

CITY OF SALEM, MASSACHUSETTS Kimberley Driscoll

Mayor

October 26, 2017

Honorable Salem City Council Salem City Hall Salem, Massachusetts 01970

Ladies and Gentlemen of the City Council:

Enclosed herewith is a request to accept the following donation from Salem Harbor Station in the amount of Three Thousand Dollars (\$3,000.00). These funds will be deposited into the Park & Rec Donation Fund 24061-4830.

In order to accept the donation approval must be given by both the Mayor and City Council. I ask that the members of the City Council join with me in accepting these funds to be used towards the Park & Rec Donation Fund.

Mery truly yours,

Kimberley Driscoll

Mayor



CITY OF SALEM

In City Council,

Ordered:

October 26, 2017

To accept the donation(s) listed below totaling Three Thousand Dollars (\$3,000.00). These funds will be deposited into the account listed below in accordance with the recommendation of Her Honor the Mayor.

From:	Fund Name	Org/Obj	Am	ount
Salem Harbor Station	Park & Rec Donation Fund	24061-4830	\$	3,000.00
Total			\$	3,000.00



MAYOR

Trish O'Brien Superintendent

October 20, 2017

Dear Mayor Driscoll:

I am writing to request the acceptance of a check for \$3,000 donated by Salem Harbor Station (Lou Arak), of 24 Fort Ave Salem, Ma for the sponsorship of our Derby St. Mile Race to be deposited into the Park & Recreation Donation account of 24061-4830.

CITY OF SALEM, MASSACHUSETTS PARK, RECREATION & COMMUNITY SERVICE 5 Broad Street, Salem MA 01970 Tel. (978) 744-0180/(978) 744-0924 Fax (978) 744-7225

Sincerely,

Tricia O'Brien Superintendent

Park, Recreation & Community Service



CITY OF SALEM, MASSACHUSETTS

Kimberley Driscoll Mayor

October 26, 2017

To the City Council City Hall Salem, Massachusetts

Ladies and Gentlemen of the Council:

Enclosed herewith is a request for an appropriation of One Hundred and Seventy-Eight Thousand Five Hundred and Twenty-Nine Dollars (\$178,529.00) from the "Stabilization Fund 8301" to the accounts listed below to cover FY 2018 Fire Department contractual increases.

Description	Account	Amount
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Full time salaries	12201-5111	131,912.00
Overtime	12201-5131	20,677.00
EMT	12201-5133	600.00
Holiday	12201-5136	9,022.00
Out of Grade	12201-5138	5,000.00
Nights	12201-5139	7,718.00
Specialty	12201-5154	3,600.00
	Total>	178,529.00

I recommend passage of the accompanying Order.

Very truly yours,

Kimberley Driscoll

Mayor



CITY OF SALEM

In City Council, October 26, 2017

Ordered:

That the sum of One Hundred and Seventy-Eight Thousand Five Hundred and Twenty-Nine Dollars (\$178,529.00) is hereby appropriated from the "Stabilization Fund 8301" to the account listed below to cover FY 2018 Fire Department contractual increases in accordance with the recommendation of Her Honor the Mayor.

Description	Account	Amount
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Full time salaries	12201-5111	131,912.00
Overtime	12201-5131	20,677.00
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Specialty	12201-5154	3,600.00
	Total>	178,529.00



David W. Cody Chief (978) 744-6990 dcody@salem.com

City of Salem, Massachusetts Fire Department

48 Lafayette Street Salem, Massachusetts 01970-3695 Tel. (978) 744-1235 Fax (978) 745-4646

Fire Prevention
Bureau
978-745-7777

October 19, 2017

Mayor Kimberley Driscoll City of Salem 93 Washington Street Salem, Massachusetts 01970

Dear Mayor Driscoll:

The City of Salem along with the Firefighters Local 172, has completed negotiations for fiscal years 2018, 2019, and 2020. This year's increase is 2.5% to the base compensation rate. This funding request has been figured with a starting date of July 1, of 2017.

I am seeking increases to the departments FY2018 budget lines:

Full time salaries	5111	\$131,912.00
Overtime	5131	\$20,677.00
EMT	5133	\$600.00
Holiday	5136	\$9,022.00
Out of Grade	5138	\$5,000.00
Nights	5139	\$7718.00
Specialty	5154	\$3,600.00

I respectfully request the approval of this appropriation in the amount of \$178,529.00 to support this contractual increase.

Sincerely,

David W. Cody Chief of Department

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October 24, 2017

Honorable Salem City Council Salem City Hall Salem, Massachusetts 01970

Ladies and Gentlemen of the City Council:

As you may know, at present there is an unconstructed paper street, known as Bemis Street, that runs perpendicular to Hanson Street and abuts upper Gallows Hill Park. Bemis Street has five lots of land on the left hand side as you enter from Hanson. The City of Salem owns the first lot and the fifth lot. The second, third and fourth lots are owned by the Sullivan family who have been marketing the lots for sale (see lots outlined in red on attached map).

Because several of the private lots are held in common ownership, they have merged under Massachusetts General Laws and are currently considered one lot consisting of 14,910 square feet with over 100 feet of frontage. Although this area would appear to be part of upper Gallows Hill Park space, a subset of it is not park land, but rather an unconstructed roadway along with a privately owned lot.

As you can imagine, neighbors are concerned that this greenspace will be lost if a private home is developed on this lot. In addition, both Councillor Eppley and Councillor Ryan have reached out to me inquiring about the possibility of the city purchasing this land to maintain it as open space. It was also a topic of discussion at the last Park and Recreation Commission meeting. With this in mind, and at the urging of Councillor Eppley and Councillor Ryan, I have asked Patricia O'Brien, Salem Park, Recreation and Community Services Director, to prepare an application to the Community Preservation Committee seeking funding to acquire this lot for park land. The next Community Preservation Committee meeting is November 14th and we anticipate being able to submit an application for that meeting.

Given the inquiries from members of the City Council, I wanted to provide you with this update so that you were aware of the potential action with regard to this land. Please feel free to reach out to me should you have any questions or comments.

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Kimberley Driscoll

cc: Park and Recreation Commission



CITY OF SALEM, MASSACHUSETTS

Kimberley Driscoll Mayor

October 26, 2017

Honorable Salem City Council Salem City Hall Salem, Massachusetts 01970

Ladies and Gentlemen of the City Council:

I am writing to request the opportunity for Chief of Police Mary Butler and myself to provide you with an information update at your regular City Council meeting of October 26, 2017 on public safety planning for Halloween.

Very truly yours,

Kimberley Driscoll

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Mayor

City of Salem