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City of Boulder City Utility Mailer

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From the Public Information Office

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From all of us at the City of Boulder City, have the most joyous holiday season.

Friday, Dec. 18 the Boulder City Circle performance "We Sing For Food" takes place at St. Andrew's Church. Doors open at 6:15 p.m. and performance begins at 7 p.m. This performance will also be held on Saturday, Dec. 19 at St. Christopher's Church. Tickets are available at Plaza Realty or by calling 293-2440. Proceeds benefit Emergency Aid and Lend A Hand.

Please note: there will be no trash pick up on Christmas Day, December 25, so that employees of Boulder Disposal can share the day with their families. Trash will be picked up on your next regularly scheduled pick up day.

City Council Actions

Land Management Plan—At the Oct. 13 City Council Meeting, items for inclusion in the City's 2010 Land Management Plan were discussed. Community Development Director Brok Armantrout provided a power point presentation showing three applications for consideration. One proposal dealt with a solar energy site; one dealt with a location for a pet cemetery and the third proposal dealt with the City's proposed cellular tower sites.

Council members had concerns regarding the proposed area for a new solar energy site since it was so close to the Municipal Airport. This item was amended to remove a triangular area adjacent to the airport and the northern area of this proposed property nearest to a possible interchange of the Boulder City Bypass and US 95. The council then unanimously voted to send this item on to the Planning Commission. Council members unanimously approved the locations for cellular tower sites, and sent this item on to the Planning Commission for consideration.

The Council did not make a motion on the pet cemetery. The group organizing this project already had an area set aside in the current Land Management Plan for Angel Rock Pet Cemetery, which had not be used. This group would need to submit a financial plan prior to initiating a non-profit lease agreement with the City. The group's non-profit corporation had been formed but the financial plan was not yet in place.

Underage Drinking Grant Funding -At the November 24 Council Meeting, Council Members approved utilizing grant funds from the Office of Traffic Safety for a limited term secretary. This position is necessary in order for the City to not only provide enforcement of underage drinking laws but to be able to participate in a comprehensive review of existing City Ordinances dealing with the possession, sales and procurement of alcohol by those under the legal drinking age. Creating a Limited Term Division Secretary assigned as the Alcohol and Enforcement Coordinator will allow the City to designate one person to coordinate efforts in lowering underage alcohol use and abuse. Through a proactive partnership with members of the Enforcing Underage Drinking Project, Nevada Office of Traffic Safety the City will be able to obtain this expertise at no cost to the City of Boulder City. This limited term secretary will be assisting the Police Department Records Bureau on a weekly basis.

Grant Funds Available for Parent-Baby/Tot Swim Lessons

Parents can still apply for SN-ICC Grant funds for Parent-Baby/Tot Swim Lessons at the Boulder City Pool. Ongoing sessions for youngsters ages six months to four years take place on Monday and Wednesdays from 12 noon until 12:45 p.m. Average cost is \$38 per month, but parents can apply for two free sessions. Call the Boulder City Pool today at 293-9286 for all the details.

We're on the Web:
www.bcnv.org

December Meetings and Activities

There is only one City Council Meeting during the month of December and that will be held on Tuesday, December 8 at 7 p.m. in the Council Chambers.

The Historical Preservation Committee and the Parks & Rec Commission are vacated during December.

The Planning Commission will meet on Wednesday, Dec. 16 at 7 p.m. in the Council Chambers of City Hall.

Talk to the Police Chief Thomas Finn on Wednesday, Dec. 16 at 7 p.m. at Starbucks in the Albertson's Plaza.

Unrepaired Leaks Can Be Costly

The Utility Department has prepared information for your use regarding the cost of unrepaired leaks in your home. We are presenting information here as well as in a flyer that is available in the utility office on the lower level of City Hall. If you have questions about your water usage, please call the Utility Department at 293-9244.

A small leak, the size of a period (.) can amount to a loss of 120 gallons of water per day, 3,600 gallons per month and 10,800 gallons every three months. What does this cost? At the current rate of \$1.37 per 1,000 gallons, this loss amounts to \$4.11 per month, \$12.33 for three months and \$49.32 for a year.

A dripping faucet consumes approximately 15 gallons of water per day or 450 gallons per month.

● This dot is approximately the size of a one-quarter inch leak. A one-quarter inch leak consumes about 15,226 gallons of water per day or 456,780 gallons of water per month. At \$1.37 per 1,000 gallons, this costs \$21.04 per day and \$910.84 per month.

● This dot is approximately the size of a one-half inch leak. This size leak consumes about 60,900 gallons of water per day at a cost of \$59.44.

Training at BCTV

We would like to invite those who are already signed up as volunteers for BCTV to a training session of new processes at the studio. Please call me at 293-9358 or send me an e-mail at pio@bcnv.org so that we can determine the best date to hold classes. The studio and my office are located at 508 Nevada Way.

If you would like to be a BCTV volunteer, please go to the City [website, www.bcnv.org](http://www.bcnv.org) and go to the Human Resources link under departments. Then click on the tab "Volunteer Services." Fill out that form and return it to the Human Resources Department. Once the paperwork is completed, you will be able to volunteer at BCTV.

Photo and Video Contest

The Parks & Recreation Department, in cooperation with the PIO and BCTV, are holding a photo and video contest for residents. Please submit your photos and short videos, five minutes or less, to Patty Sullivan, Recreation Program Coordinator, at the Recreation Center. Pictures and videos should depict any programs offered by the Parks & Rec Department. This material should cover activities from July 1, 2009 forward.

All submissions become the property of the City of Boulder City and will be used for marketing purposes. Releases, along with submission forms, are available at the Recreation Department, 900 Arizona Street or can be e-mailed to you upon request. Photographs and videos must be submitted in digital format. Appropriate credits will be given for any images used in City publications or on BCTV.

For further information, contact Patty Sullivan at psullivan@bcnv.org or call 293-9256.