



## Staff Report

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**TO:** City Council  
**THROUGH:** Steve Powers, City Manager  
**FROM:** Chuck Bennett, Mayor

### **SUBJECT:**

Mayoral Appointments and reappointments to the Airport Advisory Commission, Center 50+ Advisory Commission, Historic Landmarks Commission, and Human Rights Commission.

Ward(s): All Wards  
Councilor(s): All Councilors  
Neighborhood(s): All Neighborhoods

### **RECOMMENDATION:**

Information Only.

### **SUMMARY AND BACKGROUND:**

The Mayor reviewed applications and requests for reappointment on December 12, 2018, and announced his appointments and reappointments of the candidates listed below.

#### Airport Advisory Commission

As described in Salem Revised Code Chapter 9, The Airport Advisory Commission (AAC) advises the Council on all airport matters.

#### Center 50+ Advisory Commission

The Center 50+ Advisory Commission serves as an advisory commission to the City Council and Salem Senior Center Staff in matters related to the operations of the Salem Senior Center.

#### Historic Landmarks Commission

The Historic Landmarks Commission advises the Council on matters pertaining to historic sites and structures in Salem, administers the Historic Preservation Ordinance, and assists property owners in

preservations of such structures.

#### Human Rights Commission

Salem Revised Code Chapter 8 creates the Human Rights Commission, which states that appointments are made by the Mayor.

#### Airport Advisory Commission

Reappoint **Douglas Brenizer** to a term #1 with a term expiring December 31, 2021.

Reappoint **John Foley** to a term #1 with a term expiring December 31, 2021.

Appoint **Ken Gettys** to a term #1 with a term expiring December 31, 2021.

Appoint **Brendan Omara** to a term #1 with a term expiring December 31, 2021.

#### Center 50+ Advisory Commission

Reappoint **Allen Jakobitz** to a term #2 with a term expiring on December 31, 2021.

#### Historic Landmarks Commission

Reappoint **Jamie French** to a term #1 with a term expiring December 31, 2021.

Appoint **Andrew Zimmerman** to a term #1 with a term expiring December 31, 2021.

#### Human Rights Commission

Reappoint **Rita Siong** to a term #1 expiring on December 31, 2021.

Appoint **Angelo Arredondo** to a partial term expiring on December 31, 2020.

Appoint **Nathan Schmidt** to a term #1 (youth position) expiring on December 31, 2021.

Appoint **Michael Watters** to a term #1 expiring on December 31, 2021.

While these appointments and reappointments are important to the ongoing viability of the City Boards and Commissions, volunteer positions are almost always available. To learn of current opportunities, interested individuals may refer to the boards and commissions page on the City's website at <https://www.cityofsalem.net/boards-and-commissions>. Email inquiries may be sent to <mailto:boardsandcommissions@cityofsalem.net>.

#### Attachments:

1. Ken Gettys Application - Redacted (Airport Advisory Commission)

2. Brendan Omara Application - Redacted (Airport Advisory Commission)
3. Andrew Zimmerman Application - Redacted (Historic Landmarks Commission)
4. Angelo Arredondo Application - Redacted (Human Rights Commission)
5. Nathan Schmidt Application - Redacted (Human Rights Commission)
6. Michael Watters Application - Redacted (Human Rights Commission)