City of Salem, Massachusetts Office of the City Clerk

Cheryl A. LaPointe City Clerk



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February 20, 2018

MEETING NOTICE AND AGENDA

"Know Your Rights Under the Open Meeting Law, M.G.L. c. 30A ss. 18-25, and City Ordinance Sections 2-2028 through 2-2033."

The City Council will meet in the City Council Chamber on Thursday, February 22, 2018 at 7:00 P.M. to hold its regular meeting for the purpose of discussing any and all business.

The Agenda for this meeting is posted on the website and also listed below.

Very truly yours,

ATTEST:

CHERYL A. LAPOINTE CITY CLERK

REGULAR MEETING

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A Regular Meeting of the City Council held in the Council Chamber on Thursday, February 22, 2018 at 7:00 P.M. for the purpose of transacting any and all business. Notice of this meeting was posted on February 20, 2018, at 11:49 A.M. This meeting is being taped and is live on S.A.T.V.

Councillors absent:

Council President Gerard presided.

Councillor meeting.

moved to dispense with the reading of the record of the previous

VOTED

President Gerard requested that everyone please rise to recite the Pledge of Allegiance.

PUBLIC TESTIMONY

Public Testimony not to exceed 15 minutes

Name must be on roster 30 minutes prior to meeting

Agenda items only

REGULAR MEETING

HEARINGS

NONE

REGULAR MEETING

APPOINTMENTS AND REAPPOINTMENTS

Held from the last meeting, Mayor's appointment of the following to serve as members of the Salem Affordable Housing Trust Fund Board of Trustees with their terms to expire on:

Name Rebecca Curran Mickey Northcutt	Address 14 Clifton Ave., Salem 9 Northey St., Salem	Term to Exp January 25, January 25,	2020			
Action Contemplated						
Councillor Turiel	Confirmation by roll call vote	Yeas	Nays	Abs		
Held from the last meeting, the Mayor's appointment of Deborah Amaral to serve as a member of the Salem Parks and Recreation Commission with a term to expire on May 1, 2018						
Action Contemplated						
Councillor Flynn	Confirmation by roll call vote	Yeas	Nays	Abs		
Held from the last meeting, the Mayor's appointment of Attorney Chris Drucas to serve as a member of the Salem Zoning Board of Appeals with a term to expire on May 1, 2018						
Action Contemplated						

Confirmation by roll call vote

Nays

Abs

Yeas

Councillor Peterson

REGULAR MEETING

APPOINTMENTS AND REAPPOINTMENTS

Held from the last meeting, the Mayor's appointment of Benjamin Anderson and Grace Harrington to serve as members of the Salem Affordable Housing Trust Fund Board of Trustees with their terms to expire on February 1, 2020

Action Contemplated						
Councillor Peterson	Confirmation by roll ca	ll vote Y	⁄eas Nays	Abs		
The Mayor's appointment expire on February 22, 20	of Annie Scott, to the Salem Bo 21	eautification	Committee for a to	erm to		
Councillor	Suspension of the rules	Council	lor	Objection		
Action Contemplated Councillor Madore	Held under the Rules					
The Mayor's appointment of Nick Angeramo, to the Salem's Youth Commission for a term to expire on May 12, 2019						
Councillor	Suspension of the rules	Council	lor	Objection		
Action Contemplated						
Councillor Madore	Heid under the Rules					

REGULAR MEETING

APPOINTMENTS AND REAPPOINTMENTS

The Mayor's reappointment of the following to serve as members of the Salem Conservation Commission with their terms to expire on February 22, 2021

Thomas Campbell, 23 Olde Village Dr. Tyler Glode, 2 Heritage Dr. #36 Bart Hoskins, 22 Larchmont Rd.

