



# CITY OF SALEM

555 Liberty St SE  
Salem, OR 97301

## Meeting Agenda

### City Council

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**Tuesday, March 17, 2020**

**6:00 PM**

**Council Chambers**

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**Joint Emergency Meeting of the City Council, Salem Housing Authority, and Urban  
Renewal Agency**

**\*\*Watch the meeting live, in real time on Comcast Cable CCTV Channel 21, or  
watch on the CCTV YouTube channel.\*\***

#### **1. OPENING EXERCISES:**

**Call to Order**

**Roll Call**

**Pledge of Allegiance**

#### **1.1 APPROVAL OF SPECIAL MEETING AGENDA**

#### **1.2 APPROVAL OF ADDITIONS AND DELETIONS TO THE AGENDA**

#### **2. SPECIAL ORDERS OF BUSINESS:**

- 2.a.**    [20-123](#)                      Temporary suspension of City Council Rules, URA Rules and SHA  
Bylaws regarding public meeting procedures.

Ward(s): All Wards

Councilor(s): All Councilors, URA Board Members, and SHA  
Commission Members

Neighborhood(s): All Neighborhoods

Result Area(s): Good Governance and Safe Community.

**Recommendation:**    Suspend rules and adopt temporary procedures for public meetings to address  
public health issues related to the COVID-19 pandemic, including suspending oral  
public comment and limiting the number of people at a public meeting to 25 people.

**Attachments:**    [Written Testimony received 3-17-20](#)

*Add - Written Testimony.*

- 2.b.**    [20-124](#)                      Declaration of state of emergency related to the COVID-19  
Pandemic

Ward(s): All Wards

Councilor(s): All Councilors

Neighborhood(s): All Neighborhoods

Result Area(s): Good Governance; Safe Community;

***Recommendation:***

Adopt resolution no. 2020-18, declaring a state of emergency within the city of Salem related to the COVID-19 Pandemic.

***Attachments:***

[RESOLUTION NO 2020-18 031720](#)

[City of Salem Letter 2020-18](#)

[Written Testimony received by 5:00 p.m. 3-17-20](#)

[Corrected Resolution No. 2020-18](#)

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### 3. ADJOURNMENT

