

AGENDA
CITY OF SALEM
6:00 REGULAR CITY COUNCIL MEETING
December 16, 2019 – 6:00 pm

- I. Call to Order**
- II. Prayer and Pledge of Allegiance**
- III. Presentation of Petitions/Public Comments**
- IV. Mayor’s Report and Presentations**

- V. City Council Action**
 - 1. Consent Agenda
 - a. City Council Minutes – 12/02/2019
 - 2. Approval of appointment of Council member
 - 3. Approval of Zoning request recommended by the Planning Commission.
 - 4. Request for approval – Ordinance amending Ch. 13 of Salem City Code changing age restrictions on possession or consumption of cannabis to ages 21 and younger to comply with State Law with an effective on Jan. 1, 2020.
 - 5. Approval of Accounts payables from Nov. 16 – Dec. 12.

- VI. City Manager Report**
- VII. City Attorney Report**
- VIII. Finance Director Report**
- IX. City Council Report**
- X. Motion to Adjourn**

Rex A. Barbee
City Manager

Quote of the Day –

Imagination is more important than knowledge. - Albert Einstein

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2. Mayor Morgan will propose a name for the open position on the City Council for consideration and approval by Council members.
3. The Planning Commission met on Dec. 10th and reviewed a request for a change in zoning and are recommending approval by the City Council. The property is currently zoned as residential and the request is to re-zone the property as commercial to allow for the construction of a warehouse structure for storage. The property is the undeveloped lots at the corner of W. Wells St and South Walnut, one block west of the Red Roof Storage Units on South Broadway. The property has commercial businesses on three sides of the property at this point. The recommendation from the commission is detailed in the enclosed memo.
4. IL State Law legalized recreational cannabis for individuals over the age of 21 beginning Jan. 1, 2020. The ordinance amending Chapter Thirteen of the Salem City Code addresses the changes and the population it effects to individuals under the age of 21. This will bring the City into compliance with state law.
5. The accounts payable packet is provided for review and approval for the time period between November 16 through Dec. 12, 2020.