

City of Salisbury

North Carolina

COUNCIL MEETING AGENDA

February 1, 2022 6:00 p.m.

The City is operating under a State of Emergency declaration related to the spread of COVID-19. The City Council meeting will be held electronically to remain consistent with limiting physical interactions and the potential spread of COVID-19, and Council Chambers will be closed. The meeting will be streamed live at salisburync.gov/webcast and on the City's Twitter account. Anyone who wishes to speak during public comment must sign-up by 5:00 p.m. on February 1, 2022 by contacting Kelly Baker at kbake@salisburync.gov or 704-638-5233.

- 1. Call to order.
- 2. Moment of Silence.
- 3. Pledge of Allegiance.
- 4. Adoption of Agenda.
- 5. Mayor to proclaim the following observances:

AFRICAN AMERICAN HISTORY MONTH NAACP BIRTHDAY COMMEMORATION

February 2022 February 12, 2022

- 6. Council to consider the CONSENT AGENDA:
 - (a) Adopt a budget **ORDINANCE** Amendment to the FY2021-2022 budget in the amount of \$5,000 to appropriate Joint Operations funds from the U.S. Secret Service for the purchase of equipment used in criminal investigations.
 - (b) Receive the Certificate of Sufficiency and adopt a **RESOLUTION** setting the date of the public hearing for March 1, 2022 for the voluntary annexation of Cloninger Investments located at 645 Julian Road.
- 7. Council to receive public comment. Public comment will begin following adoption of the Consent Agenda. For electronic meetings speakers must sign-up before 5:00 p.m. by contacting Kelly Baker at kbake@salisburync.gov or 704-638-5233. Citizens who are unable to speak during the meeting may submit written comments by 5:00 p.m. to the email above and they will be shared with Council.

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- 8. Council to consider LDOTA-02-2021 to amend Chapter 4 (Subdivisions and Infrastructure), Chapter 6 (Lot, Infill, Additions and Accessory Provisions), Chapter 9 (Environmental Provisions), Chapter 16 (Development Plan Requirements), and Chapter 18 (Definitions) of the Land Development Ordinance: (Presenter Development Services Manager Teresa Barringer)
 - (a) Receive a presentation from staff
 - (b) Hold a public hearing
 - (c) Issue a Statement of Consistency and Statement of Reasonableness, and consider adopting an **ORDINANCE** amending the Land Development Ordinance.
- 9. Council to receive a presentation regarding the Rowan County Cooperative Extension "Working Ag Lands Plan" Survey. (*Presenter Agriculture Extension Director Amy Lynn Albertson*)
- 10. Council to consider receive an update on Kiva. (Presenter Councilmember David Post)
- 11. City Attorney's Report.
- 12. City Manager's Report.
- 13. Council's Comments.
- 14. Mayor Pro Tem's Comments.
- 15. Mayor's Announcements and Comments.
- 16. Council to go into Closed Session to consult with an attorney as allowed by NCGS 143-318.11(a)(3) and an economic development matter as allowed by NCGS 143-318.11(a)(4)
- 17. Adjourn.



City of Salisbury North Carolina

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, in 1976, African American History Month was created by Carter G. Woodson and formally adopted to honor and affirm the importance of African American History throughout our American experience, and serves to promote cultural enrichment, pride, and self-esteem by celebrating the lives and achievements of great African Americans; and

WHEREAS, the 2022 National theme for African American History Month observance is "Black Health and Wellness;" and

WHEREAS, during the month of February our Nation takes pause to reflect on the injustices and struggles fought and overcome by African Americans throughout our Nation's history, and to pay tribute to the battles they have fought in the name of equality; and

WHEREAS, African Americans have made valuable and lasting contributions to the City of Salisbury, achieving exceptional success in all aspects of society including business, education, politics, science, and the arts; and

WHEREAS, African American History Month is a time for every citizen to remember the stories and teachings of those who helped build our City and our nation by taking a stance against prejudice to build lives of dignity and opportunity, advanced the cause of civil rights and strengthened our community.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Karen K. Alexander, Mayor of the City of Salisbury, North Carolina, DO HEREBY PROCLAIM the month of February 2022, as

AFRICAN AMERICAN HISTORY MONTH

in Salisbury, and encourage all citizens to reflect on past successes and challenges of African Americans and look to the future to continue to improve society so that we live up to the ideals of freedom, equality and justice.

| This the 1st day of February 2022. | |
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| | Karen K. Alexander, Mayor |



City of Salisbury North Carolina

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People, known as NAACP, was founded in New York in 1909 to improve the political, educational, social, and economic status of minority groups; and

WHEREAS, since 1909 the organization strives to end racial segregation and other forms of discrimination in areas such as education, housing, jobs, transportation, jury service, police actions and voting rights; and

WHEREAS, the Salisbury-Rowan Branch of the NAACP celebrates its 113th Annual Birthday Commemoration as they continue to be a valuable force in the community, and work in areas to protect civil rights and civil liberties, voter education and empowerment, educational excellence, economic empowerment and leadership development opportunities.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Karen K. Alexander, Mayor of the City of Salisbury, North Carolina, DO HEREBY PROCLAIM Friday, February 12, 2022 as

NAACP BIRTHDAY COMMEMERATION

in Salisbury, North Carolina and commend this observance to all citizens.

This the 1st day of February 2022.

| Karen Alexander, Mayor |
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Salisbury City Council Agenda Item Request Form



| Please Select Submission Category: Public Council Manager Staff | | | |
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| Requested Council Meeting Date: 02/01/2022 | | | |
| Name of Group(s) or Individual(s) Making Request: Salisbury Police Department/Chief Jerry Stokes | | | |
| Name of Presenter(s): Chief Jerry Stokes | | | |
| Requested Agenda Item: Adopt a budget ORDINANCE Amendment to the FY2021-2022 budget in the amount of \$5,000 to appropriate Joint Operations funds from the US Secret Service. | | | |
| Description of Requested Agenda Item: The Police Department received funds from the Treasury Executive Office for Asset Forfeiture, Joint Operations / Secret Service to be used for the purpose of purchasing equipment for Criminal Investigations. | | | |
| Attachments: | | | |
| Fiscal Note: (If fiscal note requires approval by finance department because item exceeds \$100,000 or is related to grant funds, please fill out signature blocks for finance at bottom of form and provide supporting documents) This grant has no matching requirement. | | | |
| Action Requested of Council for Agenda Item: (Please note if item includes an ordinance, resolution or petition) | | | |
| Contact Information for Group or Individual: Chief Jerry Stokes, SPD 704-638-5333 | | | |
| Consent Agenda (item requires no discussion and will be voted on by Council or removed from the consent agenda to the regular agenda) | | | |
| Regular Agenda (item to be discussed and possibly voted on by Council) | | | |
| FINANCE DEPARTMENT INFORMATION: 5. Wade Funches | | | |
| Finance Manager Signature Department Head Signature | | | |
| Evons Ballard | | | |
| Budget Manager Signature ****All agenda items must be submitted at least 7 days before the requested Council meeting date*** | | | |
| For Use in Clerk's Office Only Approved Delayed Declined Reason: | | | |

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE 2021-2022 BUDGET ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF SALISBURY, NORTH CAROLINA TO APPROPRIATE JOPS SECRET SERVICE FUNDS

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of Salisbury, North Carolina, as follows:

Section 1. The City has received funds from the Joint Operations / Secret Service branch of the Treasury Executive Office for Asset Forfeiture (TEOAF). These funds will be used to purchase equipment and training for Criminal Investigations Unit. NC General Statutes require that the City appropriate these revenues so that they can be legally spent.

- Section 2. That the 2021-2022 Budget Ordinance of the City of Salisbury, adopted on June 15, 2021, is hereby amended as follows:
 - (a) That the following General Fund line items be amended as follows:

| (1) | Increase line item 010-000-000-4463.01 | <u>\$5,000</u> |
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| | Police Grants Revenue | |

(2) Increase line item 010-511-326-5131.03 <u>\$5,000</u> Crime Prevention

- Section 3. That all ordinances, or parts of ordinances in conflict with this ordinance are hereby repealed to the extent of such conflict.
 - Section 4. That this ordinance shall be effective from and after its passage.

Salisbury City Council Agenda Item Request Form



| Please Select Submission C | Category: | ☐ Council ☐ Manager ☒ Staff |
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| Requested Council Meeting | g Date: February 1, 20 | 022 |
| Name of Group(s) or Indiv | idual(s) Making Reques | st: City of Salisbury, Engineering Department |
| Name of Presenter(s): | N/A | |
| Requested Agenda Item: | Sufficiency of Annexati | ion Petition – Cloninger Investments, Inc. |
| Description of Requested A | genda Item: | |
| received for the voluntary an | nexation of Cloninger In proposed contiguous ann | lerk, has investigated the sufficiency of the petition vestments, Inc located at 645 Julian Road. The petition exation area, as well as the signature of the sole property NCGS 160A-31. |
| Attachments: Yes | ☐ No | |
| Fiscal Note: (If fiscal note requires blocks for finance at bottom of form and p | | ause item exceeds \$100,000 or is related to grant funds, please fill out signature |
| Fiscal impact is unknown at | this time. This will be in | cluded in the next step of the process. |
| City Council to receive the C | Certificate of Sufficiency | ease note if item includes an ordinance, resolution or petition) and adopt a Resolution setting the date of the public on of Cloninger Investments, Inc. |
| Contact Information for G Wendy Brindle, City Engine 704-638-5201/wbrin@salisb | er | |
| Consent Agenda (item req | The second secon | l be voted on by Council or removed from the consent |
| Regular Agenda (item to b | be discussed and possibly vo | oted on by Council) |
| FINANCE DEPARTMENT | Γ INFORMATION: | |
| Finance Manager Signature | | Department Head Signature |
| Budget Manager Signature | | |

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| Reason: | | |



CERTIFICATE OF SUFFICIENCY FOR CLONINGER INVESTMENTS, INC.

To the City Council of the City of Salisbury, North Carolina:

| Cloninger Investm | ents, Inc., attached hereto | y certify that I have investigated the petition for b, and have found as a fact that said petition is signed rea described therein, in accordance with G. S. 160A- |
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| In witness | thereof, I have hereto set | my hand and affixed the Seal of the City of |
| Salisbury, this | day of | , 2022. |
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| | | Kelly Baker |
| | | City Clerk |

"RESOLUTION SETTING DATE OF PUBLIC HEARING ON QUESTION OF THE ANNEXATION OF CLONINGER INVESTMENTS, INC., PURSUANT TO G.S. 160A-31.

