Mayor Kurtz's SwiftReach for December 22, 2022 (Rev 2)

HELLO, IT IS **DECEMBER 22, PLEASE** STAND BY FOR A MESSAGE FROM THE MAYOR. IT WILL REPEAT ONCE.

GOOD THURSDAY EVENING, THIS IS YOUR MAYOR GREG KURTZ.

AS 2022 COMES TO A CLOSE, IT IS A GOOD TIME TO CELEBRATE OUR CITY.

I WANT TO RECOGNIZE **ALL OF OUR CITY EMPLOYEES** FOR THEIR HARD WORK, RESILIENCE AND COMMITMENT TO PROVIDING OUTSTANDING SERVICE.

BECAUSE WE HAVE SUCH A STRONG TEAM, OUR RESIDENTS ENJOY A HIGH QUALITY OF LIFE.

AND TO OUR RESIDENTS – THANK YOU FOR ALL YOU DO TO SUPPORT THE CITY, THE SCHOOLS, AND YOUR NEIGHBORS. THE PRIDE YOU HAVE FOR OUR CLOSE-KNIT COMMUNITY MAKES IT AN HONOR AND PRIVILEGE TO SERVE AS YOUR MAYOR.

AND I AM GRATEFUL TO ALL THE BUSINESSES – LARGE AND SMALL – THAT ARE AN INTEGRAL PART OF THE CITY'S SUCCESS.

NOW SOME **HOLIDAY OPERATING UPDATES**: **ALL CITY DEPARTMENTS** EXCEPT POLICE AND FIRE WILL BE CLOSED ON CHRISTMAS DAY AND NEW YEAR'S DAY. CITY HALL AND MOST DEPARTMENTS, INCLUDING THE SERVICE DEPARTMENT, WILL BE CLOSED ON DECEMBER 26 AND JANUARY 2ND.

THE COMMUNITY SERVICES AND RECREATION DEPARTMENTS WILL BE OPERATING UNDER HOLIDAY HOURS STARTING THIS WEEKEND. YOU CAN FIND THE SCHEDULE IN MY WEEKLY UPDATE ON THE WEBSITE.

ON BEHALF OF CITY COUNCIL, FINANCE DIRECTOR VERN BLAZE, AND MY WIFE LYN – BEST WISHES FOR THE MERRIEST OF CHRISTMASES – A HEALTHY AND PROSPEROUS NEW YEAR – AND AS ALWAYS, GOD BLESS.