

Dawson City Council  
December 16th, 2025  
5:30 pm

Councilpersons present: Jeff Olson, Vince Adelman, David Hansen and Dean Petersen. Others present: Mayor JT Schacherer, City Clerk Kristin Daline, Deputy Clerk/EDA Director Tyler Franzky, David Pederson, Peggy Crosby and Burt Faehn.

Mayor Schacherer called the meeting to order at 5:30 pm and everyone repeated the Pledge of Allegiance.

Councilman Olson motioned to approve the agenda with a second from Councilman Petersen. Voting in favor, Adelman, Hansen, Petersen and Olson. Absent: Stafford and Bothun. Motion passed.

Councilman Petersen motioned to approve consent agenda item 4, December 2nd, 2025 council minutes with a second from Councilman Hansen. Voting in favor, Adelman, Hansen, Petersen and Olson. Absent: Stafford and Bothun. Motion passed.

#### 10 Minute Public Forum

Mayor Schacherer opened the 10-minute public forum at 5:31 pm. Resident Burt Faehn addressed the council inquiring about shoveling around the fire hydrants. Councilman Adelman said it is the homeowner's responsibility to shovel around the hydrants unless there is a snowstorm that produces a lot of snow. The city crew in the past has taken the payload to clear as much as they can. Tyler will talk with the city crew and maybe put something in the paper. Hearing nothing else, Mayor Schacherer closed the 10-minute public forum at 5:34 pm.

#### Reports of officers, boards and committees

The minutes from the employee/volunteer meeting were included in the packet. Tyler's City Manager contract was discussed.

#### City Manager Jill Kemen and Tyler Franzky's report

The down payment for TruNorth was submitted to the state today. As stated in the Managers Memo, there will be a meeting regarding finding a new city attorney.

#### New Business

Tyler Franzky's City Manager Contract was presented. No discussion was had. Councilman Hansen motioned to approve the contract with a second from Councilman Petersen. Voting in favor, Hansen, Petersen and Olson. Against, Adelman. Absent: Stafford and Bothun. Motion passed.

The Ehler's monthly portfolio summary was provided in the packet as information only.

Ordinances & Resolutions

The second reading for water/sewer ordinance No. 329 was presented. Councilman Olson motioned to approve ordinance No. 329 with a second from Councilman Petersen. Voting in favor, Adelman, Hansen, Petersen and Olson. Absent: Stafford and Bothun. Motion passed. Councilman Adelman asked about the increase for the industrial BOD, TSS and Flow loadings. Increases were based on the rate study that Ehler's did for the city that was approved by Council.

The summary for water/sewer ordinance No. 329 was presented. Councilman Hansen motioned to approve the summary with a second from Councilman Petersen. Voting in favor, Adelman, Hansen, Petersen and Olson. Absent: Stafford and Bothun. Motion passed. The summary will be printed in the paper.

Miscellaneous Announcements

The next council meeting is Tuesday, January 6th at 5:30 pm.

Councilman Hansen asked if there have been any leads on a new city attorney. Tyler stated the city will need to go out for RFP's.

Hearing nothing else, Mayor Schacherer adjourned the meeting at 5:42 pm.

Respectfully submitted,

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Kristin Daline, City Clerk

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JT Schacherer, Mayor