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Town Green Features Holiday Display Lottery Selection

For the second year in a row, the holiday tree on the Town Green is accompanied by a community display submitted in the Town's holiday display lottery. While the policy allows for up to three displays to be selected, only one entry was submitted this year, and it met the criteria for display:

- A menorah submitted by Chabad Tysons to commemorate Hannukah.

The menorah was installed on Monday, Dec. 9, and the display sponsor will soon hold a celebratory gathering to commemorate the menorah lighting. The Vienna community is invited to attend the celebration on Sunday, Dec. 29, 2024, at 5 p.m. on the Freeman Store Lawn, near the Town's holiday tree.

"Our Town Manager, Mercury Payton, championed this process last year to provide an opportunity for community members to honor various winter holiday traditions in our public space," said Vienna Parks and Recreation Director, Leslie Herman. "We live in a multi-cultural community and providing an opportunity for people to share traditions that may be different from our own helps foster mutual respect and understanding among all residents in the season of light."

Vienna residents will have plenty of time to enjoy all the festive holiday lights on the Town Green. All displays are permitted to remain on the Town Green Lawn until Friday, Jan. 10, 2025.

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