WHEREAS, petitions requesting the annexation of Cloninger Investments, Inc., as described herein have been received; and

WHEREAS, certification by the City Clerk as to the sufficiency of said petitions has been made;

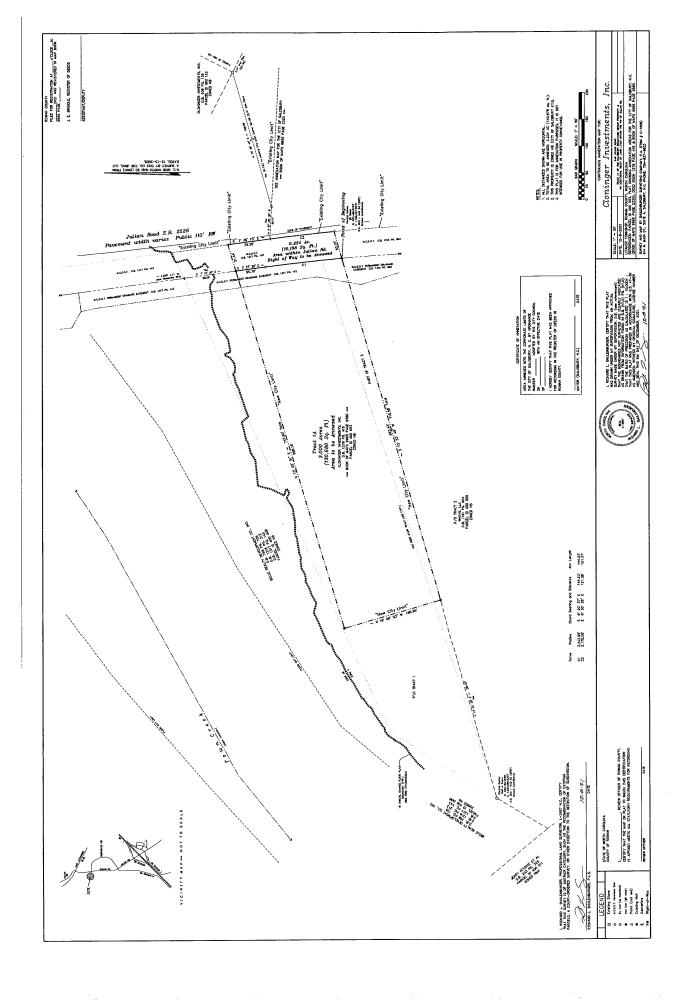
NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Salisbury, North Carolina:

- Section 1. To remain consistent with limiting physical interactions and the potential spread of COVID-19, the public hearing on the question of annexation of the area described herein will be held virtually at 6:00 p.m. on March 1, 2022. Additional information for accessing the meeting and participating in the public hearing will be posted to the City's website at www.salisburync.gov
 - Section 2. The areas proposed for annexation are described as follows:

Beginning at a new #5 rebar in the western right of way line of Julian Road SR 2528, said iron being in the northern line of WNCVS, LLC (deed book 1191 page 904, Rowan County Parcel ID# 400 009) thence with WNCVS's line S 73° 53' 49" W, 663.43' to a new #5 rebar in the line of Belle Realty Development Co.,Inc. (deed book 768 page 726, deed book 1216 page 213, deed book 1317 page 143, Rowan County Parcel ID# 400 008) thence three lines with Belle Realty,

- 1 N 16° 06' 03" W, 186.95' to a new #5 rebar,
- 2 N 73° 02' 51" E, 696.16' to a new #5 rebar, in the western right of way line of Julian Road,
- 3 N 73° 02' 51" E, 51.44' to a point in the existing City Limit line of the City of Salisbury as recorded in Book of Maps 9995 Page 2320, thence two lines with the existing City Limit line within the right of way of Julian Road,
- 1 S 07° 36' 15" E, 79.26' to a point,
- 2 with a curve to the right having a radius of 3170.00', an arc length of 121.37', achord bearing of S 06° 30' 26" E and a chord distance of 121.36' to a point within the right of way of Julian Road, thence a new line S 73° 53' 49" W, 52.15' to the point and place of Beginning and Being 3.234 Acres as shown on Survey and Map by Shulenburger Surveying Company, P.A. dated 12/08/2021. Note: this total area is 3.000 Acres of Cloninger's and 0.234 Acres within NCDOT's right of way.
- Section 3. Notice of said public hearing shall be published in the SALISBURY POST at least (10) days prior to the date of said public hearing."

| | Karen K. Alexander Mayor | |
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| ATTEST: | | |
| Kelly Baker, City Clerk | | |



Salisbury City Council Agenda Item Request Form



| Please Select Submission Category: Public Council Manager Staff | | |
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| Requested Council Meeting Date: February 1, 2022 | | |
| Name of Group(s) or Individual(s) Making Request: Amy Lynn Albertson, County Extension Director | | |
| Name of Presenter(s): Amy Lynn Albertson | | |
| Requested Agenda Item: Rowan County Working Ag Lands Plan | | |
| Description of Requested Agenda Item: The Agriculture Extension Office is starting an initiative to preserve agricultural land and working farms in Rowan County and they are trying to gain community input to inform their planning efforts. | | |
| Attachments: Yes No | | |
| Fiscal Note: (If fiscal note requires approval by finance department because item exceeds \$100,000 or is related to grant funds, please fill out signature blocks for finance at bottom of form and provide supporting documents) | | |
| Action Requested of Council for Agenda Item: Receive a presentation | | |
| . Please note if item includes an ordinance, resolution or petition) | | |
| Contact Information for Group or Individual: Amy Lynn Albertson, Ag Extension | | |
| Consent Agenda (item requires no discussion and will be voted on by Council or removed from the consent agenda to the regular agenda) | | |
| Regular Agenda (item to be discussed and possibly voted on by Council) | | |
| FINANCE DEPARTMENT INFORMATION: | | |
| Finance Manager Signature Department Head Signature | | |
| Budget Manager Signature | | |
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1. Introduction

Your input is needed to create a Working Agricultural Lands Plan for Rowan County. This plan will show the current state of agriculture and forestry, outline the challenges and opportunities for agriculture and forestry that exist, and develop recommendations to help maintain family farms and forests in Rowan County. The general public, agribusinesses, producers and landowners are targeted audiences for this survey. If the comprehensive strategies are to be meaningful, they need to be shaped by the input of the farm and forest producers. Your responses will help us to understand the needs of agriculture.

Rowan County received a grant from NC Department of Agriculture's Agricultural Development and Farmland Preservation Trust Fund to create the Working Agricultural Lands Plan. The Lois G. Britt Agribusiness Center at the University of Mount Olive is directing the project.

Many challenges face agriculture such as a heightened awareness of the relationships between farm uses and other land uses. Farms and forests, when located adjacent to industries and communities, are considered "compatible use partners" and provide numerous benefits to the county and its residents. A comprehensive strategy will assist with the county's agriculture and land use policies and programs as well as develop these compatible partnerships. The Rowan County Working Agricultural Lands Plan will provide that strategy.

The intent of this plan is neither to limit nor restrict landowners' rights and uses. The plan will increase awareness of agricultural development opportunities and appreciation of agriculture and forestry. The preservation of agriculture is important to the well being of family farms as well as to county and its economy. However, the ultimate decision of agricultural development rests in the hands of the landowners of farms and forests.

Please note that all information will be strictly confidential. Responses to the surveys will remain anonymous and are not identifiable. Your participation in this study is strictly voluntary.

Thank you for your interest and participation. If you have additional concerns or questions please contact semory@umo.edu or william.dixon@umo.edu.





SURVEY #1 AG PRODUCER

| 2. AGRICULTURAL PRODUCER SURVEY |
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| You should complete this survey ONLY IF you have income in excess of \$1000 from the production of crops, livestock, or aquaculture OR if you own timberland OR if you receive income from renting farm acreage. |
| All information is STRICTLY CONFIDENTIAL as referenced on introduction page. |
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3. CURRENT STATE OF AGRICULTURE

| Please tell us the type and the size of your farm/forest enterprise(s) in the following categories. |
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| 1. Please answer each item as appropriate for your operation: |
| How many total acres of land do you farm within Rowan County? |
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| Of this total acreage farmed, how many acres do you rent? |
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| If you are a landowner who rents your land to farmers, how many acres do you rent? |
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| How many total acres of timberland do you own within Rowan County? |
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| Of this total, how many acres are managed for timber production? |
| How many acres of farm and/or forestland do you manage outside of Rowan County? |
| How many acres of farm analog forestand do you manage outside of Nowah County. |
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| 2. Help us understand more about your operations. Please select the statement that best describes your |
| operation: |
| Timber production only |
| Farm production only |
| Primarily timber production with some farm production |
| Primarily farm production with some timber production |
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| 3. How long has your farm/forest been in operation? |
| 0 to 9 years |
| ① 10 to 20 years |
| 20+ years |
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| 4. What is your age? |
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| 5. Is farming/forestry your primary occupation? |
| Yes |
| ○ No |
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| 25-49% | |
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| 50-74% | |
| 75-100% | |
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| 7. Have you, in the past 5 years, expanded y | our farm or forest operations? |
| Yes | |
| ○ No | |
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| If you did not expand, what were the prima (Check ALL that apply) | ary reasons? |
| Satisfied with current size | Lack of available land to be purchased |
| Age of owner/operator | Lack of available land to rent |
| High cost of equipment | Land is available, but too close to development to farm |
| Lack of available equipment | manage |
| | Lack of available labor |
| Inability to obtain needed financing | High cost of additional labor |
| Low profit margin | Personal or others reasons |
| Market volatility and excessive risk | Environmental or other governmental restrictions |
| Other (please specify) | |
| Outer (piecase specify) | |
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| | expand or diversify your farm/forest operation? |
| Yes | |
| ○ No | |
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| 10. How much longer do you plan to operate | your farm/forest? |
| Less than 5 years | |
| 5 to 9 years | |
| 10 to 19 years | |
| More than 20 years | |

| 11. (| Of the issues listed below which do you anticipate | to most influence your operation |
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| in th | e next five years: (Check ALL that apply) | |
| | Production input costs | Market competition |
| | Marketing costs | Competition for available land |
| | Regulatory costs | Development pressure |
| | Commodity prices | Export demand for products |
| | Available labor | Local demand for products |
| | Affordable labor | Land rental rates |
| 12. \ | When you retire, what do you expect to do with you | ur farm/forestland? |
| | Sell to other farmers | |
| | Transfer to family for farming | |
| | Sell to non-farmers | |
| | Transfer to family for non-farm use | |
| 14. H | Have you shared your thoughts of farm transition w Yes No | vith your family members? |
| 15. I | f you have forestland, do you have a written forest | ry management plan to follow? |
| | No | |
| 16. I | s your farm or forest enrolled in Rowan County's d | eferred present use value tax program? |
| \bigcirc | Yes | |
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| 18. I | f you are a landowner, do you currently lea | ase any of your property for: |
| Che | ck ALL that apply) | |
| | Farming | |
| | Cell Towers | |
| | Solar Farm | |
| | Mining/Quarry | |
| | Hunting/Fishing | |
| | Do Not Lease | |
| | Other (please specify): | |
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| If yo | u do lease land, how many acres do you | lease? |
| If yo | u do lease land, how many acres do you | lease? |
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| | du do lease land, how many acres do you Have you had neighbor problems concerni | |
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| 20. H | Have you had neighbor problems concerni Yes No | |
| 20. F | Have you had neighbor problems concerni Yes No | ng your farming or forestry operation? |
| 20. F | Have you had neighbor problems concerni Yes No f you answered yes to the previous questi | ng your farming or forestry operation? |
| 20. F | Have you had neighbor problems concerning Yes No If you answered yes to the previous questing Yes to t | ng your farming or forestry operation? on, what was the nature of the complaint? |
| 20. F | Have you had neighbor problems concerning Yes No If you answered yes to the previous questing the ck ALL that apply) Manure application complaint | ng your farming or forestry operation? on, what was the nature of the complaint? |
| 20. F | Have you had neighbor problems concerning Yes No If you answered yes to the previous questing the ALL that apply) Manure application complaint Boundary or trespassing conflict | ng your farming or forestry operation? on, what was the nature of the complaint? Smoke or dust Noise complaint |
| 20. F | Have you had neighbor problems concerning Yes No f you answered yes to the previous questing ALL that apply) Manure application complaint Boundary or trespassing conflict Drainage issue | ng your farming or forestry operation? on, what was the nature of the complaint? Smoke or dust Noise complaint Slow-moving vehicle complaint |
| 20. F | Have you had neighbor problems concerning Yes No If you answered yes to the previous questing ALL that apply) Manure application complaint Boundary or trespassing conflict Drainage issue Dumping/littering issue | ng your farming or forestry operation? on, what was the nature of the complaint? Smoke or dust Noise complaint Slow-moving vehicle complaint Chemical use or application issues |

| 22. Please answer each question presented below: | | |
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| | Yes | No |
| Are you aware of the Voluntary Agricultural District (VAD) and Enhanced Voluntary Agricultural District (EVAD) programs? | | |
| Do you have acreage enrolled in the VAD or EVAD Program? | | |
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4. FUTURE OF AGRICULTURE Please answer the following questions about the future of agriculture and opportunities for agriculture. 1. Do you think local government funding should support agricultural development? No 2. Do you think educating non-farming citizens about the economic and social contributions of farming/forestry will increase community support for farms/forests and improve your operating conditions? Yes No 3. Of the taxes listed below, please select the top three that you feel impose an unreasonable burden to agriculture/agribusiness. Local property tax on land Local property tax on buildings and equipment Federal income tax State income tax Federal self employment tax Federal social security and Medicaid taxes for employees (payroll taxes) State unemployment tax Estate tax 4. Do you see agritourism as an expansion/diversification opportunity for agriculture and agribusiness in Rowan County? Yes 5. Is it important to promote agriculture and forestry as career opportunities?

