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## Church Street Stroll Ushers in the Holiday Season

Merriment will abound at the Town of Vienna's treasured holiday event, the Church Street Stroll! The fun begins at 6 p.m. in front of the Freeman Store and Museum on Monday, Nov. 27 with musical entertainment from local school groups and holiday greetings from Mayor Linda Colbert, the Vienna Town Council, and other elected leaders. New this year is a tree lighting ceremony with a traditional, decorated evergreen tree on the Freeman Store lawn! That happens around 6:15 p.m., right after Santa makes his grand entrance down Church Street aboard the Vienna Volunteer Fire Department's antique fire truck!

After the official ceremony, participants can visit with Santa, stroll down historic Church Street, enjoy the festive lights, enjoy hot chocolate, warm up by a bonfire and explore the holiday shopping specials inside local Church Street businesses. Revelers can also enjoy tours of the nearby Caboose, the Vienna Train Station, and the Little Library for a trip down memory lane!

For more information: call Historic Vienna at 703-938-5187 or visit <u>www.viennava.gov/stroll</u>.

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