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Hello everyone,

Hope everyone had a wonderful Thanksgiving holiday and enjoyed whatever it is you did. The Board will **not have a December meeting**. Things are going well. The only thing going on continues to be the moving of the office building. We hope to have it done before the beginning of the year. We were expecting for sooner, but permits are taking time as the county is busy.

The Board would like to have the **Phone Number of all HDE residents** for the purpose of calling if we have an **Emergency with water or fire**. This would save critical time for everyone's safety so that we would not spend all the time going door to door to inform you of an emergency event such as a broken waterline. Therefore, please write your number on the **front of your water bill** so that we have it. This will not be used for anything other than calling in an emergency. Thank You for making volunteering for the Board as practical and efficient as possible.

A repeat reminder: please notify the Board IF you can now **change the mailing** of this newsletter & the water bill to an **E-mail address for you** - congratulations if you got a new computer. If everyone could now get notices per Email on a computer, with the proposed postal rates increase to .55 cents next January, HDE would **save over \$800 /per year** into our reserve piggy bank.

Yes, the first real signs of winter have arrived in Prineville. The roads this morning (7 am, Nov. 28, at 33 degrees F) had streaks of ice on various streets and roads. So, stay safe, drive slow please, especially on curves, with special care when large trucks are on the road.

Our Treasurer/Webmaster, Mike Berger, with board approval, has implemented our updated HDE website. Please check it out and let the board know of any corrections or suggestions you may have. Make sure you enter the address **exactly** as shown below!

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Last but not least, the Board members are wishing everyone a Merry Christmas, and a Happy and Healthy New Year. Thank you for allowing us to serve our community. Please do not forget using **hdehoa172@gmail.com** for any comments or information you wish to send us. You may note also on your calendar that the **Board is meeting monthly at the Prineville Library** in the Juniper Room at 6:30 pm, every third Tuesday of the month (next meeting is January 15th) for just a few more months until the office moving process is completed.

Diane Dendy
Board Chair

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