Yes

No

| | griculture, horticulture, forestry and agribusiness should be taught in: |
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| (Che | ck ALL that apply.) |
| | Elementary school |
| | Middle school |
| | High school |
| | 4-H Youth Development |
| | Community college |
| | Colleges and Universities |
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| 7. W | ould you consider training an intern/young farmer within your farming operation to |
| | urage the next generation to enter production agriculture? |
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| | Only if monetary incentives were provided. |
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5. TRAINING AND BUSINESS DEVELOPMENT

Please answer the following questions about training and business development opportunities to maintain the viability of your farm or forested land.

| | of these potential trainings you would attend: (Check ALL that apply) |
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| Timber mar | |
| Developme | nt of a Forestry Management Plan |
| Selecting C | onsulting Foresters |
| None of the | above |
| 2. Would you a | attend training on business planning such as these: (Check ALL that apply) |
| Direct to Co | onsumer Marketing of Products |
| Business W | /ebsite Development |
| Regional Pr | roduct Branding |
| Identifying a | and Managing Risk |
| Diversifying | through Agritourism |
| Marketing a | and Sales Promotions |
| Forward Pr | cing and Hedging |
| Organizing | Buyer/Seller Groups |
| Other (please spe | cify) |
| | |
| 3. Would you a | attend training on Estate Planning and Farm/Forest Transition? |
| No | |
| 4 18/ | attend training on how to apply for federal and state contracts for your |
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| 4. Would you a products? Yes | |

| 5. Both opportunities and threats exist for agriculture and agribusiness in Rowan County. |
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| Please list two threats you perceive to agriculture/forestry/agribusiness in Rowan County. |
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| Please list two opportunities that exist for agriculture/forestry/agribusiness in Rowan County. |
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| 6. Please add any additional comments you may have about agriculture and forestry in Rwoan County. |
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SURVEY #3 AG BUSINESS SURVEY

| 2. AGRICULTURAL BUSINESS SURVEY | |
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| Please complete this survey ONLY if you own a l forestry through services, trainings, products, m | business that is tied to agriculture, aquaculture and/or nanufacturing, processing, etc. |
| All information is STRICTLY CONFIDENTIAL as r | referenced on introduction page. |
| What type of agribusiness do you operate? (Check ALL that apply) | |
| Feed dealer | Processor/distributor |
| Equipment dealer | Veterinarian |
| Equipment repair | Logger or forester |
| Ag consultant | Dairy or other ag processor |
| Farm supply store | Landscape/horticulture |
| Seed/fertilizer/lime/agri-chemical | Financial/insurance |
| Nursery/greenhouse | |
| Other (please specify) | |
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| How many people do you employ in Rowan Coun Full-time | nty? (Please provide number of employees) |
| Part-time | |
| 3. How long has this business been in operation? | 2 |
| 0-4 years | 10-20 years |
| 5-9 years | 20+ years |
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| 4. Approximately what percentage of your busine | ess comes from the farm/forest community? |
| O to 24% | |
| 25 to 49% | |
| 50 to 74% | |
| 75 to 100% | |
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3. OVERVIEW OF LAST FIVE YEARS

| Please | help us understand what has occurred in your | business in the LAST five years. |
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| 1. Ha | ave you increased your operation size in the last fi | ve years? |
| | Yes | |
| | No | |
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| 2. Ha | ave you added service area to hold or expand you | r market share in the last five years? |
| | Yes | • |
| | No | |
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| 3. Ha | ave you increased agricultural inventories and sale | es in the last five years? |
| | Yes | · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · |
| | No | |
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| 4. If | you have NOT expanded in the last 5 years what a | are the primary reasons? |
| | eck ALL that apply) | |
| | Satisfied with current size | Low profit margins |
| | Loss of market share | Declining agricultural sales |
| | Lack of labor supply | Lack of room to expand |
| | Age of owner | Regulatory obstacles |
| | Lack of financial capital | Receivables collection problems |
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4. OVERVIEW OF NEXT FIVE YEARS

| Please help us understand what you foresee for your business in the NEXT five years. | |
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| Do you expect to increase your operation size in the next five years? Yes No | |
| Do you expect to increase the number of employees at your place of business in the next five years? Yes No | |
| 3. Do you expect to add new product lines or services for farm/forestry operators in the next five years? Yes No | |
| 4. Do you expect to add new product lines or services for non farmers in the next five years? Yes No | |

| TRENDS IN AGRICULTURE | |
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| What agricultural trends have you observe | ed in Rowan County? |
| (Check ALL that apply) | |
| A change to new types of farms | A shift to more sophisticated farm operations |
| More small farms | More part-time farms |
| Fewer small farms | More specialty and direct market operations |
| More large farms | More diversification |
| Fewer large farms | No significant changes |
| Other (please specify) | |
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| If yes, what modifications will you make? | |
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6. THE FUTURE OF AGRICULTURE 1. Is transition/estate planning an issue facing agribusinesses in Rowan County? Yes No 2. Do agribusiness owners need assistance with transition/estate planning? Yes No 3. Is it important that agriculture and agribusinesses be promoted as career opportunities? Yes No 4. Is it important to have neighbor and/or community education about the importance of agriculture and agribusiness in Rowan County? Yes 5. Do you have labor issues at your business? Yes No 6. If you answered yes to the above question, what issues do you face? (Check all that apply) Lack of qualified staff Lack of training opportunities for staff Lack of capital to hire staff Unable to provide required benefits such as health insurance, employment taxes, etc. Other (please specify) 7. Is there a need for consumer education on the economic impact of buying "local" in Rowan County? Yes No

| 8. Is there a need for youth agriculture education to be taught in the schools of Rowan County? |
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| Yes |
| ○ No |
| 9. Do you see agritourism as an expansion/diversification opportunity for agriculture/agribusiness in Rowan County? |
| Yes |
| ○ No |
| 10. For your business to succeed, what topics are most important to you? (Check ALL that apply) |
| Ability to receive adequate financing to maintain/expand business |
| Succession/transition of the business to interested parties |
| Training and education on new technologies that are being developed for agriculture/forestry |
| Other (please specify) |
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| 11. Would you support county government funding of agricultural development? |
| Yes |
| ○ No |
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| 12. Both opportunities and threats exist for agriculture and agribusiness in Rowan County. |
| Please list two threats to agriculture/forestry/agribusiness. |
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| Please list two opportunities that exist for agriculture/forestry/agribusiness. |
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| 13. Please add any additional comments you may have about agriculture and forestry in Rowan County. |
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SURVEY # 2 NON AG RESIDENT

| 2. Non-Farm Resident Survey | | |
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| Please DO NOT complete this survey if you are a farmer/timberland you own a business primarily dependent on farm and timber custom | | · · · |
| All information is STRICTLY CONFIDENTIAL as referenced in the i | ntroduction. | |
| Please tell us, by town and/or community, where you | u live in Rowan County: | |
| 2. How long have you lived in Rowan County? <5 years 5 to 9 years 10 to 14 years | 15 to 19 years 20+ years | |
| 3. Please answer each question below: | | |
| | Yes | No |
| Have you ever lived near a farm or timber operation? | 0 | |
| Have you ever owned or operated a farm or timber operation? | | |
| Do you live near (within 1/4 mile) of a farm or timber operation? | \bigcirc | |
| If yes, is that farmer or land owner a good neighbor? | \bigcirc | \bigcirc |
| 4. When was the last time that you visited a farm or | timber operation? | |
| Within the last year | More than 10 years ago | |
| Within last 2 to 9 years | Never | |
| 5. Which statement best represents your view of Ro | owan County agriculture? | |
| Agriculture is a declining industry with no future growth p | otential | |
| Agriculture is holding its own as an industry and may have | ve some future growth potential | |
| Agriculture is an expanding industry with significant futur | e growth potential | |
| 6. Can you estimate the size of Rowan County's ag | ricultural industry? | |
| Less than \$10 million | \$100 million to \$300 million | |
| \$10 million to \$99 million | Over \$300 million | |
| 7. Do you feel that Rowan County should take step Yes No Not sure | s to help preserve farms and fore | sts? |

| | oude at Famers Markets, | Pick-Your-Own farms, roadside s | nanus, Elc. |
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| I buy plants fr | rom local nurseries and gre | enhouses. | |
| I participate ir | n agritourism activities such | n as corn mazes, pumpkin patche | s, hay rides, etc. |
| I lease farmla | and and forest land for hunt | ing and fishing | |
| Other (please | e specify) | | |
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| I look for the ' | "Got to Be NC" labels | | |
| I search on lir | ne at the "NC Farm Fresh" | website | |
| I look for "NC | Catch" labels | | |
| I ask the vend | dor | | |
| I know my far | mer/producer and see whe | ere the products come from | |
| I don't verify p | oroduct origin | | |
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| I still do not understand why that activity is necessary | | | |
| Please tell us whether you agree or disagree with the | ie following statei | ments: (PLFASE | |
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| arms and forests enhance the scenic beauty and open space Rowan County | | \circ | |
| ırmers are good neighbors | | | |
| cal farmers deliver generally high-quality products | \bigcirc | \bigcirc | |
| arming is positive for the environment | | | |
| x breaks for farmers are important | \bigcirc | \bigcirc | |
| griculture and farming are high-technology industries | | | |
| ne price of most farm food commodities is relatively low | | | |
| arming presents a good career for enterprising persons | | | |
| griculture and forestry should be promoted as viable career | | \circ | \circ |
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| 14. Would you support farm and forest preservation Yes No 15. Would you support the use of county government | t funds for farm a | and forest developm | nent? |

