

The Dallas City Council held its regular meeting on July 22, 2010, at 5:30 P.M. Mayor Higgins called the meeting to order with the following commissioners present: Jason Gold, Esther Newberry, and Harold Northup. Joyce Ellison was absent.

Others attending the meeting were Dave Blaesing, John Peterson, Dave Monti, Ryan Thompson, and Rod Clark.

A motion was made by Newberry, and 2nd by Gold to accept the minutes of the July 8, 2010, meeting. Gold, Newberry, and Higgins AYE. Northup ABSTAIN. Ellison ABSENT.

Dave Blaesing appeared regarding drainage by his property and traffic on East Fifth Street by his property.

John Peterson and Dave Monti appeared regarding water problems in front of their properties on East Fifth Street that are caused by hard rains. It appears that drainage on the south side of East Fifth Street may be causing some of the problems.

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

A motion was made by Northup, and 2nd by Newberry to pass Ordinance #593 for the levy and assessment of taxes for the May 1, 2010, to April 30, 2011, fiscal year. Gold, Newberry, and Northup AYE. Ellison ABSENT.

Discussed making a donation to the Illini West Loop Club. A motion was made by Newberry, and 2nd by Gold to donate \$50 to the Illini West Loop Club. Gold, Newberry, and Northup AYE. Ellison ABSENT.

Discussed the backhoe that the City is purchasing from the City of Carthage. It appears that it is in need of two new front tires. A motion was made by Northup, and 2nd by Newberry to purchase two new front tires for the backhoe being purchased from the City of Carthage. Gold, Newberry, and Northup AYE. Ellison ABSENT.

The City Council would like to "THANK" Harold Northup, Sr., Harold Northup, Jr., and Greg Ferrill for getting the boat docks put back into operation.

Discussed areas where brush needs to be cut and several areas of drainage problems.

Ryan Thompson discussed a grate that the City has agreed to furnish, if needed. It has been determined that this grate is going to be needed.

Discussed a request from Ike's to start serving alcohol on Sunday, August 1, at 9 A.M. for the city celebration's pancake breakfast. A motion was made by Newberry, and 2nd by Gold to allow Ike's to open at 9 A.M. on August 1, 2010. Newberry, Northup, and Higgins AYE. Gold ABSTAIN. Ellison ABSENT.

Discussed the sewer line from the new bridge at Elm Street and East Third Street to the 4-way stop.

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

The meeting was adjourned at 6:30 P.M.

Stanley K Vorhies, Deputy City Clerk