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**CITY OF SALEM  
6:00 PM REGULAR CITY COUNCIL MEETING  
May 18, 2020 – 6:00 PM**

- I. Call to Order**
- II. Prayer and Pledge of Allegiance**
- III. Presentation of Petitions/Public Comments**
- IV. Mayor's Report and Presentation**
  - 1. Recognition of Service Time for Terry Mulvany
- V. City Council Action**
  - 1. Consent Agenda
    - a. City Council Minutes – 05/04/2020
  - 2. Update from Marion County Health Dept. on COVID 19 pandemic
  - 3. Resident request for City to "re-open" against Governor's Executive Order
  - 4. Second reading – Ordinance against the feeding of wildlife within the City Limits
  - 5. Extension of contract for services for landfill with AECOM
  - 6. Approval of pay-out #4 for JK Trotter on Sanitary sewer project
  - 7. Recommendation from Planning Commission for Special Use Permit
  - 8. Approval of accounts payable for period of April 20 to May 15
- VI. City Manager Report**
- VII. City Attorney Report**
- VIII. Finance Director Report**
- IX. City Council Members Report**
- X. Executive Session**
  - 1. 5 ILCS 120/2(c)(1) – Personnel
- XI. City Council Action following Executive Session**
  - 1. Personnel
- XII. Adjournment**

Rex A. Barbee  
City Manager  
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Quote of the day –

*Obstacles are those frightful things you see when you take your eyes off your goal. – Henry Ford*

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Mayor's Presentation:

DOEM executive Director Terry Mulvany will have served our community for a period of 40 years on May 21<sup>st</sup>. Mr. Mulvany has served the community in a multitude of positions and is currently serving in the Department of Emergency Management. This is an opportunity to acknowledge his service to date.

Action Items:

2. Melissa Mallow has provided a written summary of the County Health Department statistics on the COVID pandemic and some of the actions the Health Department has taken to prevent the spread of the virus and track information on those who have tested positive. She points out some of the risks for her department in not complying with the Governor's Executive Orders. She also addressed the Illinois Insurance Associations information on possible lack of coverage to businesses that open in defiance of the Governor's Executive Order.
3. Local Resident, Brock Waggoner, who addressed the Council at the last meeting, desires the Council to consider his contention that the Governor's Executive Order is unconstitutional and would like for the City Council to vote to declare the City would go against the Governor's Executive Order and allow all businesses to re-open.
4. This is a second reading on the ordinance against feeding non-domesticated wildlife excluding birds and squirrels from elevated feeders and includes the fine structure. Request approval.
5. The City of Salem has contracted with AECOM for groundwater database management and compliance reporting activities at the Salem Landfill. The services assist in meeting EPA requirements. The contract cost is \$27,350 per year and is a budgeted item. Request approval to renew the contract.
6. The contractor for the sanitary sewer replacement along a portion of Town creek and on North Illinois is requesting pay-out #4 on the project. The work has been completed to the satisfaction of the Public Works Dept. This request is in the amount of \$78,367.51. Request approval.
7. The Salem Planning Commission is recommending approval of a Special Use Permit – Home Occupation for Andrea McGaughy at 627 North Shelby Ave in Salem to allow offering retail sales from her home. She currently makes clothing, hats, facemasks, bags, curtains and other items and has been selling them on-line. Recommendation to approve but restrict allowing non-family customers to the restrictions of the Governor's Executive Order until it has been lifted.
8. Presentation of accounts payable for the period of April 20 through May 15<sup>th</sup>. Request approval.