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 October 6, 2020 by contacting Kelly Baker at kbake@salisburync.gov or 704-638-5233.

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

- RUTH BADER GINSBURG REMEMBRANCE DAY         September 18, 2020
- NAACP FREEDOM FUND DAY                          October 24, 2020
- ROWAN COUNTY UNITED WAY MONTH                   October 2020
- NATIONAL CRIME PREVENTION MONTH                 October 2020
- DOMESTIC VIOLENCE AWARENESS MONTH               October 2020

6. Council to consider the CONSENT AGENDA:

(a) Adopt Minutes of the Regular meetings of September 1, 2020 and September 15, 2020 and the Special meeting of September 23, 2020.

(b) Adopt an ORDINANCE amending Chapter 13, Article X of the City Code of Ordinances related to parking prohibited at all times for the south side of the 600 block of West Liberty Street.

(c) Adopt a budget ORDINANCE Amendment to the FY2020-2021 budget in the amount of $10,000 to appropriate a grant and donation for Parks and Recreation for various projects related to park flood repairs.

(d) Adopt a budget ORDINANCE Amendment to the FY2020-2021 budget in the amount of $25,500 to appropriate grants and donations for Parks and Recreation to assist with the resurfacing of tennis courts and recreational education days.

(e) Adopt a budget ORDINANCE Amendment to the FY2020-2021 budget in the amount of $543,185 to appropriate funds received for the Paul Bruhn Historic Revitalization Grants Program.
(f) Approve a sole-source purchase from Spartan Fire and Emergency Apparatus in an amount not to exceed $68,230 for the purchase of portable rescue tools.

(g) Authorize the City Manager to execute Amendment No. 1 with LaBella in an amount not to exceed $20,000 for construction material testing and special inspection services associated with the Water Treatment Plant Improvements Project.

(h) Authorize the City Manager to execute an agreement with Black & Veatch International Company for an amount not to exceed $250,000 for engineering services associated with the Yadkin River Raw Water Supply System. Funds for this project are included in the FY2020-2021 budget.

(i) Authorize the City Manager to execute an agreement with Highfill Infrastructure Engineering, P.C. in the amount of $101,000 for engineering services related to the development and implementation of the Water Storage Tank Condition Assessment and Improvement Program. Funds for this project are included in the FY2020-2021 budget.

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 by calling 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.


(a) Update on Sales Tax Revenue.

10. Mayor’s Announcements.

(a) The 10th annual BlockWork neighborhood improvement project will be held Saturday, October 24, 2020 from 7:00 a.m. until 5:00 p.m. and Sunday, October 25, 2020 from 9:00 a.m. until 5:00 p.m. in the 200 block of South Clay Street. Volunteers are needed to help with exterior repairs, painting, carpentry and landscaping. T-shirts, gloves, masks and meals will be provided. BlockWork will follow guidelines related to COVID-19 in accordance with Governor Cooper’s Executive Order. Volunteers are asked to sign-up in shifts. The deadline to sign up to volunteer is Friday, October 16. For more information or to volunteer please visit salisburync.gov/BlockWork.

11. Council’s Comments.

12. Mayor Pro Tem’s Comments.

13. Mayor’s Comments.


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