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Salisbury City Council Agenda Item Request Form



| Please Select Submission Category: |
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| Requested Council Meeting Date: February 1, 2022 |
| Name of Group(s) or Individual(s) Making Request: Community Planning Services |
| Name of Presenter(s): Teresa Barringer, Development Services Manager |
| Requested Agenda Item: LDOTA-02-2021 |
| Description of Requested Agenda Item: An ordinance amending Chapter 4 Subdivisions and Infrastructure; Chapter 6 Lot, Infill, Additions & Accessory Provisions; Chapter 9 Environmental Provisions; Chapter 16 Development Plan Requirements; and Chapter 18 Definitions of the Land Development Ordinance. |
| Attachments: |
| Fiscal Note: (If fiscal note requires approval by finance department because item exceeds \$100,000 or is related to grant funds, please fill out signature blocks for finance at bottom of form and provide supporting documents) |
| Action Requested of Council for Agenda Item: Council to hold a public hearing with consideration to adopt an ordinance amending the Land Development Ordinance at the February 1, 2022 City Council meeting. |
| Contact Information for Group or Individual: Teresa Barringer, 704-638-5210 or tbarr@salisburync.gov |
| Consent Agenda (item requires no discussion and will be voted on by Council or removed from the consent agenda to the regular agenda) |
| Regular Agenda (item to be discussed and possibly voted on by Council) |
| FINANCE DEPARTMENT INFORMATION: |
| Finance Manager Signature Hannah Jacobson Department Head Signature |
| Budget Manager Signature |
| ****All agenda items must be submitted at least 7 days before the requested Council meeting date*** |

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| Approved | ☐ Delayed | ☐ Declined |
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| Reason: | | |



MEMORANDUM

TO: City Council

FROM: Teresa Barringer, Development Services Manager

DATE: City Council Meeting – February 1, 2022

SUBJECT: Land Development Ordinance Amendments – Multiple Chapters

The summary below is to provide insight into the proposed amendments of multiple chapters of the Land Development ordinance. The proposed amendments were reviewed by the Technical Review Committee on December 16, 2021 with a unanimous recommendation for approval. After much discussion, and contingent upon a few minor revisions to the proposals, Planning Board unanimously recommended approval at the January 11, 2022 courtesy hearing. Staff requests City Council consider approval of the proposed text amendments per the summary provided and attachments identified as Exhibits A-E:

Chapter 4 Subdivisions and Infrastructure: Staff proposes to revise the 'sidewalk pay in lieu program' to remove the planning districts and priority index scoring measures. This process locks funding in the specific districts prohibiting the City from utilizing the funding in nearby proximities. This measure has resulted in funding sitting for more than 10 years based upon improvement needs not being the priority to those specific districts. Changing the verbiage to improvements within the 'general area' of the City provides the much needed flexibility to access the funding for nearby improvements as needed. The amendment is also proposing to remove the discount rate per linear foot and calculate per the FY adopted fee schedule per linear foot which is still a cost savings to the developer. This alleviates the cost of development from being applied to the City. Additional text changes are for providing clarity to the development process and required improvements.

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- Chapter 6 Lot, Infill, Additions, and Accessory Provisions: Staff proposes to simplify the
 infill provisions relative to the comparison of lot width averages. The proposed process will
 maintain the intent of meeting the average lot widths, but reduce the amount of special exception
 requests. Staff is also requesting to remove the architectural compatibility standards from this
 chapter due to potential conflict with the NCSL 2015-86 which prohibits the design regulations
 of single family residential unless located in a national or local historic district. Minor
 changes of text for clarification are also included.
- Chapter 9 Environmental Provisions: Staff proposes revisions for consistency with the recent Council approval of the Uniform Construction Standards for single family sedimentation and erosion control requirements.
- Chapter 16 Development Requirements: Staff proposes a minor change that removes the requirement to submit hard copies of plans. All submittals are now digital.
- Chapter 18: Definitions: Staff proposes amendments to the definition of Bar, Tavern, and
 Nightclub to allow permitted-by-right primary uses to have on-site alcohol consumption under
 the regulation of ABC. This proposal is in line with the current discussions for future "Social
 Districts" to encourage a vibrant and growing downtown.

The proposed exhibits are attached for your review.

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The Salisbury Planning Board held a called virtual meeting on Tuesday, January 11th 2022, at 4 p.m. with the following being present:

PRESENT: John Struzick, Tim Norris, John Schaffer, Bill Burgin, Dennis Rogers, Jayne Land, Yvonne Dixon, and Jon Post.

STAFF: Teresa Barringer, Elizabeth Burke, Emily Vanek, Michael Hana, Craig Powers, Wendy Brindle, and Graham Corriher

WELCOME GUESTS AND VISITORS

John Schaffer, Chair, called the Planning Board meeting to order at 4 p.m. on 11/09/2021

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Planning Board Minutes of December 16, 2021 approved as submitted. Motion by Bill Burgin, seconded by Dennis Rogers. All in favor.

STAFF PRESENTATION

CASE NO. LDOTA-02-2021 MULTI-CHAPTER AMENDMENTS

Petitioner(s): Teresa Barringer

CHAPTER 4: SUBDIVISIONS AND INFRUSTRUCTURE

Teresa Barringer provided the proposed amendments with additional discussion identifying the purpose for each amendment. Ms. Barringer and additional staff members answered questions and provided clarification of each.

DISCUSSION

- 4.5: Mr. Schaffer inquired about inspections to provide support to enforce the new amendment. Mrs. Barringer and Mr. Schaffer had conversation regarding the process of accepting projects. Mrs. Barringer further clarified that acceptance is a separate process and is enforced through the constructions standards. Staff also explained the current functionality of the existing code.
- 4.9: The proposal includes changes to LDO 4.9.B relative to sidewalk alternatives to existing streets. Section 4.6.C was then discussed relative to changes to the sidewalk payment in lieu program. The current program allows a developer to choose to pay in lieu of installation with a potential reduced fee per the SPI scoring. Mr. Schaffer inquired if the City Employees who uses the funds are in support of the proposal. Mrs. Barringer did confirm that the departments and employees involved are in support. Staff also explained the current functionality of the existing code. Staff and board further discussed the intent of the text amendment and the legality behind it. Staff explained that funds previously collected prior to this meeting will still not be able to be utilized due to when the funds were collected, but it allows future funds to be used in the general area rather than the specific designated pedestrian zone. Staff and the board discussed the application of pedestrian zone, how it currently works and how it would work getting rid of it. Mr. Schaffer inquired if it applies to ETJ and Mrs. Barring confirmed that it does not. Mr. Schaffer inquired about the effectiveness of the proposed text amendment to assure it will not comeback due to ineffectiveness. Mr. Corriher clarified that there is a constitutional standard regarding charging developers and how it should benefit the development.

CHAPTER 6: LOT, INFILL, AND ACCESSORY PROVISIONS

Request for a text amendment associated with content in sections 6.3.E, 6.3.G., and 6.5.D relative to frontage width compatibility standards.

DISCUSSION

6.3.E: Mr. Schaffer inquired about the sequence of b and c. Mrs. Brindle assured that it would not make a difference due to 6.1.c providing the standards and b and c are following for clarification.

CHAPTER 9: ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION

Request for a LDO text amendment associated with content in section 9.3.

DISCUSSION

The board inquired where the number \$5,000 came from regarding fines. The staff stated that based on other ordinances within the City also states up to up to \$5,000. Mr. Burgin had a concern that it was to severe and staff responded that it is to prevent harm the environment. Mr. Tester confirmed that the state and the proposed text amendment confirmed that they were similar in restriction which is permitted but the City cannot be less restrictive. Staff also highlighted that there are multiple steps prior to fines being applied. The procedure is outlined in the stormwater ordinance. Mrs. Barringer recommended that the text amendment states upon notification prior to the paragraph. Staff and the board further discuss the difference between the current text and the proposed text amendment. Mr. Corriher highlights that there is a cap/max penalty is 25,000 within 180 days and can be placed in the text amendment. Mr. Burgin recommends referencing the stormwater standards. Mr. Powers highlighted the intent of the text amendment to inform and educate. The board recommends separating the paragraph moving to #1: failure to install or maintain erosion control will result in fines and renumber the others.

CHAPTER 16: DEVELOPMETN PLAN REQUIREMENTS

Request for a LDO text amendment to remove section 16.2 regarding the number of plans required for submittal to remove the requirement for hard copy plans.

DISCUSSION

Mr. Schaffer inquired should it be replaced with requirements regarding electronic submittals. Staff responded that it is included within the application process and does not need to be in the ordinance.

CHAPTER 18: DEFINITIONS

Request for a LDO text amendment associated to the definition of a Bar, Tavern, & Nightclub.

DISCUSSION

Proposal to eliminate the requirement to have a SUP approval in order for permitted by right primary uses to have the ability to have on site alcohol consumption available for their patrons. The issuance of a beer and wine license and regulatory enforcement will be governed by ABC board.

MOTION

Mr. Burgin made a motion to recommend approval to City Council of the LDOTA-02-2021 Multi-Chapter Amendments of Chapters 4, 6, 9, 16, and 18 request contingent upon revisions to relocate the verbiage relative to the fine to item #1 as a standalone statement while stating the proposal is consistent with Vision 2020. Seconded by Mrs. Dixon. All members voting AYE.

CONSTRUCTION STANDARDS AMENDMENT: RESIDENTIAL STREET CROSS SECTION Petitioner(s): Craig Powers

Request to amendment the City's Construction Standards for Residential Street Cross Section regarding asphalt and compacted stone requirements.

DISCUSSION

The board and staff discussed the difference between the existing standards and proposed changes due to the substandard street construction. The staff also discussed that the amendment will apply to all new projects after approved. Projects that received master plan approval prior the adoption of the new standards will have the option to choose old code or new code.

MOTION

Dennis Rogers made a motion to recommend approval to City Council as proposed. Seconded by Bill Burgin. All members voting AYE.

STAFF PRESENTATION CONSTRUCTION STANDARDS AMENDMENT: SINGLE FAMILY EROSION CONTROL AND SEDIMENTATION STANDARDS

Petitioner(s): Michael Hanna

Request to amend the City's Construction Standards' Single Family Erosion Control and Sediment Standards section regarding requirements for developments less than an acre.

DISCUSSION

MOTION

Mr. Burgin made a motion to recommend approval to City Council contingent upon penalty comment shown in 9.3.B.3 be relocated to become a standalone comment as 9.3.B.1 with subsequent numbers following. Seconded by Mr. Rogers. All members voting AYE.

| Other Business |
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| None ADJOURN 6 p.m. |
| There being no further business to come before the Planning Board the meeting was adjourned. |
| John Schaffer, Chair |
| Sheighla Temple, Planning Board Secretary |

LAND DEVELOPMENT ORDINANCE

LDOTA-02-2021 MULTI-CHAPTER AMENDMENTS:

CHAPTER 4 SUBDIVISIONS AND INFRASTRUCTURE

CHAPTER 6 LOT, INFILL, AND ACCESSORY PROVISIONS

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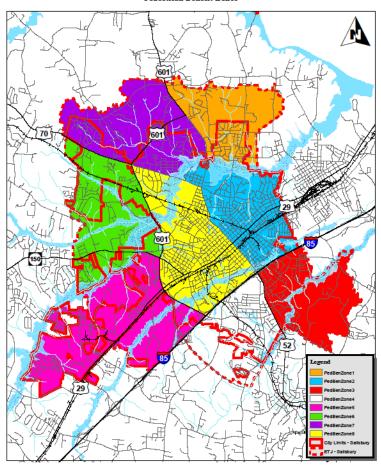
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REMOVAL OF APPENDIX B

