City of Calistoga Staff Report

TO: Honorable Mayor and City Council Members

FROM: Richard Spitler, City Manager

DATE: August 5, 2014

SUBJECT: Consideration of Closing City Offices on Friday, December 26,

2014.

APPROVAL FOR FORWARDING:

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Richard D. Spitler, City Manager

ISSUE:

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3 4 **RECOMMENDATION:**

By motion, authorize the City Manager to close city offices to non-essential services.

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BACKGROUND / DISCUSSION:

This year Christmas holidays fall on Wednesday and Thursday, December 24th to 25th. All city offices are closed during these days except for essential services (Police, Fire and Utility Plants). The following day is a Friday and it is anticipated based upon past experience that there will be very little public business on this one day before the weekend.

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FISCAL IMPACT:

If City offices were closed on this day there would be some cost savings with reduced use of city facilities. If approved, City staff would be required to take the day off as mandatory vacation, administrative or floating holiday leave (so no added cost to the City from labor charges). The affected labor association (CPEA) has been contacted and is agreeable to this suggestion. Essential services would still be operative (Police, Fire and Public Works stand-by).

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ATTACHMENT:

1. December 2014 Calendar

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