Action Contemplated

Councillor Dibble

Confirmation by roll call vote

Yeas

Nays

Abs

The Mayor's reappointment of the following to serve as members of the Salem Zoning Board of Appeals with the following terms to expire on

Paul Viccica, 35 Broad St., Salem Peter Copelas, 40 Warren St., Salem February 22, 2019 March 8, 2023

Action Contemplated

Councillor Peterson

Confirmation by roll call vote

Yeas

Nays

Abs

The Mayor's reappointment of Sara Fiore to serve as a member of the Salem Beautification Committee with the term to expire on February 22, 2021

Action Contemplated

Councillor Turiel

Confirmation by roll call vote

Yeas

Nays

Abs

REGULAR MEETING

APPOINTMENTS AND REAPPOINTMENTS

The Mayor's reappointment of Damian Johnson to serve as a member of the Salem Board of Assessors with the term to expire on February 22, 2021

Action Contemplated					
Councillor Furey	Confirmation by roll call vote	Yeas	Nays	Abs	
The Mayor's reappointment of D Health with the term to expire or	r. Jeremy Schiller to serve as a m n February 22, 2021	ember of th	ne Salem Boa	rd of	
Action Contemplated					
Councillor Turiel	Confirmation by roll call vote	Yeas	- Nays	Abs	
The Mayor's reappointment of George Barbuzzi to serve as a member of the Salem Council on Aging with the term to expire on February 22, 2021					
Action Contemplated					
Councillor Turiel	Confirmation by roll call vote	Yeas	Nays	Abs	
The Mayor's reappointment of Jane Turiel to serve as a member of the Salem Historical Commission with the term to expire on February 22, 2020					
Action Contemplated					
Councillor Madore	Confirmation by roll call vote	Yeas	Nays	Abs	

REGULAR MEETING

COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE MAYOR

ORDER: Appropriation of \$250,000.00 within the "Capital Outlay Renovation & Repair" account for the replacement of 2 elevators at the Museum Place Parking Garage.

Councillor

suspension of the rules

Councillor

object

Action Contemplated

Councillor Turiel

Moved Adoption

Voted

Or Refer to Committee on Administration

And Finance under the rules

ORDER: Appropriation of \$80,901.48 within the "Capital Outlay Renovation & Repair" account to be expended for additional cost at 90 Washington Street.

Councillor

suspension of the rules

Councillor

object

Action Contemplated

Councillor Turiel

Moved Adoption

Voted

Or Refer to Committee on Administration

And Finance under the rules

RESOLUTION: authorize the Mayor to execute the Tax Increment Exemption Agreement between the City of Salem and 65 Washington Street LLC, said agreement will provide an exemption on property taxes based on the growth portion in assessed valuation of the property for a period of 5 years.

Action Contemplated

Councillor Turiel

Moved Adoption

Voted

Or Refer to Committee on Administration

And Finance under the rules

REGULAR MEETING

MAYOR'S INFORMATIONAL PAGE

NONE

REGULAR MEETING

MOTIONS, ORDERS, AND RESOLUTIONS

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ORDERED: That the monthly financial report dated January 31, 2018 be referred to the Committee on Administration and Finance.

Action Contemplated

Councillor Turiel

Moved Adoption

Voted

Councillor Dibble

ORDEDRED: That the Planning Director work with the City Solicitor to consider and develop amendments to the current Zoning Ordinance Section 3.2 (Accessory Use) to allow for a special permit provision relative to agricultural use. The Planning Director shall report their findings and recommendations to the City Council for consideration.

Action Contemplated

Councillor Dibble

Moved Adoption

Voted

Councillor Dibble

RESOLUTION: relative to creating a working group to determine the feasibility of locating a huge early childhood facility and an elementary school within the SSU south campus.

Action Contemplated

Councillor Dibble

Moved Adoption

Voted

Or Ref. to the Committee on Economic

Development co-posted with Committee of the Whole

REGULAR MEETING

MOTIONS, ORDERS, AND RESOLUTIONS

Counc	illor	Furey
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ORDERED: That upon the retirement of the City Clerk on March 30, 2018, in accordance with City Ordinance Chapter 2 Section 2-311, the City Council shall elect by majority vote the City Clerk, therefore I nominate to elect assistant city clerk Ilene Simons as City Clerk with a term beginning March 31, 2018 and finish the unexpired term of the city clerk to expire November 9, 2018. Upon completion of this term she shall be re-elect for a term of three years expiring November 9, 2021.

