



## CITY OF MANCHESTER

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### **Members First Credit Union to Sponsor City Tree Lighting Ceremony**

**Manchester, NH** - - Today Mayor Ted Gatsas announced Members First Credit Union will sponsor the City of Manchester official Christmas Tree Lighting Ceremony immediately following the *Spirit of the Season Christmas Parade* on Saturday, December 4<sup>th</sup> at Stanton Plaza (located in front of the Radisson Hotel, 700 Elm Street)

The ceremony will commence at 5:30pm and conclude at 6:30pm. Mayor Gatsas; Bernie McLaughlin, President & CEO of Members First Credit Union and Manchester Resident Tom Peltak who donated the 30-foot blue spruce will officially turn on the lights of the Christmas tree at approximately 6:10pm. Musical entertainment will be provided by the Central High School Chamber Choir, Memorial High School Chamber Choir and the Forever Young Manchester Senior Chorus.

Member's First Credit Union will provide free hot chocolate at Stanton Plaza beginning at 5:30pm.

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