

The Town of Minden Newsletter

WINTER 2015-2016

Chairman's Chatter:

It is an honor and a privilege to be selected to succeed outgoing Chairwoman Roxanne Stangle by my fellow Board members as Chairman of the Minden Town Board for 2016. My sincere thanks to Board Member Stangle, for her leadership and dedication this past year.

Once again, it has been a very busy and productive year in the Town of Minden. We welcomed new member Bill Souigny to the Town Board; we dedicated the streetscape improvements in the right-of-way portion of the Minden Gateway Center; we worked with Town Staff to bring exciting new features to Town Events and saw attendance numbers at those events soar to record levels; and finally, the Towns of Minden and Gardnerville were voted by the readers of Nevada Magazine as the favorite Nevada Town. 2015 truly has been a remarkable year and 2016 will be even better!

Reminder: the Town Board Meetings are on the first Wednesday of the month and your participation is appreciated; we want to hear from you. With that said, I hope everybody has a Merry Christmas and I would like to wish you all a very Happy New Year.

-John Stephans

HOLIDAY TRASH SCHEDULE

- * **No green waste pickup the week of Christmas or New Years.**
- * **Please make sure to always have your cans out by 6 a.m.**
- * **Christmas tree recycling pick up will be on Dec 28th and Jan 4th.**
- * **Please do not put your live trees in your green waste cans. Put them off to the side with all decorations removed.**
- * **If you miss the Christmas Tree pickup, you can put your trees out on your extra trash day (the 3rd trash day of the month).**
- * **Back by popular demand! EXTRA EXTRA trash is coming the week between Christmas and New Years. Bundle or bag your extra trash and place next to your cans by 6:00 a.m. on your regularly scheduled trash day. We will take care of the rest!**

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Board Meetings are held the first Wednesday of every month in the CVIC Hall

Town Offices will be closed at 3 p.m. on December 24th and closed all day on December 25th and January 1st.



Jenifer's Journal

This November marked the four year anniversary of my appointment by the Town Board to the position of Minden Town Manager. I want to take this opportunity to thank the Board and residents for affording me the opportunity to work with this tremendously talented team of Minden employees in a community I love.

For those of you who shared in the Town Gazebo Lighting and the Carson Valley Chamber of Commerce Parade of Lights tradition this year, we hope you enjoyed the celebration. If you have suggestions for improvements please do not hesitate to contact me. We are always looking to build on the success and momentum of these events.

The Chairman is right, we have lots of exciting things planned for the Town in 2016 and we look forward to sharing our plans with you. As always if you have questions, concerns, or just want to stop by for a cup of coffee you are welcome at the Town Administrative office.

-Jenifer Davidson



Snow Removal

Please remember to:

- Keep the sidewalk in front of your property clear.
- Do not shovel the snow into the street.
- The Town will only plow the streets if there is accumulation of at least 4" on the ground with a projection of more to come within the next 12 hours.
- The roads are plowed to the middle of most streets. This is to prevent large berms from accumulating in front of sidewalks and driveways.

The complete snow policy is available from the Town Office as well as on the website at www.townofminden.com.

Town Administrative Staff:

Jenifer Davidson, Town Manager

Ted Thran, Accountant

Trish Koepnick, Admin Services Mgr

Rachel Hamer, Secretary

Whitney Lehr, Office Assistant

Kathleen Hawkins, Office Assistant

Town Public Works Staff:

Dan Kistler, Acting Superintendent

Shane Mortensen, Sr. Utilities Tech

Kevin McAdoo, Utilities Tech I

Chris Murphy, Utilities Tech I

Mark Cirillo, Sr. Sanitation Specialist

Alex Brown, Maintenance Acting Lead

Steve McGee, Maintenance Specialist

Jason Parke, Maintenance Specialist

Mike Withrow, Maintenance Specialist

Robert Kelly, Maintenance Assistant

Jermaine Bobbitt, Maintenance Assistant

EVENTS

1/22 Carson Valley Arts Council
Concert—CVIC

1/27 UNR Cooperative Extension—CVIC

1/30 CVCT Stars of Tomorrow—CVIC

2/19 Carson Valley Arts Council
Concert—CVIC

2/24 UNR Cooperative Extension—CVIC

2/26 DHS/Rotary Film Festival—CVIC

3/19 Kiwanis Ham Bingo—CVIC

3/25-3/27 & 4/1-4/3 CVCT Production—
CVIC

Come Join the Fun!