PEDESTRIAN BENEFIT ZONES

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Pedestrian Benefit Zones



City of Salisbury Sidewalk Payment In-Lieu Inventory - Acct. 010-000-000-2550.00

| Case # ('ZP' if no Case #) | Approval or Adoption Date | Project Name | Project Address or Location | Sidewalk (linear feet) | FY Annual Cost/ft | Discounte d Cost/ft | Payment In-Lieu Amount | Payment Date (PER GP) | Plannin g District |
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| CD-7-02-2008-15 | 4/1/2008 | Sacred Heart Catholic Church & School | North Jake Alexander Boulevard | 465.00 | \$20.00 | | \$9,300.00 | 11/20/2009 | 9 |
| CD-8-05-2009-45 | 8/18/2009 | Taco Bell (John Leatherman) | West Jake Alexander Boulevard | 235.00 | \$25.00 | | \$5,875.00 | 1/8/2010 | 8 |
| CD-8-02-2009-24 | 4/21/2009 | City of Salisbury Customer Service Cntr | Martin Luther King, Jr. Avenue | 800.00 | \$25.00 | | \$20,000.00 | 12/15/2010 | 6 |
| MI-17-09 | 8/3/2009 | Henkel Corp | Cedar Springs Road | 1,326.10 | \$6.25 | | \$8,288.13 | 1/23/2013 | 7 |
| MI-20-10 | 8/29/2010 | Northgate Church | West Ridge Road | 344.00 | \$5.50 | | \$1,892.00 | 12/20/2011 | 9 |
| MI-10-11 | 12/9/2011 | Rowan County Farm Bureau | Birdie Drive | 297.00 | \$5.50 | | \$1,633.50 | 12/16/2011 | 7 |
| MI-10-11 | 12/9/2011 | Rowan County Farm Bureau | Mooresville Road | 297.00 | \$11.00 | | \$3,267.00 | 12/16/2011 | 7 |
| MI-14-11 | 10/24/2011 | Cedar Hills Family Farmer's Market | Sherrills Ford Road | 270.00 | \$5.50 | | \$1,485.00 | 12/20/2011 | 8 |
| MI-13-13 | 9/3/2013 | Carolina Cremations | 650 Industrial Ave | 128.00 | \$11.00 | | \$1,408.00 | 9/3/2013 | 2 |
| MI-18-13 | 6/27/2014 | Shat-R-Shield | 116 Ryan Patrick Dr | 400.00 | \$5.50 | | \$2,200.00 | 6/27/2014 | 7 |
| MI-03-16 | | Trelleborg | 510 Long Meadow Dr. | 245.00 | \$6.00 | | \$1,470.00 | 9/19/2014 | 7 |
| S-01-08 | | Goodsland LLC (subdivision) REGAL NAILS | S Martin Luther King Jr Ave 214 Faith Rd | 2,269.75 | \$10.00 | | \$22,697.50 | 8/25/2014 | 6 |
| MI-02-2016 | 2/29/2016 | Carpet Warehouse | 815 Corporate Circle | 259.27 | \$5.50 | | \$1,425.99 | 3/1/2016 | 6 |
| MI-10-16 | 1/13/2017 | Wallace Commons | 1303 Klumac Road | 176.00 | \$12.00 | \$12.00 | \$2,112.00 | 1/13/2017 | 6 |
| CD-02-2013 | 5/7/2013 | Gold Hill Apartments | 420 Gold Hill Drive | 950.00 | \$22.00 | | \$20,900.00 | 2/12/2018 | 4 |
| CD-05-2015 | 4/7/2015 | Home2Suites | 1300 S Jake Alexander Blvd | 115.00 | \$24.00 | | \$2,760.00 | 7/15/2019 | 4 |
| MI-05-2018 | 7/10/2018 | Habitat Restore Addition | 1707 S Main Street | 155.06 ft | \$12.00 | | \$1,860.72 | 7/10/2018 | 8 |
| MI-14-13 | | Premier Federal Credit Union | 940 Jake Alexander West | 1.00 | \$5,000.00 | | \$5,000.00 | 6/30/2015 | 8 |
| ZP | 8/10/2020 | Habitat For Humanity | 160 Union Heights Blvd | 61.00 | | \$6.62 | \$403.82 | 8/10/2020 | 4 |
| ZP | 12/30/2020 | Lone Ridge Development | 1225 Laurel Street | 75.00 | \$26.50 | \$13.25 | \$993.75 | 12/30/2020 | |
| zp | 10/20/2020 | CLC Construction - Glass Door Investments | 1824 2nd Street | 75.00 | | \$13.25 | \$993.75 | 10/20/2020 | |
| | 4/5/2021 | HABITAT FOR HUMANITY | 136 UNION HEIGHTS BLVD | 66.00 | | \$6.62 | \$436.92 | 4/5/2021 | 4 |
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| | 9/7/2021 | PRESPRO | 200 ASHBROOK RD | 125.00 | \$26.50 | \$6.62 | \$882.00 | 9/7/2021 | 7 |
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CHAPTER 6.3 INFILL PROVISIONS

6.3.E

E. Frontage Width Compatibility Standards

When an infill lot is proposed for subdivision, the following standards shall apply:

- Follow the General Provisions for Infill Compatibility, above, to determine Comparison and Exclusion Lots.
- Frontage Width Compatibility Procedures
 - a. Any reduced lot area or reduced frontage width due to averaging shall not fall below the required minimum lot area or lot width as established in the Building Types and Architectural Standards chapter of this Ordinance.
 - Determine the average frontage width of the comparison lots excluding the largest and smallest frontage width. This result then is the minimum lot frontage width required for compatibility. After determining the comparison lots, exclude the lot with the smallest frontage width. The minimum lot frontage shall be equal to, or greater than the smallest frontage of the lots that remain.
 - e. If the procedure for determining comparison lots (6.3.C.1) results in four (4) or less comparison lots, the process shall be modified to include lots on the opposite side of the street (excluding major or minor thoroughfares) within the 300-foot boundary. The minimum frontage width required for compatibility shall be the average frontage width of all lots selected by this method and not excluding the largest and smallest.

G. Architectural Compatibility Standards

When an infill lot is proposed for development of a single family, duplex, triplex, or quadruplex house building type, the following standards shall apply. In addition, all applicable provisions of Chapter 5, Building Types and Standards, shall remain in effect.

- Follow the General Provisions for Infill Compatibility, above, to determine Comparison and Exclusion Structures.
- Architectural Compatibility Procedures
 - a. After determining the comparison structures, establish a standard that at least 50% of the comparison structures meet or exceed the architectural elements listed below. The proposed infill structure shall then meet or exceed that established standard.
 - Architectural elements in hierarchical order of conformance to the Salisbury Vision 2020 Comprehensive Plan:

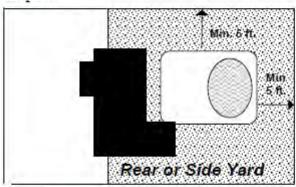
i. Roof Pitch

- Pitched Roof greater than 6:12
- Pitched Roof between 2:12 and 6:12
- Flat Roof or Pitched Roof up to 2:12
- . Foundation Type
 - Crawlspace or Basement
 - Solit level
 - Slab on grade
- ili. Garage Orientation
 - Detached
 - Attached Side or Rear Facing
 - Attached Street Facing

G.H. Access Compatibility Standards

D. Pools

 All pools, whether above-ground or in-ground, shall be located in the side or rear yards. The definition of a pool shall include all buildings and walks or patio areas of cement, stone, or wood, at or above grade, built for and used in conjunction with the pool.



- Pools, as defined above, shall be set back a minimum of five (5) feet from all
 side and rear property lines. Patio areas at grade have no setback requirements
 from rear and side lot lines.
- Pools shall be enclosed by a privacy fence (with self-latching gate) at a minimum height of four (4) feet and a maximum of eight (8) feet.

CHAPTER 9 ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION

Sedimentation and Erosion Control

9.3

A. All Land Disturbing Activity Exceeding One (1) Acre

In order to prevent soil erosion and sedimentation pollution, the developer shall comply with all requirements of the North Carolina Sedimentation Pollution Control Act of 1973, as amended. A Sedimentation and Erosion Control Plan approved by Rowan County Environmental Services Erosion Control (or other agencies having jurisdiction) shall be in place prior to any land disturbing activity.

B. All Land Disturbing Activity Under (1) Acre

The City of Salisbury Stormwater Ordinance requires that anyone conducting land-disturbing activity control sediment and provide adequate measures to retain sediment at the disturbed site. The total disturbed area of the site includes any borrow or waste areas that are used for the residential site, if the borrow or waste areas are not currently permitted by the City of Salisbury or NCDEQ. Land-disturbing activities include demolition and land cleaning. Erosion Control measures must be installed in accordance with the City of Salisbury Engineering Design & Construction Standards Procedures Manual.

- Failure to install or maintain erosion control measures may result in penalties of up to \$5,000 per day.
- A stabilized entrance pad of soil stabilization fabric, #5
 washed stone and railroad ballast mix shall be located where
 construction traffic will enter or leave the construction site
 onto a street. The construction entrance shall be a minimum of
 25 feet long by 14 feet wide, and 6" thick. The soil stabilization
 fabric shall extend the full length and width of the
 construction entrance.
- The construction entrance shall be maintained in a condition which will prevent tracking or flowing of sediment onto streets or existing pavement. This may require periodic top dressing with additional stone as conditions warrant and repair or cleanout of any measures used to trap sediment.
- Any sediment spilled, dropped, washed, or tracked onto streets or sidewalk must be removed immediately. Any aggregate tracked into the street or sidewalk must be swept back onsite on a nightly basis.

CHAPTER 16 DEVELOPMENT PLAN REQUIREMENTS

16.2 Number of Plan Sets Required

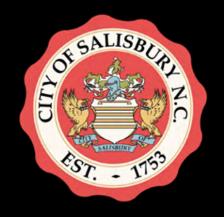
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CHAPTER 18 DEFINITIONS

Bar/Tavern/Nightclub: A business where alcoholic beverages are sold for on-site consumption, which are not part of a larger restaurant use or other permitted by right primary use with alcohol consumption being secondary to the primary use. Includes bars, taverns, pubs, and similar establishments where any food service is subordinate to the sale of alcoholic beverages. May also include beer brewing as part of a microbrewery and other beverage tasting facilities. Entertainment including live music, and/or dancing, comedy, etc. may also be included.

CONSISTENCY STATEMENT:

The proposed amendments to the Land Development Ordinance as underlined or stricken herein are reasonable, in the public interest, and consistent with the Vision 2020 Comprehensive Plan relative to continually refining the policies and provisions of the development process and finding creative solutions for unique properties while protecting neighborhood interests.



The City of Salisbury Planning Board unanimously recommended approval of the aforementioned amendments of the Land Development Ordinance at the January 11, 2022 Planning Board Meeting contingent upon minor revisions which have been met.

Required Infrastructure Improvements (Subdivisions & Site Development)

- A. In addition to the standards found elsewhere in this Ordinance, all development shall install or provide the following improvements, as applicable. All infrastructure shall be designed and constructed in accordance with the City of Salisbury *Uniform Construction Standards Manual.*
 - Water supply distribution and fire hydrants
 - Sanitary sewer
 - Streets (paved) and other public rights-of-ways (e.g., greenway paths)
 - Easements
 - Sidewalks
 - Curb and gutter
 - Street lighting (upgraded or decorative)
 - Wiring (All utilities serving new development shall be underground.)
 - Dedicated recreational open space (in residential districts)
 - Landscaping (Including Supplemental Tree Plantings, such as Street Trees)
 - Storm drainage infrastructure
 - Special street signs and other traffic control devices in accordance with the Manual of Uniform Traffic Control Devices, latest edition
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 - Only within the corporate city limits, sidewalks shall be installed in all zoning districts, except the OSP and RR districts, within the right-of-way of the applicable parcel(s) street frontage, per Section 4.9 and the type, size, location, and finish provisions of Section 4.7
 - A definable pedestrian connection shall be provided from a primary building entrance to the fronting public sidewalk system
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 - Right-of-way reservation shall be granted along the applicable parcel(s) street frontage pursuant to the adopted MPO Comprehensive Transportation (CTP) and applicable NC-DOT standards

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Sidewalk Program

A. Sidewalk Requirements

- Existing Streets: As part of a proposed subdivision or new development along an
 existing publicly-maintained street in the corporate city limits, sidewalks shall be
 constructed along all applicable street frontages per the standards of Section 4.7 of
 this chapter.
- Infill Lots: Sidewalk construction may not be required if the new development lot is considered an infill lot pursuant to Section 6.3.I, Infill Provisions, Sidewalk Compatibility Standards.
- 3. New Streets: As part of new street construction, within the corporate city limits or areas requesting annexation, sidewalks shall be constructed along both sides of the new street per the standards of Section 4.7 of this chapter.

