

# GREAT FALLS HOUSING NOTICES



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## SAFETY FIRST

If your smoke detector is beeping or chirping, the battery is probably low. Please call the office to have the battery changed. It is very important that all smoke detectors are operating correctly at all times. For no reason should you ever disconnect or take a smoke detector down.



Have a Happy  
and Safe Halloween!



## Rent Adjustments

If you have a change in income, it may affect your rent. Please make an appointment with your leasing manager as soon as you are aware of a change in your income.

If your income has increased and you delay reporting it, you may end up with a back charge for those months. If your income has decreased, your rent may be reduced.

Also not reporting income may be considered fraud and **strict actions** will be taken.

Either way, it is to your advantage to report income changes as soon as possible.

Great Falls

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## GAS CHARGES

The weather is starting to get colder, winter's coming. So as you turn your heat on, remember to be conservative.

You will be charged for **excess** gas usage.

## CHECK YOUR MAIL BOX !!

This is your notice that if you do not check your mail box on a weekly basis, the mail that is sitting in your mail box will be sent back to the sender.

IT'S YOUR RESPONSIBILITY TO  
REMEMBER TO CHECK YOUR MAIL BOX!!!

## Rent Payment Policy

Please remember to **print legibly in blue or black ink** the address and name of the tenant whose rent is being paid on the check or money order. This is to ensure that we credit the correct account.

# Halloween Safety Checklist



- ~Buy costumes or wigs that are labeled flame retardant or flame resistant.
- ~Put reflective tape of the fronts and backs of costumes
- ~Use face paint instead of a mask.
- ~Travel only in familiar areas.
- ~Go only to well-lit houses and remain on porches.
- ~Bring candy home before eating it so parents can inspect it.
- ~Travel in small groups and be accompanied by an adult if they're under age 12.
- ~Cross streets at the corner and use crosswalks.



## Acorn Treats Recipe

### Ingredients

- 1/2 cup semisweet chocolate chips
- 48 milk chocolate kisses
- 48 Nutter Butter Bites

### Directions

1. In a microwave, melt chocolate chips; stir until smooth. Spread the flat side of each kiss with a small amount of melted chocolate; immediately attach each to a cookie.
2. Cut a small hole in the corner of a pastry or plastic bag; insert a small round tip. Fill with remaining melted chocolate. Pipe a stem onto each acorn. Place on waxed paper-lined baking sheets; refrigerate until set. Store in an airtight container. Yield: 4 dozen.