



City of Bristol

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Look to the Past, Look to the Present, Look to the Future

December 2009

Friends and Neighbors -

As we celebrate this holiday season, I hope you are able to spend time with family and friends. Let us use this time to reflect and count our blessings. Take the time to see the goodness around us and in our children. All we do, together, is for them. The greatest gift we can exchange this season is to serve one another.

I would like to invite you to give back to your community by volunteering your time or opening your hearts to the less fortunate. One of the many ways you can do this is by supporting any one of the local organizations who help the needy and less fortunate. They help our citizens in many ways.

During these difficult economic times, more than ever we wish the very merriest of holiday spirit and good will to our residents and businesses in Bristol.

And whether you celebrate Christmas, Hanukkah or Kwanzaa, I want to wish you and your family a happy and safe Holiday Season and wonderful New Year in 2010.

*Arthur J. Ward
Mayor*