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SPECIAL LICENSING BOARD MEETING NOTICE AND AGENDA AS AMENDED

Notice is hereby given that a meeting of the Salem Licensing Board will be held on Thursday, **October 22, 2020 at 8:00 a.m.** via remote participation in accordance with Governor Baker's Emergency Order dated March 12, 2020.

Pursuant to Governor Baker's March 12, 2020 Order Suspending Certain Provisions of the Open Meeting Law, G.L. c. 30A, §18, and the Governor's March 15, 2020 Order imposing strict limitation on the number of people that may gather in one place, this meeting of the **City of Salem Licensing Board** will be conducted via remote participation to the greatest extent possible. No in-person attendance of members of the public will be permitted, but every effort will be made to ensure that the public can adequately access the proceedings in real time, via technological means. In the event that we are unable to do so on matters not requiring a public hearing, we will post on the City of Salem's website an audio or video recording, transcript, or other comprehensive record of proceedings as soon as possible after the meeting.

Individuals may participate remotely in the meeting via a remote participation platform called Zoom. Members of the public and/or parties with a right and/or requirement to attend this meeting may access the remote participation meeting through any one of the following ways:

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AGENDA

1. Massachusetts State Law provides that establishments with licenses for on premise consumption of alcoholic beverages may serve alcohol between 11:00 a.m.-11:00 p.m. Local licensing Boards may grant extended closing hours between 11:00 p.m. and 2:00 a.m. In Salem, hours are extended to 1 a.m. In light of the Covid-19 pandemic, large crowds expected in our downtown in the coming weekends and the resulting concern by local health officials of an uptick in cases as a result, the Salem Licensing Board shall **discuss and vote on rolling back the sale of alcoholic beverages for on premise consumption in the downtown Central Business District (B5) and the Congress and Derby Streets Business Neighborhood (B1) zoning districts to 11 p.m. (limit of the Licensing Board's authority on closure time) on Friday, October 23, Saturday, October 24, Friday, October 30 and Saturday, October 31, 2020.**

A map of the zoning districts may be found on the City's website:

https://www.salem.com/sites/g/files/vyhlif3756/f/uploads/zoning_map_2018_-_60_inch_horizontal_streetlist_landscape.pdf

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**Know your rights under the Law M.G.L. c. 30A §18-25
and City Ordinance Sections 2-2028 through 2-2033**