

November 30, 2012

Dear Cleveland Residents:

The Town Christmas Eve Party is scheduled for Monday, December 24th at 6:00 pm. As always, there will be a short program, entertainment, games, light refreshments and Santa is scheduled to make an appearance. Come join us and make this party your family's Christmas Tradition.

We will again be accepting names for the Angel Tree. If you know of a needy family or individual in Cleveland, please submit their name, age and gender to the Town Hall. Please submit names as soon as possible. If your family or the family name submitted for the Angel Tree is receiving additional assistance from another agency such as Spencer's Wishes, Shop with a Cop, United Way, etc., we kindly ask that you do not submit their names for the Angel Tree. If you would like to pick an Angel off the tree, please visit or call the Town Office. The date to return your wrapped gift to the Town Hall is December 18th. Let's all get in the holiday spirit and help the needy in our Town.

We like to invite all dog owners to participate in the Emery Animal Christmas Health and Vaccination Clinics. The Clinics will be held in December on the 7th, 8th & 29th, and in January on the 11th and 12th. Emery Animal Health will be able to issue Cleveland Town Animal License during the Clinics. All dog owners are reminded that all dogs must be licensed by the end of February. All dogs must be current with their rabies vaccine before they can be licensed. For more information call Emery Animal Health at 381-2539. Cleveland Town will not hold a rabies clinic next year. We encourage all dog owners to take advantage of the Clinics that Emery Animal Health is offering to the dog owners in Cleveland. For two days in the month of December Emery Animal Health will offer a wellness examination with vaccinations and de-worming at a drastically reduced rate. With the purchase of the wellness exam the rabies vaccination will be given for free.

Your November utility bill is enclosed. Please note that some statements may have a credit balance. Utility payments can be placed in the drop box at the front of the building to the left of the double doors. You do not need to put your check in an envelope. We do ask that you include your account number on your check or include the stub from your utility bill. The Town Office will be open on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday December 17, 18 & 19, 2012 from 11-30 to 5:00 and closed for the remainder of the week for the Christmas holiday. The Office will also be closed on Tuesday, January 1, 2013.

On November 8, 2012 Cleveland Town Council passed a Resolution setting fees for turned off water meters and removed water meters. A copy of the resolution is enclosed and is posted at the Post Office, Town Office and the County Corner and is also available for review on the clevelandtown.org website. This Resolution increases the fees for utility account owners when a shut off notice is generated and mailed or delivered. The fees increase with the number of shut-off notice generated. This resolution is currently in effect. **Also, a Cleveland Town employee or a Castle Valley Special District employee can no longer accept payment at the time of shut-off. All payments must be made to the Town Office prior to the shut-off notice being generated to avoid any additional fees. In addition, without exception, no post-dated checks will be accepted as payment for a current or past due water bill.**

Also, please make sure for safety reasons that public access ways, (sidewalks) are not blocked by weeds, trees, RV's, vehicles etc. Also, in order to make it easier for the snow plows, please remove vehicles, trailers etc. from the streets. This will decrease the time involved to clear the streets and also will allow the maintenance crews to do a better job in front of your home as well as the entire Town.

The Town received many positive remarks regarding the One Call Now system that was used to notify residents of the water shut off last month. We encourage every resident to update their preferred contact number. If you would like to make a change to the number that is currently on file, please call the Town Office or include a note with your next utility payment.

In conjunction with the December Town Council meeting, a public hearing will be held for the proposed issue of adopting an Ordinance to vacate several streets/roads in Cleveland. The meeting will be held on December 13, 2012 at 6:30 pm at the Cleveland Town Hall, 130 W. Main, Cleveland, Utah.

A dumpster for use of Cleveland Residents only will be located in parking lot of the lower ball field at the corner of 100 N and 600 E. The dumpster will be delivered on December 20th and will be there until it is full. Failure to comply with the following requirements will result in the service being discontinued. As always, **no hazardous materials are permitted, including batteries, used oil, paint or liquids.** Also please do not leave recyclable and reusable items such as used appliances, junk cars, scrap metal, etc. If you have any of these items, please call the Town Office for more information. Please do not add your trash to the dumpster if it is overflowing, (above the top of the bin) and do not leave it beside the dumpster.

Also a meeting has been set to discuss the future of the Cleveland Town Post Office. The meeting will be held on January 16, 2013 at the Old Town Hall, 35 S 100 W, Cleveland, Ut 84518 at 5:30 pm. All Cleveland area residents are encouraged to attend. Each Post Office Box Holder will receive a notice regarding the meeting and a survey regarding the proposed changes. We recommend that everyone complete and return the survey. If you do not receive a survey by December 26, 2012, they are available at the Post Office counter.

As always, thanks for your cooperation in all we do. Have a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

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