The Dallas City City Council held its regular meeting on January 27, 2016, at 5 p.m. Mayor Kevin Six called the meeting to order with the following commissioners present: Lila Gittings, Esther Newberry, Harold Northup Jr., and Greg Olson.

Others attending the meeting were Sharon Scott, Chris Classen, Colton Smith, and Eric Icenogle.

A motion was made by Newberry, and 2nd by Gittings to accept the minutes of the January 13, 2016, meeting. Gittings, Newberry, Northup, and Olson AYE.

Sharon Scott appeared regarding a problem with water not draining in front of her property. It appears that the problem is with the culvert that runs under Pine Street. The BNSF railroad has done what they can at this location, but the problem has not been solved. The council will have the city's streets employee check on this and see if this culvert can be repaired or if it needs to be replaced.

Chris Classen reported that a fan motor had to be replaced in the Greeky Hill booster station. He also reported that there appears to be a leak in a water main, but he has not been able to find it. He will continue to search for it. There is also a transducer that needs to be repaired at the sewer lagoon.

Doug Erickson has notified Mayor Six that it appears that the city's application for the second sewer grant is going to be denied as well. Mr. Erickson is planning on meeting with Mayor Six, Water Commissioner Newberry, and Chris Classen to discuss some other possible options for the city's sewer system.

Police Chief Colton Smith gave the council a 2015 year-end summary report. He presented the council with a proposal for a camara monitoring system at the city hall/police station building and the boat dock area. This will be discussed more at the next meeting.

Police Chief Smith also reported that the city's police pickup needs new tires. The council gave Chief Smith the authority to get prices from the local tire businesses and order them from the low bidder.

An application for a Class A-1 liquor license has been received from Craig Beck for the Ike's River Front Bar that he is in process of purchasing from Dale and Judy Clark. A motion was made by Newberry, and 2nd by Olson to approve the application for a Class A-1 liquor license to Craig Beck. Gittings, Newberry, Northup, and Olson AYE.

Discussed putting in a sidewalk at the city hall/police station from the back door to the parking area east of the building. A motion was made by Northup, and 2nd by Newberry to have the city employee put in this sidewalk when the weather permits. Gittings, Newberry, Northup, and Olson AYE.

Bids for the mowing of the city cemetery in 2016 were opened. The following bids were received:

Alex Sherwood Mowing	\$300 per mowing
Green Works, Kenneth Pope-Owner	\$435 per mowing
CSW Services, William Blanchard-Owner	\$425 per mowing
Langan Painting & Lawn Care, Shaun Langan-Owner	\$390 per mowing
Tammi Smith	\$625 per mowing
JCB Services, Charles Blanchard-Owner	\$580 per mowing
The Secret Garden	\$825 per mowing

It was decided to table the four lowest bids, contact references, and make a decision at the next meeting.

A motion was made by Newberry, and 2nd by Northup to adjourn the meeting. Gittings, Newberry, Northup, and Olson AYE.

The meeting was adjourned at 6:35 p.m.

Steven K Vorhies, City Clerk