

City Commissioners  
**Dan Streit**  
**Tom Budniak**  
**Pam Ward**  
**Lisa Crockett**

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Mayor  
**Bryan Coomer**

City Treasurer  
**Chris Russell**  
City Clerk  
**Brian Davis**  
City Attorney  
**L. Stanley Chauvin**  
City Engineer  
**Robert T. Trautwein**

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Monthly City Meeting  
Monday, January 25, 2016

Mayor Coomer opened the meeting at 7:01 p.m. The following commissioners and officials were present: Mayor Bryan Coomer, Commissioner Tom Budniak, Commissioner Lisa Crockett, Commissioner Dan Streit, City Clerk Brian Davis, City Treasurer Chris Russell, and City Engineer Ted Trautwein.

### **ATTENDANCE**

Sandy Sandsbury

### **DECEMBER 2015 MEETING MINUTES**

On a motion by Commissioner Budniak, and seconded by Commissioner Crockett, the minutes for the October 2015 meeting were approved as amended by a vote of 3-0.

### **TREASURER'S REPORT**

City Treasurer Russell presented the treasurer's report for December 2015. Commissioner Crockett made a motion to approve the Treasurer's Report as presented. Commissioner Budniak seconded. The motion passed on a vote of 3-0.

### **WARRANTS – BILLS FOR PAYMENT**

City Treasurer Russell presented the warrants for January 2016 (Warrants 01-01 to 01-07). Commissioner Budniak added 01-08 to Greenscapes in the amount of \$500.00. Commissioner Budniak also added 01-09 to 1 Call Services in the amount of \$82.00. Commissioner Crockett requested to add 01-10 to Compton Lawn & Landscape in the amount of \$12,700.00 for snow removal.

Commissioner Streit arrived approximately 7:10 p.m.

Chad Compton from Compton Lawn & Landscape discussed snow removal and his thoughts on his first rounds of snow removal in Barbourmeade. When asked his opinion on the best method to combat slick roads, Mr. Compton recommended pre-salting, then plowing, and then salting again. Brownsboro Farms employs this method, but they have fewer roads, and the costs can mount in a city as large as Barbourmeade. City Engineer Trautwein stated he would prefer to do more plowing and less salt as salt damages the roads and the grass along streets. Mayor Coomer and Commissioner Crockett will continue to communicate and inform Mr. Compton on how to treat the roads during winter storm events.

Commissioner Budniak made a motion to pay the warrants as amended. Commissioner Crockett seconded. The motion approved by a vote of 4-0.

### **PUBLIC ITEMS**

Sandi Sansbury, 3508 Breeland Avenue, voiced her displeasure with the snow removal during the recent weather events. She asked why the streets couldn't be black like in Brownsboro Farms. Commissioner

Crockett explained snow and ice do not melt as quickly because of the tree cover throughout much of the city.

**MAYOR'S REPORT**

Mayor Coomer reported that the Dinah Court street signs had been reinstalled. Commissioner Budniak stated he thinks the crosswalk sign is in the wrong spot. Mayor Coomer also reported there is a new sign down at Barbourmeade and Fox Glove.

**SANITATION**

Nothing to report.

**ROADS & MAINTENANCE/ANIMALS**

Commissioner Crockett had nothing left to report.

**BEAUTIFICATION**

Commissioner Budniak had nothing to report.

**SAFETY & INSURANCE**

Commissioner Streit reported there were 77 hours of patrol in November and 72 hours in December. Of particular note was the report of two home invasions. He did not have details but hopes to report back in February.

**CITY ENGINEER**

City Engineer Trautwein reported the street paving contract has not yet been signed. Mayor Coomer stated he was waiting to get the City's sales tax exemption number. This information needs to be added to the contract. City Treasurer Russell stated he will contact the State and get the number.

**OLD BUSINESS**

Commissioner Crockett stated the entrance sign will be fixed this week when temperatures are higher. She said the repair will be \$600. Commissioner Budniak made a motion to prepare a check for \$600 to Acuna Masonry for the repairs. Commissioner Crockett seconded the motion. The motion was approved by a vote of 4-0.

**NEW BUSINESS**

City Treasurer Russell informed the Commission about a phone scam where people report they are from the IRS and demand money. They appear to be targeting senior citizens.

There being no further business to discuss, Commissioner Budniak made a motion to adjourn. Commissioner Crockett seconded. The motion was approved unanimously. The meeting was adjourned at 8:16 p.m.

Bryan Coomer, Mayor

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Attest: Brian Davis, City Clerk

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