## AGENDA CITY OF SALEM 6:00 pm REGULAR CITY COUNCIL MEETING January 6, 2020

- 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 12/16/2019 review for approval
  - 2. Swearing in of new Council member Jacob Hockett
  - 3. Update on gas purchase contracts.
  - 4. Approval of Resolution for maintenance under Illinois Highway Code
- 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 -

Change is the law of life. Those who look only to the past or present are certain to miss the future. John F. Kennedy

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- 2. Swearing in and seating of Jacob Hockett as a member of the Salem City Council.
- 3. The City has worked with Ron Ragan in the past to purchase gas for our utility program. Our current contract is due to expire in March of 2020. John Pruden, and Annette Brushwitz and I talked with Ron and agreed to hedge our gas purchase prices for the next three years. The current prices on the extension are below the current contract price and are below the pricing we have seen in the last few years. This will give us some protection against the possibility of rising prices.
- 4. Requesting approval of a resolution to appropriate \$140,000 on Motor Fuel Tax Funds for 2020. This covers the planned application of asphalt and oil and chip to City streets during 2020.
- 5. Join us in welcoming Mr. Jacob Hockett to the Salem City Council.