Action Contemplated					
Councillor Furey	Moved Adop	tion by Roll	call vote		
		YEAS	NAYS	ABSENT	
Councillor Gerard					
ORDERED: That an AD-Hoc Ointerview candidates for the re Chapter 2, Section 2-68 of the	placement of the	e City Clerk	e purpose of r due to the va	eviewing applications ar cancy in accordance wit	nd to
Action Contemplated					
Councillor Gerard	Moved Adop	otion		Voted	

REGULAR MEETING

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Councillor McCarthy offered the following report for the Committee on Ordinances, Licenses and Legal Affairs to whom was referred the matter of granting certain licenses has considered said matter and would recommend granting the following licenses

TAG DAYS:

Salem Boys Lacrosse, 4/7/18 & 4/2818 Salem Youth Football & Cheering, 10/6/18 & 10/20/18

Accept the Report

Voted

Adopt the Recommendation

Voted

Councillor McCarthy offered the following report for the Committee on Ordinances, Licenses and Legal Affairs to whom was referred the matter of the Planning Board's recommendation regarding a proposed Zoning Ordinance Amendment to sub-section 3.1 Principle Uses of Sec 3.0 regarding land area for agricultural uses (Action unknown meeting took place after agenda deadline)

Accept the Report

Voted

Adopt the Recommendation

Voted

Councillor McCarthy offered the following report for the Committee on Ordinances, Licenses and Legal Affairs co-posted with the Committee of the Whole to whom was referred the matter of an Ordinance Amending Chapter 2 Sec. 1005 – Powers and Duties of Ch. 2, Article IV, Div. 14 - relative to the Affordable Housing Trust Fund Board of Trustees (Action unknown meeting took place after agenda deadline)

Accept the Report

Voted

Adopt the Recommendation

REGULAR MEETING

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Councillor McCarthy offered the following report for the Committee on Ordinances, Licenses and Legal Affairs co-posted with the Committee of the Whole to whom was referred the matter discussing the use of up to four parking spaces on Washington St. to be used in conjunction with the two southernmost rows of parking in Riley Plaza for a valet parking pilot (Action unknown meeting took place after agenda deadline)

Accept the Report

Voted

Adopt the Recommendation

Voted

Councillor Turiel offered the following report for the Committee on Administration and Finance coposted with the Committee of the Whole to whom was referred the matter of the appropriation in the amount of \$42,148.86 from Receipts Reserved – Golf Course to Golf Course – Equipment Account (Action unknown meeting took place after agenda deadline)

Accept the Report

Voted

Adopt the Recommendation

REGULAR MEETING

COMMUNICATIONS FROM CITY OFFICIALS

City Planner Tom Daniels submitting the following Zoning Ordinance amendments.

ORDINANCE: amending Zoning Sec. 3.0 Table of Principal & Accessory Use Regulations, amending scrivener's error from 2009 recodification – Section A. Residential Use Table, Section B. Zoning District I of Section C. Commercial Uses of the Table, Section D. Zoning District I of Section D. Industrial Uses of the Table and Zoning District I of Section E. Accessory Uses of the Table

(to view full text of the Ordinance can be seen during normal business hours in the office of the City Clerk or on the website under City Council Agenda Documents)

Councillor McCarthy

Moved Refer to the Planning Board to schedule

Voted

A joint public hearing with the City Council

ORDINANCE: amending Zoning Ch. 3.2.5 – Swimming Pools to correct scrivener's error from 2009 recodification, 2. Polls shall be surrounded on all sides by a permanent wall or fence at least four feet high and located no further than 25 feet from any side of the pool. Fences shall be constructed of pickets, stockade or chain-link type material. Rail fences shall not be permitted. The fence shall have only 1 opening, three feet maximum in width, with a locking and closing device so as to keep the gate shut at all times.

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Councillor McCarthy

Moved Refer to the Planning Board to schedule

Voted

A joint public hearing with the City Council

REGULAR MEETING

COMMUNICATIONS FROM CITY OFFICIALS

ORDINANCE: amending Zoning Ch. 4.1.1 – Table of Dimensional Requirements adding a new row to the table for maximum height of retaining walls, boundary walls and/or fences (feet) ***

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Councillor McCarthy

Moved Refer to the Planning Board to schedule

Voted

A joint public hearing with the City Council

ORDINANCE: amending Zoning Sec. 10.0 – Definitions relative to Dwelling Units, Rooming, Boarding or Lodging Houses and inserting new definitions for Assisted Living Residences, Site Plan Review and Zoning Board of Appeals.

