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Mayor Chuck Bennett and Salem City Council
555 Liberty Street SE
Salem, OR 97301

RE: Salem's Main Street Association Project: Salem Alley Days

Dear Mayor Bennett and City Council:

At the Salem Historic Landmarks Commission (HLC) meeting on May 16, 2019, the Salem Historic Landmarks Commission heard an overview of Salem's Main Street Association Project proposal for Salem Alley Days, and voted unanimously to enthusiastically support the project and the overall efforts of Salem's Main Street Association. In particular, the HLC genuinely appreciates the efforts of SMSA's Design Committee to promote preservation based economic development within Salem's downtown alleys in an engaging way that will help both visitors and residents rediscover Salem's downtown and its unique history.

Sincerely,



Jamie French, Chair
Salem Historic Landmarks Commission