

**CITY OF SALEM
NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING**

Notice is hereby given that the City of Salem will hold a Public Hearing on Monday, December 5, 2016, regarding drinking water and clean water utility improvements. The purpose of the public hearing is to discuss the proposed project, the proposed financing, and the source of repayment for any loans. The public is invited to attend and comment on the project.

The City expects to apply for approximately \$3,358,000 for both drinking water and clean water improvements.

The City is seeking up to \$802,000 of funding from the Board of Water and Natural Resources for the water distribution portion of the project. The funds could be a grant from the state Consolidated Water Facilities Construction Program and/or a loan from the Drinking Water State Revolving Funds (SRF) Program. The expected Drinking Water SRF loan terms are 2.5 percent for 30 years, and the Board of Water and Natural Resources may forgive all or a portion of the loan principal.

The City is seeking up to \$2,556,000 of funding from the Board of Water and Natural Resources for the sanitary sewer portion of the project. The funds could be a grant from the state Consolidated Water Facilities Construction Program and/or a loan from the Clean Water State Revolving Funds (SRF) Program. The expected Clean Water SRF loan terms are 2.5 percent for 30 years, and the Board of Water and Natural Resources may forgive all or a portion of the loan principal.

This public hearing will be held at the following time, date and location:

6:45 P.M.
December 5, 2016
Salem City Hall
400 N. Main St.
Salem, SD

In compliance with the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA), if you need special assistance to participate in this hearing, please contact the Salem Finance Officer at (605) 425-2301. Anyone who is deaf, hard-of-hearing or speech-disabled may utilize Relay South Dakota at (800) 877-1113 (TTY/Voice). Notification 48 hours prior to the hearing will enable the City to make reasonable arrangements to ensure accessibility to this hearing.

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City of Salem Finance Officer

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