



City of Salisbury

North Carolina

COUNCIL MEETING AGENDA

October 16, 2007

4:00 p.m.

1. Call to order.
2. Invocation to be given by Councilman Burgin.
3. Pledge of Allegiance.
4. Recognition of visitors present.
5. Council to recognize Summersett Funeral Home in celebration of its 100th anniversary.
6. Council to recognize Food Lion and Milk Bone for their contribution for the purchase of two Police canines.
7. Council to recognize Officer Mike McCart and Officer Brad Jordan for presentation of a Life Saving award.
8. Council to recognize the Salisbury Fire Department Combat Challenge Team.
9. Mayor to proclaim the following observance:

CRIME PREVENTION MONTH	October 2007
NAACP HARVEST BANQUET	November 2, 2007
10. Council to consider the CONSENT AGENDA:
 - (a) Approve Minutes of the Regular meeting of October 2, 2007 and the Special meeting of October 2, 2007.
 - (b) Approve minor subdivision plat S-12-07 for Thaddeus Rivers to divide a 6.343 acre tract located at 1125 Sells Road into three residential lots.
 - (c) Receive a petition to close the 700 block of Lisk Street and adopt a **RESOLUTION** setting a public hearing for November 20, 2007.
 - (d) Adopt a **RESOLUTION** authorizing the Mayor and City Clerk to execute an Agreement with the North Carolina Department of Transportation concerning bridge inspections.

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- (e) Close the 1100 block of Stanley Street Saturday, October 20, 2007 from 12:00 Noon until 4:00 p.m. for the grand opening of Centennial Park.
 - (f) Close the 200 block of Mitchell Avenue from Crosby Street to Blair Street Wednesday, October 31, 2007 from 4:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. for the annual Fulton Heights Halloween Parade.
 - (g) Approve group development site plan G-09-91 Salisbury Train Station Platform, 215 Depot Street.
 - (h) Approve group development site plan G-08-06 Food Lion Perishable Warehouse, 2085 Harrison Road and adopt a **RESOLUTION** granting a driveway variance to allow the driveway to exceed the maximum width allowed by the City Code.
 - (i) Adopt a budget Ordinance amendment to the FY2007-2008 budget in the amount of \$5,000 to appropriate a donation from the Rowan County Tourism Authority for the development of a Cultural Action Plan.
 - (j) Adopt a budget Ordinance amendment to the FY2007-2008 budget in the amount of \$32,935 to appropriate the remainder of a grant for the Project SAFE Neighborhoods program.
 - (k) Adopt a budget Ordinance amendment to the FY2007-2008 budget in the amount of \$19,200 to appropriate a donation from the Robertson Foundation for Project SAFE Neighborhoods program.
 - (l) Adopt a budget Ordinance amendment to the FY2007-2008 budget in the amount of \$25,012 to appropriate a grant from the North Carolina Governor's Crime Commission for the Project SAFE Salisbury's anti-gang initiative.
 - (m) Adopt a budget Ordinance amendment to the FY2007-2008 budget in the amount of \$10,000 to appropriate a donation from Food Lion and Milk Bone for the purchase of Police canines.
11. Council to receive a presentation from Downtown Salisbury, Inc. regarding commercial building maintenance in the Central Business District.
 12. Council to consider approving the naming of a trail in Centennial Park, "The Reginald J. and Ann Hall Woodland Trail."
 13. Council to consider an appointment to the Salisbury Tree Board.
 14. Council to consider appointments to the Cultural Action Plan Steering Committee.
 15. Council to receive comments from the City Manager:
 - (a) Discuss a request from homeowners and consider accepting maintenance responsibility for the streets in Hidden Creek.

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- (b) Update on the landscape plans for the I-85 interchange at East Innes Street.
 - (c) Update on the Livingstone College and Catawba College transit process.
 - (d) Update regarding drought conditions and water supply.
 - (e) Other matters.
16. Council to receive public comment.
17. Mayor's Announcements.
- (a) The Salisbury Parks and Recreation Department and Downtown Salisbury, Inc. will sponsor Halloween Funfest Saturday, October 27, 2007 in the First Bank parking lot located at 215 West Innes Street. The event begins at 3:00 p.m. with downtown trick or treating from 4:00 p.m. until 5:00 p.m. and a costume contest at 5:15 p.m.
 - (b) The City of Salisbury will host "Salisbury-Rowan United II: The Next Steps in Creating an Action Agenda for a Safer Community and a Positive Future for our Youth" a follow-up summit on gang and youth violence Thursday, November 29, 2007 at 6:30 p.m. at the Salisbury Civic Center, 315 South Boundary Street.
 - (c) Other Announcements.
18. Adjournment.