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- a. Colleges: Factors contributing to colleges generating heavy pedestrian activity include a young population, businesses that eater to students, and the fact that many students do not own automobiles. In addition, students, faculty, and staff often live nearby. Therefore, all street segments within 1/4-mile of all college campuses are assigned a value of 3.
- b. Greenways & Parks: Greenways and parks attract recreational users of all ages. Greenways, specifically, are part of the pedestrian infrastructure itself and are used for transportation purposes. Additionally, Salisbury is unique in that all parks in the system, except for the Community Park, are accessible by foot and are all adjacent to an existing neighborhood. Therefore, all street segments within 1/4-mile of existing Greenways and parks are assigned a value of 3.
- e. Transit: Almost all bus users begin and end their trips as pedestrians.

 Accordingly, safe and continuous pedestrian facilities are an integral component of a public transit system. Therefore, all street segments within 1/4-mile of a transit route are assigned a value of 3.

3. The following are assigned a value of 2:

- a. High Schools: Based on the fact that elementary, middle, and high schools can generate many daily walking trips by students, whose ages typically make them among the most vulnerable pedestrians, all street segments within 1/4-mile of high schools are assigned a value of 2.
- b. Historic Overlay: Based on the traditional grid street network, traditional medium-density platting, and the proximity of these district overlays to neighborhood service and support, all street segments within the overlay are assigned a value of 2.

4. The following are assigned a value of 1:

- a. Civic Facilities: Because Salisbury's civic buildings provide services to a wide range of users, including children, senior adults, and disabled people, all street segments within a ¼-mile of these facilities have been assigned a value of 1.
- b. Commercial Nodes: Based on the potential for higher density housing and mixing of uses generally located in pods at significant intersections throughout the city, all street segments within ¼-mile of the nodes are assigned a value of 1.
- e. East Innes Gateway Overlay: Based on the spirit and intent of this separate overlay ordinance, the importance of the pedestrian and appropriately-scaled development assigns a value of 1 to the street segments within this district.
- Elementary & Middle Schools: Based on the fact that elementary, middle, and high schools can generate many daily walking trips by students, whose

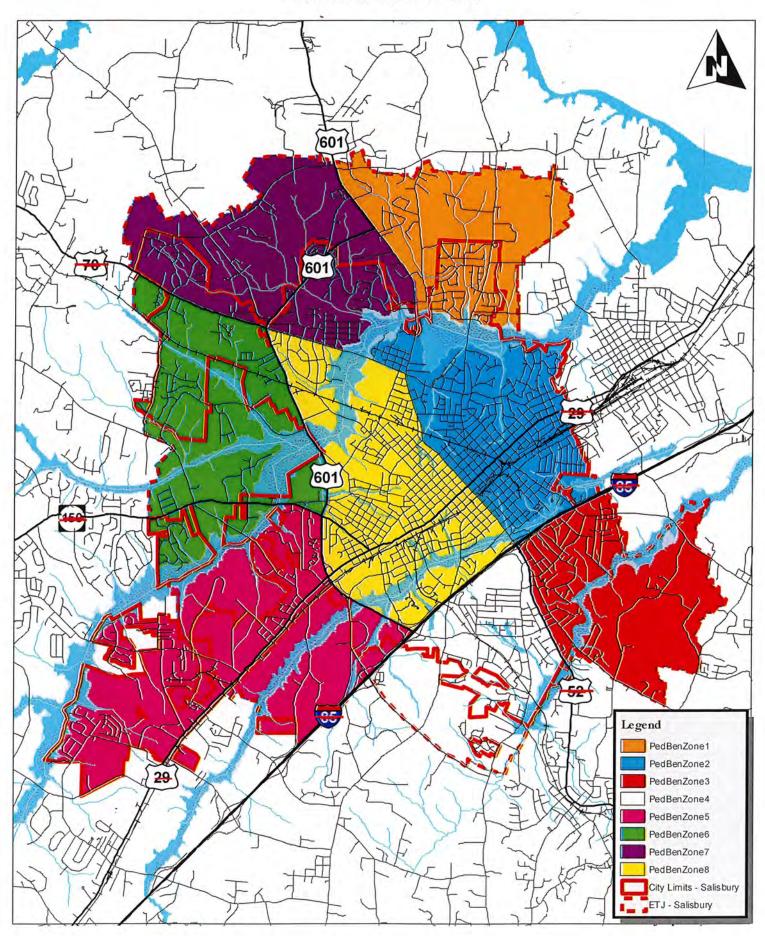
ages typically make them among the most vulnerable pedestrians, all street segments within ¼-mile of elementary and middle schools are assigned a value of 1.

- e. Groceries & Health Clubs: Due to the current lack of regional commercial development in Salisbury, the majority of all grocery stores are still within the heaviest commercial nodes and adjacent to existing neighborhoods. Our large-scale grocery stores still have the advantage of serving the public in a manner similar to small scale convenience. Regarding health clubs, Salisbury recognizes the importance of healthful living and becoming a more active community. Accordingly, all street segments within ¼-mile of groceries and health clubs have been assigned a value of 1.
- f. Medical Facilities: Hospitals and smaller medical facilities in Salisbury are large employment centers, and two of which are located adjacent to well-established neighborhoods and transit facilities. This characteristic generates a considerable amount of pedestrian activity and transit use. Accordingly, all street segments within ¼-mile of these facilities have been assigned a value of 1.
- g. Presence of Sidewalk: The presence of existing sidewalk within a scoring roadway segment has been assigned a value of 1. This factor recognizes that completing a sidewalk network and providing continuity of facilities generally has greater value to pedestrians.
- h. Thoroughfares: Thoroughfares are the most significant through streets in a roadway system and provide direct access to many destinations. In addition, the speed and volume of motor vehicle traffic intensifies pedestrians need for separate facilities. Accordingly, Major and Minor Thoroughfares have been assigned a value of 1.

Scoring is determined along roadway segments — regardless of development or parcel size. This prevents individual major pedestrian generating projects from coincidentally falling outside of many of the scoring characteristics and avoiding installation. In addition, it ensures continuity of the sidewalk network between "significant" intersections, railroad crossings, or other important features. The segment boundaries employed to determine the SPI score that are first encountered, in any combination, shall be as follows:

- 1. Signalized intersections
- 2. Four-way stop intersection
- Two-way stop intersections
- Railroad crossings
- 5. Or a distance of approximately ½-mile to the nearest intersection, crossing, or environmental feature if none of the above occur earlier

Pedestrian Benefit Zones



D. Building Type Compatibility Standards

When an infill lot is located within, or along the edge of, an established neighborhood, the following standards shall apply:

- Multi-family development in the House building type may be located along the same, or opposing, block face as other single, duplex, or multi-family House building types.
- Townhouse or Apartment building types shall only be located along a major or minor thoroughfare or at any street intersection.

E. Frontage Width Compatibility Standards

When an infill lot is proposed for subdivision, the following standards shall apply:

- Follow the General Provisions for Infill Compatibility, above, to determine Comparison and Exclusion Lots.
- 2. Frontage Width Compatibility Procedures
 - a. Any reduced lot area or reduced frontage width due to averaging shall not fall below the required minimum lot area or lot width as established in the Building Types and Architectural Standards chapter of this Ordinance.
 - b. Determine the average frontage width of the comparison lots excluding the largest and smallest frontage width. This result then is the minimum lot frontage width required for compatibility. After determining the comparison lots, exclude the lot with the smallest frontage width. The minimum lot frontage shall be equal to, or greater than the smallest frontage of the lots that remain.
 - e. If the procedure for determining comparison lots (6.3.C.1) results in four (4) or less comparison lots, the process shall be modified to include lots on the opposite side of the street (excluding major or minor thoroughfares) within the 300-foot boundary. The minimum frontage width required for compatibility shall be the average frontage width of all lots selected by this method and not excluding the largest and smallest.

3. Frontage Width Special Exception

A frontage width special exception is an authorization to subdivide the subject property when the compatibility procedures, above, require a minimum frontage width that is unattainable and where the preferred or attainable frontage width would otherwise be prohibited.

- a. The Planning Board shall be authorized to grant a frontage width special exception.
- b. The frontage width special exception process shall follow quasi-judicial proceedings.
- c. Frontage width special exception procedures:

F. Structure Build-To and Siting Compatibility Standards

When an infill lot is proposed for development of a single-family, duplex, triplex, or quadruplex house building type, the following standards shall apply:

1. Structure Build-To Procedures

- a. Any reduced front build-to line due to averaging shall not fall below the required minimum front setback as established in the Building Types and Architectural Standards chapter of this Ordinance.
- b. Determine the average front setback of the closest house building type on either side of the subject lot facing the same street. This result, or a match of the closer setback to the street, shall be the established front build-to line for compatibility.
- c. When the subject lot is a corner lot, determine which street the subject lot fronts upon and then determine the average front setback of the two closest house building types facing the same street. This result, or a match of the closer setback to the street, shall be the established front build-to line for compatibility.

2. Siting Compatibility Procedures

- a. Follow the General Provisions for Infill Compatibility, above, to determine Comparison and Exclusion Structures.
- b. When the predominant (more than 50%) comparison structures are aligned parallel or perpendicular relative to the street centerline, the proposed infill structure shall conform to that alignment.

G. Architectural Compatibility Standards

When an infill lot is proposed for development of a single-family, duplex, triplex, or quadruplex house building type, the following standards shall apply. In addition, all applicable provisions of Chapter 5, Building Types and Standards, shall remain in effect.

- Follow the General Provisions for Infill Compatibility, above, to determine Comparison and Exclusion Structures.
- 2. Architectural Compatibility Procedures
 - a. After determining the comparison structures, establish a standard that at least 50% of the comparison structures meet or exceed the architectural elements listed below. The proposed infill structure shall then meet or exceed that established standard.
 - b. Architectural elements in hierarchical order of conformance to the Salisbury Vision 2020 Comprehensive Plan:

CHAPTER 6: LOT, INFILL, ADDITION, AND ACCESSORY PROVISIONS

i. Roof Pitch

- Pitched Roof greater than 6:12
- Pitched Roof between 2:12 and 6:12
- Flat Roof or Pitched Roof up to 2:12

ii. Foundation Type

- Crawlspace or Basement
- Split-level
- Slab on grade

iii. Garage Orientation

- Detached
- Attached Side or Rear Facing
- Attached Street Facing

G.H. Access Compatibility Standards

- When an infill lot is located along a block face that has vehicular access only via public or private alleys, vehicular access to the site shall be via the alley.
- 2. When an infill lot is located along a block face that has access to public or private alleys but the predominant (more than 50%) form of vehicular access to the block face is via street-side driveways, either the alley or street-side driveway may be utilized.
- 3. When an infill lot is located along a block face that predominantly (more than 50%) utilizes shared driveways, vehicular access to the site shall be via the shared driveway, if possible.

