



# City of Salem Traffic and Parking Commission

## NOTICE OF MEETING

**Thursday, March 18, 2021 @ 6:00PM**

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## **MEETING AGENDA**

- I. ROLL CALL**
- II. PUBLIC COMMENTS (15 min period of no more than 3 min per person\*)**
- III. NEW/OLD BUSINESS (each item limited to 3 min per person\*)**
  - a. North/Summer/Essex Intersection** – The Commission will discuss concerns raised by residents re: the traffic signal phasing, as well as hear from the consultants at VHB who recently completed an analysis of the intersection.
  - b. Valley Street Traffic Calming** – Staff will present a proposal in response to the request for traffic calming along the Valley St corridor including the intersection with Parlee Street.
  - c. Request for Traffic Ordinance Recommendation**
    - i. Stop Sign on Dodge Street at Lafayette Street** – The Commission will consider a request for a stop sign to be installed on Dodge Street at the intersection with Lafayette Street.
- IV. OTHER BUSINESS THAT MAY LEGALLY COME BEFORE THE COMMISSION**
- V. MEETING SCHEDULE**
- VI. MEETING MINUTES APPROVAL**
- VII. ADJOURNMENT**

**\*Per person comment period may be longer per the Chair's discretion**

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