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## **City Hosts Christmas Evergreen Tree Recycling Program**

Missoula Parks and Recreation and the City's Public Works Street Division are joining forces again this year to recycle Christmas trees into productive mulch. The Christmas Evergreen program recycled over 16,000 trees last year. Drop your Christmas tree at one of these sites: Playfair Park, McCormick Park, Fort Missoula Softball complex (South Avenue Side) and EKO Compost through Sunday, January 10. No yard waste, garbage, or decorations please.

Citizens who wish to support Christmas Evergreen are encouraged to make a donation to help purchase and plant new trees in Missoula's parks and right-of-ways. Donations can be dropped off at Currents Aquatics Center in McCormick Park or mailed to Parks and Recreation Forestry Program, 100 Hickory St., Missoula, 59801. For more information, call 721-PARK.

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