



Ebensburg's Dickens of a Christmas

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EBENSBURG DICKENS GRAND MARSHAL ANNOUNCED

Ebensburg – Mr. William Bumford will be this year's Grand Marshal for the 6th annual Dickens of a Christmas event in downtown Ebensburg.

Mr. Bumford was born and raised in Ebensburg and has remained here his entire life. Part of his commitment to Ebensburg was serving as Borough Manager for 31 years.

"Mr. Bumford was the first and last name mentioned for this year's Grand Marshal," said Shawna Drop, Community Development Director. "It was a unanimous decision among Borough staff and officials that we didn't have any further discussion on who we wanted to fulfill this honor."

Mr. Bumford had recently been involved with the Cambria County Community Development Corporation and is heavily involved with his church. Mr. Bumford serves as Trustee at the First United Church of Christ and is also a member of the church choir.

"I love the Ebensburg community and I am honored to have been asked to be this year's Grand Marshal," said Bumford. "To be frank, I am just thrilled."

Mr. Bumford will flip the switch at light-up night on Friday, December 2nd at 6:00 p.m. in Kimball Park and ride in the annual Christmas parade the following day.

Ebensburg's Dickens of a Christmas will be held December 2nd – 4th in various locations throughout downtown Ebensburg. If your business or organization would like to be a part of this year's Christmas parade, registration forms are available online or at the Borough Office.

For a schedule of events, registration forms or more information, please visit www.EbensburgDickens.com or call (814) 472-8780.

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