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To: Lemoore City Council
From: Sheila Taylor, Recreation Specialist
Date: October 30, 2012
Subject: Tree Raising Ceremony

Item# 3F

Discussion:

The Lemoore Recreation Department will be hosting the 2012 Christmas Tree Raising Ceremony along with the Lemoore Volunteer Fire Department on Sunday, November 25, 2012. As in years past, Chief Gibson is requesting "D" Street to be closed from Hill Street to Heinlen Street, and Fox Street to be closed from alley located between "C" and "D" Streets to the alley located midway between "D" and "E" Streets from the hours of 9 a.m. and 5 p.m.

Events taking place during the festivities include a craft show at the Veteran's Memorial Building, a food drive with different organizations bringing in donations, a kids zone that is free to children who bring canned food, fire truck rides and Santa. The official "Tree Lighting" will take place at 2:00 pm and the Volunteer Fire Department will be recognized. Games, rides and activities will continue until 4 p.m.

Budget Impact:

None.

Recommendation:

That Council approve the street closures on "D" Street and Fox Street on November 25, 2012 between the hours of 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.