

Salem Communications Schedules Shareholder Meeting

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CAMARILLO, Calif.--(<u>BUSINESS WIRE</u>)--March 22, 2004--Salem Communications Corporation (Nasdaq:SALM), the leading radio broadcaster focused on religious and family themes programming, announced that it has scheduled its annual shareholders meeting for Thursday June 10, 2004, at 9:30 AM to be held at the Hyatt Westlake Plaza in Westlake Village, CA.

The Company also announced the Record Date applicable for the voting of shares at the Annual Meeting to be April 16, 2004.

Salem Communications Corporation (Nasdaq:SALM), headquartered in Camarillo, California, is the leading U.S. radio broadcaster focused on religious and family themes programming. The company owns and operates 93 radio stations, mainly comprised of three primary formats including Christian Teaching and Talk, News/Talk, and Contemporary Christian Music. In addition to its radio properties, Salem owns the Salem Radio Network, which syndicates talk, news and music programming to over 1,600 affiliated radio stations; Salem Radio Representatives, a national sales organization; Salem Web Network, the leading Internet provider of Christian content and online streaming; and Salem Publishing, a Christian magazine publisher. For more information, visit Salem Communications' web site at www.Salem.cc.

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