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Upcoming Holiday Closures at the City of Oakland *Public Safety Not Affected*

Oakland, CA —The City of Oakland administrative offices will be closed on Wednesday, February 12, in observance of Lincoln's Birthday holiday and Monday, February 17, in observance of the Presidents' Day holiday.

While the City's administrative employees are out of the office, if a situation arises that requires more staffing, the City has plans in place to call in additional resources. **Police, fire and emergency services are not affected during the holidays or business closures.**

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Specific Service Impacts for February 12 & 17:

Parking Enforcement

- Normal parking enforcement will occur on Wednesday, February 12.
- Monday, February 17, is a parking holiday. Motorists will enjoy free parking at metered spaces throughout Oakland.

Public Works

- No street sweeping will occur on Wednesday, February 12 or Monday, February 17.
- Serious emergencies—such as sewer overflows, traffic signal outages, objects completely blocking the street to vehicle traffic and major flooding conditions—will be responded to.

Oakland Public Library

- All library locations will be closed on Wednesday, February 12 and Monday, February 17.
- The Main Library and the Brookfield, Eastmont, Piedmont Avenue and Golden Gate branches will be open on Tuesday, February 18. All other library locations will be closed that day.

Oakland Animal Shelter

- The Animal Shelter will be closed on Wednesday, February 12 and Monday, February 17.
- People who find stray animals and cannot hold them when the shelter is closed should call (510) 777-3333 between the hours of 7am to 3:30pm; a Shelter representative will give instructions on where to deliver the animal.
- Emergency medical calls for injured animals and active bites to humans can be reported through 911.

Oakland Parks and Recreation

- Visitors will have access to parks; however gates and restrooms will be closed and staff will not be on site.
- Fee-based programs will continue at participating sites.
- Call your local recreation site to confirm schedules. For phone numbers, visit www2.oaklandnet.com/Government/o/opr/a/contact/index.htm.

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Human Services

Senior Centers

- All Senior Centers will be closed on Wednesday, February 12 and Monday, February 17.

Head Start/Early Head Start Programs

- All Head Start and Early Head Start program sites will be closed on Wednesday, February 12 and Monday, February 17.

Broadway Shuttle

- The shuttle will operate on a normal schedule on Wednesday, February 12.
- The shuttle will not operate on Monday, February 17.

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