

DECEMBER 2019

CITY OF PLYMOUTH, CALIFORNIA

PLYMOUTH COLONY MONTHLY



SEASONS GREETINGS!

The staff at City Hall wishes everyone safe and happy holidays!

Please note the City offices will be closed on the following days:
December 25th & 26th—Christmas Holiday
January 1st—New Years Holiday
January 20th—Martin Luther King Jr. Holiday

If something happens in the City on a day we are closed or after hours, Public Works can be reached by calling 209-245-6941.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

January 9th – City Council meeting – 6:30 pm
January 16th – Planning Commission meeting – 6:30 pm

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FREE (REAL) CHRISTMAS TREE DROP OFF PER ACES WASTE

Trees (all ornaments and lights removed) can be dropped off at the Westover Field Airport parking lot Dec 26 - Jan 31.

Throughout the month of January, trees can also be dropped off at either the Buena Vista Transfer Station daily from 8:30 am - 4:30 pm, or the Pine Grove Transfer Station, Tuesday through Saturday 9:00 am - 12 pm & 1:00 - 4:00 pm.

The Christmas trees are then recycled locally at the Vicini Brothers Green Waste Recycling Facility and turned into landscape mulch and nutrient rich compost.

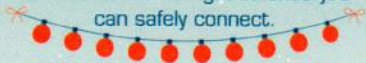
Recipe at www.tasteofhome.com

FIRE SAFETY DURING THE HOLIDAYS

When **burning candles**, leave a one-foot perimeter around lit candles and place them in a sturdy base or candle holder.



Before **putting up lights**, read manufacturer's instructions for the number of light strands you can safely connect.



DO NOT overload electrical outlets. A heat source too close to the tree causes one in every four Christmas tree fires.

Fire alarms should be tested and cleaned prior to the holiday season. Having a working smoke alarm reduces the chances of death in a fire by nearly half.



The **top three days** for home candle fires are **Christmas Eve, Christmas and New Year's Day.**



One of every three home Christmas tree fires is caused by electrical problems.

Nearly **47,000 fires** occur during the winter holidays claiming **more than 500 lives**, causing **more than 2,200 injuries**, and **costing \$554 million** in property damage.

