

# THE *FLASH* OF TALENT

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An update from City Administration, Planning, Public Works, and Police Departments.  
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## Construction begins on the TAP

Work on the Talent Ashland Phoenix (TAP) Intertie project has begun. You may have noticed construction workers and traffic diversion signs on Creel Road and Talent Avenue. This is where the roads will be cut in order to lay the waterline, which will eventually run to the new water reservoir (not yet constructed). The streets will be cleaned and patched and construction will resume after the first of the year.

We regret any inconveniences or delays the construction may have caused. If you like more information on the TAP project or to check its status, visit our website at [www.cityoftalent.org](http://www.cityoftalent.org).

**Interested in being involved in the street design of Main Street (between Talent Avenue and the railroad tracks)?**

The Urban Renewal Agency of the City of Talent will be holding two public hearings during the month of January to find out how you would like to see the street improved (with new sidewalks, bike lanes, etc). The meetings will be held on January 9 and 23, 2001 at 7:00 p.m. at City Hall. If you have any questions, please contact Kelly Madding, Executive Director, at 535-1566.

## Participate in Christmas Tree Recycle Day

Scout Troop 535 will be assisting again this year in the pick-up of Christmas trees in Talent. The trees will be chipped and then the chipped material will be used on park trails and as mulch for plants. Troop 535 asks citizens of the city to set out their trees near the curb on Friday, January 5th to be picked up on Saturday, January 6th beginning at 9 a.m. Please note that trees placed curbside *after* 9 a.m. will **not** be picked up.

Donations for this community service activity are accepted and greatly appreciated.

## City Council's next meeting

Talent City Council will meet again on Wednesday, January 3, 2001. The agenda will be posted on Friday, December 29, 2000. All meetings start at 6:45 p.m. and are open to the public.



From everyone at the City of Talent, "Happy New Year!"