H. Sidewalk Compatibility Standards

- Follow the General Provisions for Infill Compatibility, above, to determine Comparison and Exclusion Lots;
- 2. If a public sidewalk is present along the block face of the subject lot within the street right-of-way of the comparison lots, then the applicable length of sidewalk shall be installed along the subject lot's street frontage or payment made into the Sidewalk Payment In Lieu Program per Section 4.9 of this Ordinance.

6.7 Containment Areas for Trash and Recyclables (Excluding Single Family and Duplex Uses)

All containment devices for trash and recyclables, including compactors, dumpsters, commercial roll-out bins, and areas for storing cardboard shall be located and designed so as not to be visible from the view of adjacent streets and properties and shall be placed in the side or rear yards only. All containment areas shall meet the following standards:



Image depicting appropriate screening requirements of dumpsters.

- A. All containment areas shall be enclosed to contain windblown litter.
- B. The enclosure shall be at least as high as the highest point of the compactor or dumpster.
- C. The enclosure shall be made of a material that is opaque at the time of installation and compatible with and/or similar to the design and materials of the principal building.
- D. All compactors and dumpsters shall be placed on a concrete pad that is large enough to provide adequate support, allows for positive drainage, and conforms to the Rowan County Health Department regulations governing compactor pads. A concrete apron shall also extend from the pad for support.
- E. The enclosure shall contain gates that are constructed out of a solid opaque material to allow for access and security. Chain link enclosures or gates are prohibited.
- F. Dumpsters and compactors shall be located within the side or rear yard behind buildings and away from sidewalks or pedestrian circulation. Such locations should be accessible to service vehicles.

6.8 Mechanical Equipment Screening

- A. Mechanical equipment for non-residential buildings (which includes HVAC units and other such external utility equipment as defined in Chapter 18, Definitions) at ground level shall be placed on the parking lot side of the building and away from buildings on adjacent sides. It shall be screened from the public street by walls, fencing and/or landscaping.
- B. Mechanical equipment for residential buildings shall be in the side or rear yards only.
- C. Mechanical equipment on rooftops shall be screened from the view of the public street.

Chapter 9. Environmental Protection

9.1 Purpose and Intent

A primary and fundamental element of this Ordinance is the protection of our existing environmental resources including floodplains and other stream corridors, wetlands, watersheds and groundwater recharge areas, soils, forest stands, specimen trees and other significant vegetation and wildlife. These elements are of economic value to the City and make it a desirable place to live and visit.

- 9.1 Purpose and Intent
- 9.2 Demolition Landfill Development
- 9.3 Sedimentation and Erosion Control
- 9.4 Predevelopment Site Grading
- 9.5 Flood Damage Protection Ordinance
- 9.6 Watershed Protection Ordinance
- 9.7 Phase II Storm Water Ordinance

9.2 Demolition Landfill Development

Areas that have been used for the disposal of solid waste shall not be subdivided into commercial or residential building sites. This includes areas that have been used for the disposal of trash, demolition waste, construction debris, stumps, and other waste materials.

9.3 Sedimentation and Erosion Control

A. All Land Disturbing Activity Exceeding One (1) Acre

In order to prevent soil erosion and sedimentation pollution, the developer shall comply with all requirements of the North Carolina Sedimentation Pollution Control Act of 1973, as amended. A Sedimentation and Erosion Control Plan approved by Rowan County Environmental Services Erosion Control (or other agencies having jurisdiction) shall be in place prior to any land disturbing activity.

B. All Land Disturbing Activity Under (1) Acre

The City of Salisbury Stormwater Ordinance requires that anyone conducting land-disturbing activity control sediment and provide adequate measures to retain sediment at the disturbed site. The total disturbed area of the site includes any borrow or waste areas that are used for the residential site, if the borrow or waste areas are not currently permitted by the City of Salisbury or NCDEQ. Land-disturbing activities include demolition and land clearing. Erosion Control measures must be installed in accordance with the City of Salisbury Engineering Design & Construction Standards Procedures Manual.

- Failure to install or maintain erosion control measures may result in penalties of up to \$5,000 per day.
- 2. A stabilized entrance pad of soil stabilization fabric, #5 washed stone and railroad ballast mix shall be located where construction traffic will enter or leave the construction site onto a street. The construction entrance shall be a minimum of 25 feet long by 14 feet wide, and 6" thick. The soil stabilization fabric shall extend the full length and width of the construction entrance.

- The construction entrance shall be maintained in a condition which will prevent tracking or flowing of sediment onto streets or existing pavement. This may require periodic top dressing with additional stone as conditions warrant and repair or cleanout of any measures used to trap sediment.
- Any sediment spilled, dropped, washed, or tracked onto streets
 or sidewalk must be removed immediately. Any aggregate
 tracked into the street or sidewalk must be swept back onsite
 on a nightly basis.

9.4 Pre-Development Site Grading

Predevelopment site grading may commence only with a permit issued in accordance with the provisions of Section 15.5. Predevelopment site grading, for the purpose of this Ordinance, is any land disturbing activity of one acre or more that is not regulated by a previously-approved site plan. The grading may be considered a "low impact" or "high impact" activity based on the table below. If one or more of the high impact activities exist, it is considered high impact.

| Low Impact Activity | High Impact Activity | | | |
|--|--|--|--|--|
| 1. Land disturbing activity is more than 100 feet from a residential district. | 1. Land disturbing activity is 100 feet or less from a residential district. | | | |
| 2. Land disturbing activity will not intrude into either the Street Yard landscaping area or Planting Yard landscaping area (see Chapter 8, Landscaping) | 2. Land disturbing activity will intrude into either the Street Yard area or the Planting Yard landscaping area (see Chapter 8, Landscaping) | | | |
| 3. The steepness of the proposed slope at clearing limit is 3:1 (horizontal: vertical) or flatter | 3. The steepness of the proposed slope at clearing limit is greater (steeper) than 3:1 (horizontal: vertical) | | | |
| 4. The height of proposed grade change (cut or fill) is less than or equal to 3 feet. | 4. The height of the proposed grade change is greater than 3 feet. | | | |

9.5 Flood Damage Protection Ordinance

The Flood Damage Prevention Ordinance is codified into the City of Salisbury Land Development Ordinance as Appendix C.

9.6 Watershed Protection Ordinance

A. General Provisions

1. Authority

The Legislature of the State of North Carolina has, in Chapter 160A, Article Section 174, General Code Authority; and in Chapter 143, Article 21, Watershed Protection Rules, delegated the responsibility or directed local governmental units to adopt regulations designed to promote the public health,

Chapter 16. DEVELOPMENT PLAN REQUIREMENTS

16.1 Purpose and Intent

This Chapter describes the information required for all development activity to ensure compliance with the standards found in this Ordinance. The submission of a complete application in accordance with this Chapter is necessary prior to the scheduling of any review by the Administrator, Technical Review Committee, Planning Board, and/or City Council.

16.2 Number of Plan Sets Required

Five (5) sets of each applicable plan type shall be submitted.

16.1 Purpose and Intent

- 16.2 Number of Plan Sets Required
- 16.3 Schematic Plan Requirements
- 16.4 Master Plan / Preliminary Plat Requirements
- 16.5 Construction Document Requirements
- 16.6 Final Plat Requirements
- 16.7 Final Plat Required Certifications
- 16.8 Record Plat Requirement
- 16.9 Floodplain Development Permit Requirements
- 16.10 Landscape Plan Requirements
- 16.11 Lighting Plan Requirements
- 16.12 Building Design Plan Requirements
- 16.13 Transportation Impact Analysis

16.3 Schematic Plan Requirements

The Schematic Plan shall show in simple form the proposed layout of streets, lots, buildings, public open spaces and other features in relation to existing conditions based upon the size of the tract proposed for development. Schematic Plans shall be reviewed as binding documents for Zoning Permits, but shall be used for non-binding review for all other development application processes in which a Schematic Plan is required. All plans shall be submitted at a scale not less than 1 inch = 50 feet unless otherwise authorized by the Administrator.

Schematic Plans shall include the following information:

- A. A vicinity map, including north arrow, showing the location of the subdivision in relation to neighboring tracts, subdivisions, roads, and waterways.
- B. The name, address, and telephone number of the property owner.
- C. The name of the proposed development.
- **D.** The boundary lines of the property and total acreage.
- E. Proposed lot lines and street network.
- F. The existing and proposed land uses and the existing land uses of adjacent properties.
- G. If deemed necessary by the Administrator, existing topographic conditions shall be provided. Contours should not exceed 5 foot intervals. Rowan County or City of Salisbury topographic information may be used to fulfill this requirement.

RETAIL

Alcoholic Beverage Sales Store: The retail sales of beer, wine, and/or other alcoholic beverages for off-premise consumption as a primary use. (LBCS F2155)

Auto Parts Sales: Establishments selling new, uses, or rebuilt automotive parts and accessories. Examples include parts and supply stores, automotive stereo stores, speed shops, truck cap stores, and tires and tube shops. (LBCS F2115)

Bar/Tavern/Nightclub: A business where alcoholic beverages are sold for on-site consumption, which are not part of a larger restaurant use or other permitted by right primary use with alcohol consumption being secondary to the primary use. Includes bars, taverns, pubs, and similar establishments where any food service is subordinate to the sale of alcoholic beverages. May also include beer brewing as part of a microbrewery and other beverage tasting facilities. Entertainment including live music, and/or dancing, comedy, etc. may also be included.

Drive-Thru Retail/Restaurants: A facility where food and other products may be purchased by motorists without leaving their vehicles. Examples include: fast-food restaurants, drive-through coffee, dairy product, photo stores, pharmacies, etc.

Gas Station: Establishment that primarily retails automotive fuels. These establishments may further provide services such as automotive repair, automotive oils, and/or replacement parts and accessories. Gas stations include structures that are specialized for selling gasoline with storage tanks, often underground or hidden. Bays for car washes may also be included. (LBCS F2116 and S2270)

General Retail-3,500 sf or less: A use category allowing premises to be available for the commercial sale of merchandise and prepared foods, but excluding manufacturing.

Ranging in size of 10,000 square feet or less. (LBCS F2100)

General Retail-3,501 sf – 50,000 sf: A use category allowing premises to be available for the commercial sale of merchandise and prepared foods, but excluding manufacturing. Ranging in size between 10,001 square feet and 50,000 square feet. (*LBCS F2100*)

General Retail-Greater than 50,000 sf: A use category allowing premises to be available for the commercial sale of merchandise and prepared foods, but excluding manufacturing. Greater than 50,000 square feet.

