

Talk It Up!



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A monthly brief helping to keep you informed and keep in touch.

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DECEMBER 2015



The Tehachapi Police Department recently took delivery of 3 new patrol vehicles obtained through Kieffe and Sons Ford in Mojave. The 2016 Ford Explorer Police Interceptor's were delivered fully equipped with emergency equipment packages, police radios, and mobile computers. The graphics for the new vehicles were designed and installed locally by Mercury Graphics.

Police Department

- Installation of RIMS Mapping program.
- Members of staff attended training at L.A. County Sheriff's Tactics and Survival Unit.
- Conducted narcotics destruction in Long Beach.
- Staff participated in Title 15 training with Kern County Sheriff's Office.
- Accepted delivery of three 2016 Police Interceptor Patrol Vehicles.



LEFT: City staff and council members attended open house for the new Sanderling Dialysis Center opening next month at 711 W. Valley Blvd.

RIGHT: Chad Barker, Troop 3, completed his Eagle Scout project for the Tehachapi Valley Recreation & Park District. The project was the renovation of the storage facility at Phillip Marx Central Park. Chad raised \$2,200 and volunteered 631 hours. The completed project included a new roof, fascia, 20 amp outlets on the outside to be used at events, interior lights, indoor GFI plugs, and outdoor lighting at each of the three storage area entrances. Chad has received over 60 merit badges in his seven years as a Boy Scout. Chad's Eagle Scout project went above and beyond expectations.



Building:

- » Approved the Albertson's Remodel Permit.
- » Issued the first eight home permits for Alta Estates.

City of Tehachapi staff and council has the pleasure of touring the more than 70,000 square foot hospital under construction in Capital Hills



Planning:

- » Held a Planning Commission meeting on 11/9/15 to approve the draft 2015-23 Housing Element.

Public Works

- Placed sandbags at drainage channel near Green St. Airport gate and cleared drainage channels at Airport.
- Repair of 14-inch water main on Dennison Rd.
- Winterized drinking fountains and hose bibs at Aviator Park.

Administration

Staff completed the scanning and indexing of all the State files into our electronic document management system and incorporated them into our City files.

FREEDOM PLAZA

RIGHT: Representatives from the Tehachapi City Council, City Staff, Lehigh Southwest Cement Company, Tehachapi Tourism Commission, Greater Tehachapi EDC, AECOM, County of Kern, and Cal Prime Inc. celebrated the of Freedom Plaza Groundbreaking.

BELOW: We would like to thank Craig Mifflin of Lehigh Southwest for their generous donation of \$40,000 to assist with the construction of Freedom Plaza.



Assist. City Manager

» Received grant award from Caltrans Aeronautics for the SW Diagonal Taxiway Rehabilitation Project, meaning the City's match for the project will be 5.5% of the total project cost.

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Shop Small Tehachapi!

The American Express Shop Small movement continues. Each time you buy from independent businesses, you help support local employment, tax revenues and increase the overall resources for our community.



UPcoming Events

Dec 5

Breakfast with Santa
Jacobsen Middle School
8-10am • FREE
Info: 818-519-7144

Dec 5

Christmas Parade & Tree Lighting
5:30pm • Downtown
F Street & Depot
Info: 822-5140

**Dec 5
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Visit with Santa each Saturday in December to share Christmas wishes and photo opportunities. Pictures are only \$18 that comes with two 5 x 7 and four wallet-sized photos. For more information call 661-823-1100

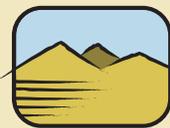


The Ugly Sweater Wine Walk put on by Main Street Tehachapi and the Rotary Club was a HUGE success! Thank you to all the businesses that participated and make it such a fun and shoppable event.

Come talk to us!

We're always happy to hear from you and are excited to share what is happening in our community.

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