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Recent Council Actions

At their regular Council meeting on Monday, December 5, City Council took the following actions:

- The City Council held a public hearing on its 2012 proposed budget. Some of the major highlights of the budget include:
 - The tax levy for 2012 is proposed to decrease .5% from 2011.
 - General Fund spending, which includes the basic cost of government spending is proposed to increase 2.3%.
 - The tax rate for 2012 will increase 8.4% as a result of decreased taxable values.
 - The [2012-2013 Budget Summary booklet](#) can be found on the City's website.
 - See how Shoreview's taxes compare to similar metro-area cities, view the [Community Benchmark booklet](#). This is also available on the City's website.
- The City Council approved the Site Lease Agreement with Clear Channel Inc. for City property located off of County Road E and the Operating Agreement for a digital billboard. The site lease agreement provides for the City to receive \$40,000 annual rent per year and the ability to display various public service announcements on the billboard.

Shoreview to Host Upcoming Business Exchange

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City Meetings and Events

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- 12/08: Business Exchange
- 12/12: Economic Development Authority
- 12/12: City Council Workshop
- 12/19: City Council Meeting
- 12/20: Economic Development Commission
- 12/21: Human Rights Commission

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The Shoreview City Council and Economic Development Commission will host a special holiday edition of the Shoreview Business Exchange on Thursday, December 8th from 5 to 7 p.m. at the Hilton Garden Inn, located at 694 and Lexington Avenue.

The Shoreview Business Exchange is a great opportunity for local business representatives to meet people from other area businesses, chat with City officials and concerns and learn more about what's going on in the Shoreview community.

For more information, please call 651.490.4610 or visit the [City's website](#).

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Community Band Concert: December 10

The Shoreview Northern Lights Variety Band will hold its holiday concert: ***Celebrating Through the Ages*** on Saturday, December 10, at 7 p.m. at Benson Great Hall, located at Bethel University. Interested individuals can purchase tickets at Shoreview City Hall or online at <http://snlvb.com/tickets/index.html>.



Gallery 96 Art Exhibit now on display

Gallery 96 will host its exhibit: "A Story Told" through December 9 at the Shoreview branch of the Ramsey County Library, 4570 N. Victoria Street. Every piece of artwork in this exhibit will tell a story or create a story for viewers.

Artwork by Gallery 96 members is currently on display in the Fireside Lounge at the Shoreview Community Center through December 31. The theme for this show is "What I did this Summer."



Family Fun at the Annual New Year's Eve Party

The Parks and Recreation Department will host its annual family oriented New Year's Eve Party from 6 p.m. - 9 p.m. on December 31. This year's theme is "Let's Rock." For the low early admission price of \$9 for youth and \$7 for adults. Families will enjoy admission to the Tropics Waterpark and Tropical Adventure Indoor Playground, inflatable toys in the gym, carnival games and crafts, rockstar hair and face painting and the amazing balloon drop at 8:45 p.m. Don't miss this great family event.

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