison to adopt a resolution to approve the Henderson County Multi-Jurisdictional Natural Hazards Mitigation Plan. Ellison, Newberry, and Northup AYE. Gold Absent.

A motion was made by Ellison, and 2nd by Northup to pass Ordinance #592, Freedom of Information Act Compliance. Ellison, Newberry, and Northup AYE. Gold ABSENT.

Discussed making an ordinance for future culvert replacement. The city attorney will work on drawing up this ordinance.

Discussed properties that have not been mowed this year.

The John Shoemate Memorial Kids Fishing Tournament is scheduled to be held in Dallas City on June 19, 2010.

The City Council would like to congratulate the Illini West High School Bass Fishing Team for their State Championship.

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

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

Steven K Vorhies, City Clerk