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Councillor McCarthy

Moved Refer to the Planning Board to schedule

Voted

A joint public hearing with the City Council

ORDINANCE: amending Zoning 8.4.9 - Parking Requirements section 4(a) One and a half parking spaces per dwelling unit.

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Councillor McCarthy

Moved Refer to the Planning Board to schedule A joint public hearing with the City Council

REGULAR MEETING

PETITIONS

The Following License Applications:

PUBLIC GUIDES:

Robert Lease, 12 Lowell St., Waltham

PJ Maguire, 102 Shanley Dr. Attleboro Kenneth Glover, 20 Essex St., Beverly

TAXI OPERATORS:

Ramon Rodriguez, 9 Prince St. Pl., Salem

Cesar Maldonado Cruz, 7 Prince St. Pl., Salem

Juan Carlos Ramon, 9233 Crane Brook Way, Peabody

Action Contemplated

Councillor McCarthy

Moved Granted

Voted

The Following License Applications:

TAG DAYS:

S.H.S MCJROTC, 3/10/18, 3/25/18, 4/14/18, 4/29/18,

5/6/18, 5/13/18, 6/9/18

Action Contemplated

Councillor McCarthy

Refer to Comm. on Ord., Lic. &

Voted

Legal Affairs

REGULAR MEETING

PETITIONS

The Following Claims:

Mark D. Fields, 352 Jefferson Ave., Salem

Action Contemplated

Councillor McCarthy

Refer to Comm. on Ord., Lic. & Legal Affairs

Voted

The Following Bonds:

DRAINLAYER

K&B Excavating, 105 Mason St., Salem (Name Change to Brennan Construction)

Action Contemplated

Councillor McCarthy

Refer to Comm. on Ord., Lic. & Legal Affairs & Returned Approved

REGULAR MEETING

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

SECOND PASSAGE Ordinance relative to Ch. 24-16 – Smoking Prohibited on Off-road, paved bicycle route.

Action Contemplated Councillor McCarthy Moved second & final passage Voted SECOND PASSAGE Ordinance relative to Ch. 1 Sec. 1-10 - Non Criminal Disposition of Ordinance Violations relative to penalty for smoking prohibited on off-road, paved bicycle route. **Action Contemplated** Councillor McCarthy Moved second & final passage Voted SECOND PASSAGE Ordinance relative to Ch. 24 - Offenses and Miscellaneous Provisions Section 24-30 – Retain Marijuana Establishment limits **Action Contemplated** Councillor McCarthy Moved second & final passage Voted SECOND PASSAGE Ordinance relative to Ch. 26, Article III, Common Use Policy Parks and Recreation, prohibited activities **Action Contemplated**

Moved second & final passage

Voted

Councillor McCarthy

REGULAR MEETING

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

SECOND PASSAGE Ordinance amending Zoning Section 3.0 – Table of Principal and Accessory Uses relative to Marijuana Cultivator, Manufacturer, Testing Facility and Retailer

Action Contemplated					
Councillor McCarthy		nd & final pas otes to pass)		call vote	
		YEAS	NAYS	ABSENT	
SECOND PASSAGE Ordinance amending Zoning Section 6.0 – Special Regulations of Salem Zoning Ordinance relative to Marijuana Establishments					
Action Contemplated					
Councillor McCarthy		nd & final pas otes to pass)		call vote	
		YEAS	NAYS	ABSENT	

REGULAR MEETING

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

SECOND PASSAGE Ordinance	amending Zoning Section	10.0 - Definitions by	adding terms and
definitions relative to Marijuana	-	-	_

Action Contemplated

Councillor McCarthy

Moved second & final passage by roll call vote (requires 8 votes to pass)

YEAS

NAYS

ABSENT

On the motion of Councillor

the meeting adjourned at

P.M.