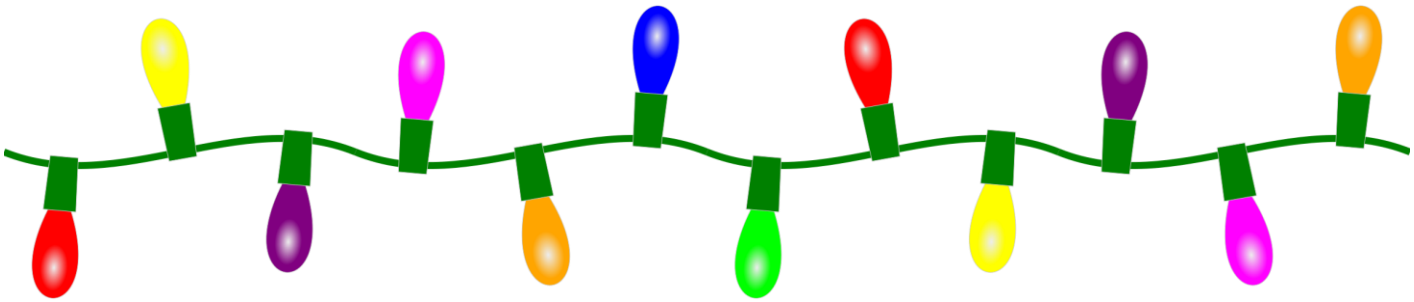
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VOLUNTEERS NEEDED…… It's that time of year again!



We need your help!
Help us decorate the park with lights to make the Annual Tree Lighting on December 4th the biggest and brightest yet! We will begin setting up the light displays on November 19th and 20th from 10 am to 2 pm weather permitting.

Public Notary Services
The city clerk is available to provide Notary Public services. These services are offered in the city during normal business hours, Monday through Thursday. If you have any questions about notary services, please reach out to the city for further details.

Building Permits
The city enforces both building codes and zoning codes. If you are planning a project—such as constructing a shed, deck, addition, or new building—please consult with the city to determine which permits are required and whether your project meets zoning setback requirements. Contacting the City by phone or email to discuss your plans can help you avoid unnecessary delays and frustration. Due to increased activity in the area, permit processing currently takes approximately four to six weeks. Please plan your projects accordingly.

Burn Permits
Burn permits are no longer required, please burn responsibly.

REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING DATES BEGINS @ 5:30PM

NOVEMBER 10TH

DECEMBER 8TH

JANUARY 12TH

FEBRUARY 9TH

MARCH 9TH

CITY COUNCIL

Deborah Field, Mayor (2027)

Pam Brockus, Council President (2027)

Michael Wilcox, Council (2027)

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OFFICE HOURS
MONDAY-THURSDAY
9AM—3PM
FRIDAY 10AM-1PM

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Please Be Mindful….. As yard clean-up occurs, please ensure that you or someone you hire does not rake or dump debris into the ditches or onto the hillsides. This creates many hazards such as the potential for fire or problems with stormwater run-off.

Water: Are you planning on being gone for an extended time? The city strongly recommends having your water meter turned off to avoid any potential leak disasters. The City adopted a Leak Forgiveness Policy that only allows a certain amount of forgiveness and only one time per property ownership.

Ellisport Bay Sewer District: The Ellisport Bay Sewer District Office has relocated to Hope City Hall at 148 W. Main St., adjacent to the Old Icehouse Pizzeria. Their office is open on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 1:00 PM to 5:00 PM. For more information, visit their website at ebsewerdistrict.com.

Mayor's Corner: It was such a beautiful October! I was out and about walking my 10K steps a day in the Blue Cross of Idaho Foundation Mayors Walking Challenge. I was so thankful to be able to walk during such wonderful weather and autumn leaves. November is upon us now and with that our thoughts turn to giving thanks. From myself and council, our thanks to Tim Jacoby for his dedicated effort in reviewing our streets on the Special Street Committee. Your desire to help work with the city is much appreciated.

Preperation for the City Christmas Tree Lighting begins in a few weeks. Please check your emails for an invitation to volunteer for this great event.

Finally, Happy Thanksgiving! May your hearts be full as you enjoy family and friends together. May God's bountiful blessings be with you this month and always.

"Oh give thanks to the Lord, for He is good! For his mercies endure forever" Psalm 107:22



Join us on **December 4th** in the park at 5:30 pm for the **Annual Tree Lighting Celebration.** Bring the kids! Santa will be here with goodies. There will be hot coco, cookies and music!

