COUNCIL MEETING AGENDA

April 19, 2016
5:00 p.m.

1. Invocation to be given by Councilmember Post.
2. Call to order.
3. Pledge of Allegiance.
4. Recognition of visitors present.
5. Mayor to proclaim the following:
   
   ARBOR DAY
   BETTER HEARING AND SPEECH MONTH
   
   April 30, 2016
   May 2016

6. Council to honor retiring Master Police Officer Alan Waller by presenting his duty badge and shotgun.

7. Council to consider the CONSENT AGENDA:

   (a) Approve Minutes of the Regular Meeting of April 5, 2016.

   (b) Adopt a RESOLUTION of support for a temporary art piece, consisting of a decorated piano, on the southwest corner of Innes Street and Main Street.

   (c) Adopt a Budget ORDINANCE amendment to the FY2015-2016 budget in the amount of $63,925 to appropriate public arts contributions.

   (d) Second reading to adopt a Budget ORDINANCE amendment to the FY2015-2016 budget in the amount of $2,750 to appropriate Police Department Asset Forfeiture funds.

   (e) Second reading to adopt an ORDINANCE declaring a temporary road closure on Jake Alexander Boulevard beginning at Lincolnton Road and ending on Statesville Boulevard at Brenner Avenue for the Buck Hurley Triathlon to be held Sunday, May 1, 2016 from 6:30 a.m. until 10:30 a.m.

   (f) Second reading to adopt an ORDINANCE declaring a temporary road closure on Old Concord Road between Monroe Street and Martin Luther King, Jr. Avenue for the Fur Fun 5K Run/Walk for the PAWS to be held Saturday, May 7, 2016 from 9:45 a.m. until 11:15 a.m.
(g) Second reading to adopt an ORDINANCE declaring a temporary road closure on Main Street between Thomas and Fisher Streets for the George Washington Parade to be held Saturday, May 21, 2016 from 10:30 a.m. until 11:00 a.m.

(h) Adopt a concurring ORDINANCE with the North Carolina Department of Transportation to amend section 13-336 of the City Code regarding speed limits to correct a reference to Jake Alexander Boulevard.

(i) Adopt a RESOLUTION to allow part-time employees to participate in the NC 457 Deferred Compensation Plan.

8. Council to consider an application from Ms. Janet Nekooasl to operate a pool hall located at 612 South Main Street:
   (a) Receive a presentation from staff
   (b) Hold a public hearing
   (c) Consider issuing a permit to operate a pool hall at 612 South Main Street.

9. Council to consider a request for a projection over a public alley located at 115-117 East Innes Street in accordance with Sections 22 -18 and 22 -19 of the City Code.

10. Council to consider adopting an ORDINANCE amending Section 13-357 of the City Code relating to parking limited to two hours for a portion of Overman Avenue and Section 13-338 related to parking prohibited at all times on a portion of Walker Street.

11. Council to consider making appointments to various boards and commissions.

12. Council to receive public comment. Public comment will be opened at approximately 6:00 p.m. or at the end of the meeting, whichever comes first.

13. City Manager’s Comments.
   (b) Third Quarter Financial Update.
   (c) Other comments.

14. Mayor’s Announcements.
   (a) Rowan-Cabarrus Community College and the City of Salisbury will host the second Community Job Fair to be held Tuesday, April 26, 2016 from 11:00 a.m. until 1:00 p.m. at the Civic Center located at 315 South Martin Luther King, Jr. Avenue. The North Carolina Works Career Center will host workshops prior to the Job Fair on Thursday, April 21, 2016 from 4:00 p.m. until 7:00 p.m. and Friday, April 22, 2016 from 9:00 a.m. until noon to provide resume assistance and interview success techniques.
(b) The City of Salisbury, in conjunction with Downtown Salisbury, Inc., is excited to welcome the filming of “Purpose.” In order to accommodate the production, East Fisher Street will be closed on various Sunday mornings from 6:00 a.m. until 12:00 noon. The closings will officially begin April 10, 2016 and take place through late August. Specific dates will be provided to residents and businesses in advance. Please visit the City of Salisbury Facebook page or the Purpose Movie Facebook page for the most up-to-date information.

(c) The Salisbury Housing Advocacy Commission and the Human Relations Council will hold a housing workshop Thursday, April 28, 2016 from 5:30 p.m. until 7:00 p.m. at the Civic Center, 315 S. Martin Luther King, Jr. Avenue. Dr. Love Crossling, Human Relations Director for the City of Greensboro will be the guest speaker and dinner will be provided. To register for this free event please call Diana Moghrabi at 704-638-5242.

(d) The City of Salisbury has been named a finalist for the National Civic League’s 2016 All-American City Award, along with 20 other municipalities across the United States, only 10 of which will be named an official All-America City. The Salisbury application features three programs that focus on the well-being of children at home and at school. The programs include the Norvell Theatre, the Knox Co-Principals program and Fit for Motion through Novant Health and the Rowan County YMCA. The Salisbury delegation will travel to Denver, Colorado in June to make its formal presentation in front of the National Civic League judges. We invite all members of the community to support this initiative. Being named as an All-America City is not just an honor for a city, but it is an opportunity to grow our economy by attracting new businesses, boosting civic engagement and increasing tourism.

15. Council to go into closed session concerning a personnel matter as allowed by NCGS 143-318.11(a)(6).

16. Recess.