



PLEASANT VIEW CITY NEWS

JANUARY 2023



CALENDAR OF EVENTS

- January 2: Offices Closed
- January 5: Planning Commission
- January 10: City Council
- January 16: Offices Closed
- January 24: City Council



MAYOR'S MESSAGE

This past month the city received its final audit for the fiscal year 2021-2022. The independent auditor which conducted the audit issued an unqualified audit. An unqualified opinion is a fancy way of saying that they issued a clean report without any kind of adverse comments, and it doesn't include any disclaimers about any clauses or the audit process. This is not very common audit speak that means they found nothing wrong with our processes or controls, and that we were fully compliant in all state and government accounting practices. A giant shoutout to our wonderful City Recorder Laurie and City Treasurer Heather. They ensure that the City's financial well-being and strength are the best and they are truly top-notch!

I hope that each of you has a chance to honor that age-old tradition of making New Year's resolutions. I have always thought that making such resolutions was strange. Lately, as I have looked around at the division of our country, covid, RSV, flu, the state of the economy, escalating crime, especially in cities that jumped on the defund the police movement, and a host of other polarizing issues too lengthy to list in this newsletter, I found myself looking in the mirror and making some resolutions of my own. I didn't wait for the new year, but I'm working to try to slow life down, take the right lane on the freeway, spend more time with family and much less time on newsfeeds, stop letting myself get so upset at other people's foolishness, and to pull myself back to the grassroots of our community and what goes on here. Don't get me wrong, I have always paid great care to the issues and problems affecting our city, but lately, I have let things I cannot control get in the way of my enjoyment and also become a distraction from my time. If you find similar frustrations and distractions in your life, I encourage you to sit down and come up with your resolve to slow life down and smell the roses as they say. You don't need that stress!

Lastly, we receive so many compliments about snowplowing. Our crews have been working their tails off this year and we are so happy to have the much-needed snow that our community received in December. Thanks to our Public Works staff and each of you for your patience and understanding. We have many miles of road, and they are indeed prioritized so that we plow the most dangerous and most traveled roads first. Our biggest problem comes when it is actively snowing right during the morning or evening commute. As soon as we get one road down and move to the next the continuing snow keeps on coming and starts making a mess on the road just finished. This is especially true at higher elevations. Our great crews never give up, they just keep on going until they can get caught up.

Again, let me say that I am committed to doing whatever it takes to ensure that Pleasant View remains the best place to not only grow up but the best place to grow old. Please slow down and drive safely.

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CHRISTMAS TREE PICKUP

As a service to our residents, our public works department will be picking up discarded REAL Christmas Trees from now until the end of January.

Please place them on the park strips or the grass by the curb for pickup.

No artificial trees or other green waste will be picked up.

If you have any questions, please contact our public works department at the city office at (801)782-8529.

Thank you!

WINTER PARKING REMINDER

Remember, from November 15 through March 15, it is unlawful for any person to park a motor vehicle, recreational vehicle, trailer, any other vehicle, or object of any kind, on any public street or right of way while snow plows are operating or while streets are snow or ice covered. It is also unlawful to throw snow into the street.

The plows need to be able to do their job and clear the streets. Citations may be issued for failure to comply with these important safety regulations. Thank you for your cooperation.

SANTA'S VISIT TO PLEASANT VIEW

We want to thank the community for coming to our city Santa event this year, it was amazing! We had so many families, friends and neighbors come and enjoy visiting with the best Santa and Mrs. Claus!

We also want to thank PV city staff, Mayor, City Council, and the PV YCC for all their help putting together this super fun event!

Thank you also to the Weber CTC for coming to support Pleasant View and our community. They provide so many great resources!

We can't wait until next year!

Thank you!

