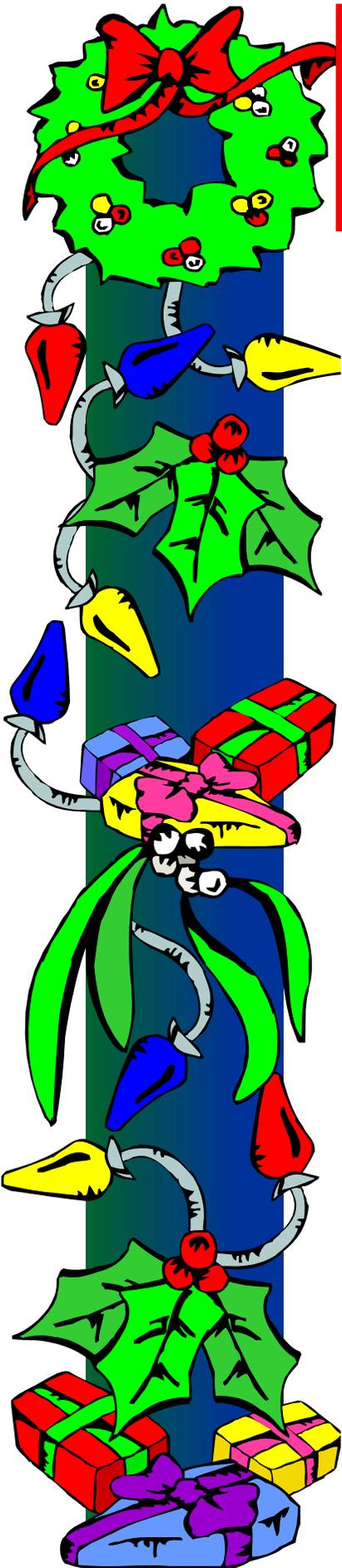


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SNOW REMOVAL

As we begin to see winter's presence, your Public Works Department is doing all they can to keep the streets plowed and sanded. We have one truck setup for plowing snow and sanding streets and we use a snow bucket on the front of the backhoe. When we get hit by a big snow storm, it can take most of a day to plow all the streets in town. Some of our streets are narrower than others and it does help if vehicles can be removed from the side of the streets or from city right-of-ways to allow our plows to clear a better path.

HOLIDAY CLOSURES

City Hall will be closed on Thursday, December 22nd, Friday, December 23rd and Monday, December 26th for the Christmas Holiday. The office will also be closed on Friday, December 30th and Monday, January 2nd for the New Year's Holiday.

TIB FUNDING

The Town of Oakesdale has been awarded 100% funding from the Transportation Improvement Board for Small City Arterial Program (SCAP) for reconstruction of Front Street from McCoy to Steptoe. The project received \$496,250 for design engineering to begin next spring and project construction to be completed by the fall of 2013.

HOLIDAY SAFETY

During the holiday season, our Town Marshal's office would like to remind our citizens to keep doors locked and a light on at night or while you are away from your home. We do have forms at City Hall for "Home Checks" if you are planning on being out of town during the holidays and would like our Town Marshals to perform home checks while you are away.

THANK YOU

A big thank you to Mike Crossett for faithfully keeping all the Town's Christmas decorations shining bright each year! Mike maintains all the hanging Christmas decorations each and every year and with help from Avista and our Public Works Director, Dick Brown, they hang from the poles each Christmas season.

2012 FINAL BUDGET HEARING

The final budget hearing for the 2012 budget will be Monday, December 5th at 7:00 p.m. before the regular council meeting.

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