

**HAPPY
NEW YEAR
2020**

THE CITY VIEW

January



Dog Owners in Safford

Did you know, per our City Code, all dogs in Safford are to be annually registered through the City Clerk's Office?

Why should you register your dog?

- Dog licensing is one way to ensure that all dogs who share our community receive rabies vaccinations.
- A license is proof of ownership in case your dog is lost or stolen.
- Wearing a license tells everyone that your pet is not a homeless stray and belongs to someone who legally registered their pet.

Just bring in your proof of rabies vaccination issued by a veterinarian and payment of \$10.00 for spayed or neutered and \$25.00 if not. Only 3 dogs (older than 6 months) are permitted per residence. Call 928-432-4005 if questions.

Safety Message



The Governor's Office of Highway Safety and the Safford Police Department would like to wish everyone the best in 2020. Please remember, always buckle up, drive cautiously and if you drink, don't get behind the wheel. Have a Safe and Happy New Year!

MLK Day Observed

City offices will be closed Monday, January 20 in observance of Martin Luther King Jr. Day.

Light Parade Winners Announced

This was the best Holiday Light Parade Safford has seen so far! We would like to thank the **Safford Downtown Association** and **Country Financial** for planning and improving the 22nd Annual Holiday Light Parade, which included the addition of new categories to encourage more participation.

The winners of the Country Financial Holiday Light Parade were:

- ◆ **Small Business**
 - ◇ Winner — Country Financial
 - ◇ Honorable mention — Blings & Things, LifeNet
- ◆ **Large Business**
 - ◇ Winner — Graham County Utilities
 - ◇ Honorable mention — JTS Containers, H&R Block
- ◆ **Government**
 - ◇ Winner — City of Safford
 - ◇ Honorable mention — Thatcher Fire, Graham County
- ◆ **Family and Friends**
 - ◇ Winner — Eastern Arizona Cinderella
 - ◇ Honorable mention — The Waggoner Family
- ◆ **Schools**
 - ◇ Winner — Thatcher Middle School Yo-Yo Club
 - ◇ Honorable mention — Triumphant Learning Center
- ◆ **Churches**
 - ◇ Winner — Potter's House
 - ◇ Honorable mention — Safford 7th Day Adventist, First Southern Baptist Church of Thatcher



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