



Your Input is needed to keep Center 50+ open



Center 50+ is more than a building—it's a vibrant hub of connection, wellness, and lifelong learning for our community. As we head into the new year, we need your help to ensure these essential programs remain funded and accessible.

On January 15th at 6:00 p.m., the Salem City Council will hold a budget meeting at the City Council Chambers, 555 Liberty St., and your voice can make a difference.

We are asking for your support in one of two ways:

1. Attend the budget meeting to vocalize your support for the programs at Center 50+.
2. Write a letter of support sharing what Center 50+ means to you and the impact our programs have had on your life or the lives of your loved ones. The bottom portion can be used to write a short letter of support for our center that we will turn in to the City Council.

Your advocacy ensures that programs like these continue to thrive:

- Lifelong Learning Classes: Explore art, technology, fitness, and more.
- Caregiver Resources: Support groups and educational workshops.
- Friendship Bridge Program: Connecting seniors in assisted living facilities with the community.
- Wellness Programs: Fitness classes and healthy living workshops.
- Volunteer Opportunities: A chance to give back and stay connected.

Please take a moment to reflect on how Center 50+ has enriched your life and consider sharing your story. Letters can be emailed to citycouncil@cityofsalem.net or delivered in person to the center by January 10th so they can be shared during the meeting.



Share what Center 50+ means to you. Together, we can show how vital Center 50+ is to our community and secure the support we need for the future. Thank you for standing with us!

Signed by

Date