MEETING AGENDA
Thursday, January 17 2019, 5:30 PM
Council Chambers, Room 240
City Hall – Civic Center

1. Call to Order
(Apppearance of persons wishing to address the HLC on any matter other than those listed for Alteration Reviews—limited to 3 minutes.)

2. Approval of Minutes: December 20, 2018

3. Alteration Reviews
   The format will be a presentation by Staff, followed by a presentation from the applicant (total of 15 minutes), testimony from other interested persons (5 minutes), a rebuttal opportunity for the applicant (5 minutes), and then Commission deliberations. Time limits may be changed at the discretion of the Chair, if warranted by attendance.
      Major Historic Design Review of a proposal to construct a new mixed use apartment building on a vacant lot within Salem’s Downtown Historic District, in the CB (Central Business District) zone, and located at 260 State Street (Marion County Assessors Map and Tax Lot number: 073W27BA00100).
   b. Historic Design Review Case No. HIS18-33 for 1724 Chemeketa St NE
      Appeal of the Planning Administrator’s Minor Historic Design Review Decision regarding the proposal to remove two trees located in the front of historic contributing residence William R. Leach House (c1908). The residence is located within the Court Street-Chemeketa Street National Register Historic District, on property zoned RD (Duplex Residential), and located at 1724 Chemeketa St NE, (Marion County Assessors Map and Tax Lot number: 073W27BA00100).

4. Action Items:
   a. 2019 Officer Elections
   b. Subcommittee Elections
   c. 2018 Accomplishments / 2019 Work Plan

5. Discussion Items:
   a. Spring Newsletter Update
   b. Historic Districts Tour Discussion
   c. Historic Preservation Awards/Historic Photo Contest

6. Historic Preservation Officer Report
SALEM HISTORIC LANDMARKS COMMISSION

PUBLIC HEARING PROCEDURES

THE PROCESS FOR THE PUBLIC HEARING will begin with the staff presentation, followed by the applicant’s case presentation (limited to a total of 15 minutes), neighborhood organization comments (limited to a total of 10 minutes), testimony of persons either in favor or opposition (limited to 5 minutes each, discretionary), and a rebuttal opportunity for the applicant (limited to 5 minutes), should opposition be raised. If attendance should warrant, the Chair may direct that a warning light on the podium be illuminated when there is one minute remaining in the allotted time. The public testimony portion will then be closed and Commission deliberation follows.

THE APPLICANT HAS THE BURDEN OF PROOF to show that the approval criteria can be satisfied by the facts. Opponents may rebut the applicant’s testimony by showing alternative facts or by showing that the evidence submitted does not satisfy the approval criteria. Any participant may request that the hearing be continued or that the record be left open for submission of additional evidence or testimony. The Commission may continue the hearing to another date and time, or leave the record open to receive additional evidence or written testimony.

HISTORIC LANDMARKS COMMISSION DECISIONS are based on the criteria contained in the Salem Revised Code (SRC) Chapter 230. Applications may be approved, conditionally approved, or denied on the basis of conformity with the applicable criteria. Conditions of approval, if any, shall be limited to project modifications required to enable the project to better meet the intent of the design guidelines or standards.

ALL ISSUES MUST BE RAISED AT THE HEARING. Failure to raise an issue, accompanied by statements or evidence sufficient to afford the parties an opportunity to respond to the issue, precludes an appeal to the Land Use Board of Appeals (LUBA) on that issue. A similar failure to raise constitutional issues relating to any proposed conditions of approval precludes an action for damages in Circuit Court.

Salem Revised Code (SRC) Chapter 230 and other informative documents may be accessed online at: www.cityofsalem.net/Historic