Restaurant: A retail business selling ready-toeat food and/or beverages for on or offpremise consumption. Customers may be served from an ordering counter (i.e. cafeteria or limited service restaurant); at their tables (full-service restaurant); and, at exclusively pedestrian-oriented facilities that serve from a walk-up ordering counter (snack and/or nonalcoholic bars). (LBCS F2510, F2520, and F2530)

Shopping-Neighborhood Center: Sizes vary from 30,000 to 150,000 square feet on sites ranging from 3 to 15 acres, and have a 3-mile primary trade area radius. Typically serves immediate neighborhood with convenience shopping. Often anchored by a supermarket or drugstore. (LBCS \$2510)

Shopping Center-Community Center:

Usually configured as a strip center. Sizes vary from 100,000 to 350,000 square feet on sites ranging in size from 10 to 40 acres and have a 3- to 6-mile primary trade area radius. Serves a wider market than neighborhood and also offers wider range of goods, especially apparel goods. Anchors include supermarkets, super drug stores, and discount department stores. Some centers may also contain off-price retail stores selling toys, electronics, sporting goods, and home improvement and furnishings. (LBCS \$2520)

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTERS 4 (SUBDIVISIONS AND INFRASTRUCTURE), 6 (LOT, INFILL, AND ACCESSORY PROVISIONS), 9 (ENVIRONMENTAL PROVISIONS), 16 (DEVELOPMENT PLAN REQUIREMENTS), AND 18 (DEFINITIONS) OF THE LAND DEVELOPMENT ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF SALISBURY, NORTH CAROLINA. (PETITION NO. LDOTA-02-2021)

WHEREAS, the Salisbury Planning Board, an advisory board to the Salisbury City Council, reviewed the text amendment on January 11, 2022 and hereby recommends its approval; and

WHEREAS, the City Council held a properly-noticed public hearing at the regularly-scheduled City Council meeting of February 1, 2022; and

WHEREAS, the City Council hereby finds and determines that adoption of an ordinance to amend the Land Development Ordinance of the City of Salisbury as underlined or stricken herein is reasonable, in the public interest, and not inconsistent with the Vision 2020 Comprehensive Plan.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED by the City Council of the City of Salisbury, North Carolina:

- SECTION 1. That CHAPTERS 4 (SUBDIVISIONS, 6 (LOT, INFILL, AND ACCESSORY PROVISIONS), 9 (ENVIRONMENTAL PROVISIONS), 16 (DEVELOPMENT PLAN REQUIREMENTS), AND 18 (DEFINITIONS) EXHIBITS A, B, C, D, AND E are amended as underlined or stricken.
- SECTION 2. That all ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict with this ordinance are hereby repealed to the extent of such conflict.
 - SECTION 3. That this ordinance shall be effective from and after its passage.



Salisbury City Council will hold a public hearing Tuesday, February 1, 2022 during its 6:00 p.m. meeting to consider the following request. The City is operating under a State of Emergency declaration related to the spread of COVID-19. To remain consistent with limiting physical interactions and the potential spread of COVID-19, the regularly scheduled February 1, 2022 City Council meeting will be held electronically. Anyone who wishes to speak during the hearing regarding the request must sign-up by 5:00 p.m. on Tuesday, February 1, 2022 by contacting Kelly Baker at kbake@salisburync.gov or 704-638-5233. Information on accessing the meeting will be available on the City's website at www.salisburync.gov. The meeting can also be viewed on the City's livestream at www.salisburync.gov/webcast or the City's Twitter account at https://twitter.com/CitySalisburyNC.

ZONING TEXT AMENDMENT: LDOTA-02-2021 **Petitioner(s)...** City of Salisbury **Size / Scope...** Chapters 4, 6, 9, 16, and 18

REQUEST - LDO TEXT AMENDMENT:

Request to amend multiple chapters of the Salisbury Land Development Ordinance, Chapters 4, 6, 9, 16, and 18 relative to infrastructure, infill, and environmental provisions with additional minor changes to plan submittal requirements and a clarified definition of Bar, Tavern, and Nightclub.

PLANNING BOARD RECOMMENDATION:

This request was considered by the City of Salisbury Planning Board on January 11, 2021 at its regular scheduled meeting online via Zoom. The Salisbury Planning Board recommended approval of LDOTA-02-2021 as propose with a minor change to the text formatting.

A copy of the proposed amendment is available for public review at Development and Code Services (132 North Main Street). Persons wishing a copy, or additional information, should call (704) 638-5208. If persons would like to respond in writing, they may do so by mailing a letter to 132 North Main St., Salisbury, NC 28144; or by e-mail to kbake@salisburync.gov.

Citizens interested in the proposal are invited to attend and participate in the public hearing. Changes may be made in the above proposal as a result of debate, objection, or discussion.

This the day of January 14, 2022.

CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SALISBURY, NORTH CAROLINA

BY: Kelly Baker, MMC

Administrative Services Director/City Clerk

Salisbury City Council Agenda Item Request Form



| Please Select Submission Category: | | | | |
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| Requested Council Meeting Date: February 1, 2022 | | | | |
| Name of Group(s) or Individual(s) Making Request: Councilmember David Post | | | | |
| Name of Presenter(s): Councilmember David Post | | | | |
| Requested Agenda Item: Council to receive an update on Kiva. | | | | |
| Description of Requested Agenda Item: Councilmember Post will provide an update on the Kiva initia | ative. | | | |
| Attachments: Yes No | | | | |
| Fiscal Note: (If fiscal note requires approval by finance department because item exceeds \$100,000 or is related to grant funds, please fill out sign blocks for finance at bottom of form and provide supporting documents) | ature | | | |
| Action Requested of Council for Agenda Item: Receive an update on Kiva . Please note if item includes an ordinance, resolution or petition) | | | | |
| Contact Information for Group or Individual: Councilmember David Post | | | | |
| Consent Agenda (item requires no discussion and will be voted on by Council or removed from the consent agenda to the regular agenda) | | | | |
| Regular Agenda (item to be discussed and possibly voted on by Council) Announcement | | | | |
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| Budget Manager Signature | | | | |
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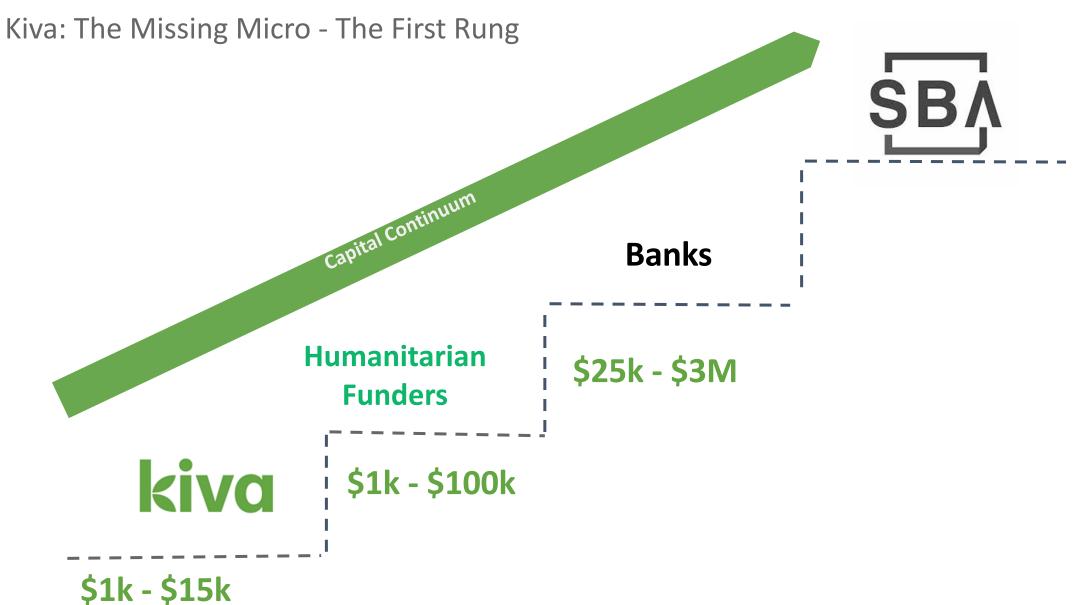


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Kiva Model kiva **Funders Platform Fee Matching Funds** "3-legged stool"

Trustee

- Borrower endorsement
- Assist HUB with technical assistance
- Board of 10-12 of local citizens

Hub

Capital Access Manager
Marketing, borrower support

Kiva Hubs: Leveraging Oakland's Community's Existing Strengths

The Kiva Ecosystem in Oakland KAISER PERMANENTE anewamerica community corporation Through the Kiva Hubs model, multiple existing economic development stakeholders can find a new way to collaborate: UPTIMA Hubs, through their CAMs, connect borrowers and Trustees to the Kiva platform Google CENTRO SAN CENTRO FRANCISCO FOUNDATION **Trustees** provide technical assistance crucial for CITY OF OAKLAND strengthening small businesses MAIN STREE CITY OF OAKLAND **Funders** cover the cost of the CAM salary and the Capital One Kiva membership fee Oakland Fund for

Every Community is Unique

Collaboration Among Multiple Stakeholders

Through the Kiva Hubs Model, the community designs the combination of stakeholders that works for it.

Funders cover Kiva (\$25,000 per year, (sometimes the cost of the CAM), and (optional) borrower matching funds.

Hubs provide marketing, Capital Access Manager (CAM), servicing, and connecting to trustees.

Trustees provide technical assistance crucial for strengthening small businesses.

| Funder | Hub | Trustee | |
|-----------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|--|
| Foundation | City Government | Incubator | |
| City Government | Technical Assistance | City Government | |
| Local Corporations | CDFI | Technical Assistance | |
| Bank | Incubator | CDFI | |

How other Cities are organized

Fayetteville, AR

City of Rochester, NY

Madison, Wisconsin

Chattanooga, TN

| Funder | Hub | Trustee |
|-----------------------------|--------------------|--------------------|
| Walton Family Foundation | Startup Junkie | Startup Junkie |
| Funder | Hub | Trustee |
| City Government | City Government | City Government |
| Funder | Hub | Trustee |
| Local Corporation | CDFI | TA Provider |
| | | |
| Funder | Hub | Trustee |
| City Government | Incubator | TA Provider |

Typical Borrower



Borrower Profiles

- Minority or Woman
- Low credit rating
- No collateral
- Below bank minimum lending limit

 $\rightarrow \rightarrow \rightarrow$ In other words, no access to financing / capital

Types of loans in US

- \$7,500 for food truck (Female in FL)
- \$5,000 Equipment for studio spa (Female in Winston-Salem, NC)
- \$8,000 for environmentally conscious general store (Female in WI)
- \$2,500 for African Light Book and Coffee Shop" (Male in MN)

Funder & Matching Fund



City of Salisbury

Paid \$25,000 fee to join Kiva Providing \$60,000 for Matching Fund

Matching Program

- Matches funds raised on Kiva platform
- Originally 2-to-1 (so \$1 raised is matched with another \$1)
- In late 2021, Kiva permitted 3- or 4-1 match
- May have more than one Funder
- Salisbury has set aside \$60,000 for matching fund
- Efforts to raise additional \$50,000-100,000 underway

Borrower process

Hub Capital Access Manager

- Markets Kiva, sources Borrowers, "quasi-underwrites" Borrower
- Trustee endorses Borrower

Borrower raises funds:

- Private period 15 days 10-20 loans from family & friends (\$25 each)
- Public Period 30 days to raise balance of loan

Example: Borrower seeks \$5,250 and is approved by Kiva with Managed Lending Fund in place

- 1. During first 15 days, Borrower raises \$25 from 10 friends and family = \$250
- 2. Public goal = \$5,000
- 3. During next 30 days, public loans borrower \$2,500
- 4. Managed Lending Fund invests \$2,500

All or Nothing

If \$5,250 raised, Borrower receives funds and has 3 years to repay

If \$5,250 not raised, all Lender and Managed Fund monies are refunded and Borrower gets \$0

Nationally: 95% of loans are funded

Problems encountered

Self-Help

- Changes in Capital Access Manager (CAM)
- Change in leadership
- Manager is parttime teller so lacks time to get out into the community

Matching Program

- Stay the course (March is start)
 - Renew contract with Kiva
 - Kiva renews with Self-Help
- Change HUB and CAM
 - CDC as HUB; Gemale Black as CAM
 - Funding provided by Robertson for at least first year
- City or city-agency become HUB
 - Understanding the process well enough
 - Logistical issues: Underwriting and servicing

Results for 2021-2022

4 borrowers put on Kiva platform

No notice to Salisbury or to "Trustees"