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Message from PCI President Arlyne Reichert:

May the Holiday Season bring peace to the World.

Please help reach our goal of a big celebration for the 100th Birthday of our Historic Tenth Street Bridge on August 20, 2020! A necessary project is the installation of safety railings/balusters across the deck at an estimated cost of \$200,000. **Since beginning the campaign to "Buy a Yard" of railing @ \$250, we've raised \$135,000 for 540 yards- just 260 yards yet to go.** A generous local couple just issued a challenge to match your donation up to \$10,000.

Over the past two decades we've successfully repaired, protected and illuminated the Bridge's iconic arches, re-constructed a model arch to provide an attractive place to stage events, resealed the deck, connected the north end of the Bridge to River's Edge Trail & installed informational signage. Computer students at MSU-GF are organizing our database in preparation for installation of a permanent Donor Recognition Panel. Thanks to the considerable time & energy of our all-volunteer Board & the generosity of our donors, we have accomplished over a million dollars of restoration at no cost to local taxpayers.

Vision 2020:

Completing a pedestrian path across the Bridge in time for the Bridge's 100th Birthday. Your contribution to the "Buy a Yard" project is greatly appreciated.

You are invited! Annual Meeting Notice

Mark your calendars for **Monday, January 07, 2019**, at 7:00 p.m. in the Civic Center Gibson Room. After a brief business meeting, enjoy an annual Historic Bridge update by Public Works Director Jim Rearden.

PCI Board member & consummate storyteller and musician Richard Bird Baker will entertain us with a portrayal of his great-grandfather, architect George Washington Bird. Bird (1861-1961) was recruited by railroad pioneer James Hill & hired by town founder Paris Gibson as city engineer to lay out Great Falls' streets, parks and boulevards. Bird was also a talented banjo player, & Richard inherited those musical genes.

Show your support for our Historic Bridge by attending.

**Bring your friends. It's free.
Refreshments will be served.**



Bridge License Plates

Each plate contributes \$25 to the bridge. To date this program has raised \$20,000. Sign up at the time of license renewal.



Bridge Lighting \$100

Light the Bridge in memory or honor of individuals or events. We need several days notice to program the lights & publish an announcement in the Tribune. Call 406-452-5492.

Facebook - Great Falls Historic Tenth Street Bridge

2019 ANNUAL MEMBERSHIP NOTICE

Preservation Cascade Inc. 1409 Fourth Ave. S.
Great Falls, MT 59405 (phone 406-452-5492)

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ADDRESS _____

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This is the ONLY notice you'll receive for 2019 dues. All donations are fully tax deductible. Donations in ANY amount are appreciated. Suggested dues: \$30 per person or \$50 per family. Your contribution provides matching funds for grants. ALL proceeds directly benefit the Bridge. PCI is funded entirely through individual & business donations & competitive grants.

BUY A YARD @ \$250
GOAL: \$200,000
RAISED to date: \$135,00
Thank you donors! Please join this list. Names of those contributing \$250 or more will permanently appear on the Bridge.

Businesses:

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| Ace Hardware | Lewin Law Office |
| Albersons | Patterson Insurance |
| Lawrence Anderson | "Questors" Organization |
| Law | NorthWestern Energy |
| B&B Heating | Sam's Club |
| Best Law Offices | Schneider Funeral Homes |
| Craftmaster Cabinets | 3D Club |
| Croxford Funeral | Tronson Wine - Fifth & Vine |
| Home | Restuarant |
| Embark Credit Union | 2J's Fresh Food Market |
| First Interstate | Walmart |

Memorials:
list in alphabetic order

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| Dixie Boland | Judge Harry Pregerson |
| by Barbara Mittal | by Bernadine Pregerson |
| Claire DelGuerra | Paul & Jane Hudson |
| by Tony & Dana DelGuerra | by Paula Hudson |
| Adele Dohrman | Gene Berger Hunter |
| by Richard Dohrman | by Bill & Steve Hunter |
| Loretta Doran Day | Kurt Linder |
| by Jan, Dan, & Katy | by Carol & Judy Lindner-McCluskey |
| Father Anthony Gregory | Beverly Jean Persessini |
| by Rory & Sarah Peck | by Bernadette & Steve Bankhead |
| Wesley A. Pearson | |
| by Ron & Echo Ukrainetz | |

Individuals:

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| Anonymous | Kelly Parks & Kate Stephens |
| Claire & Tom Baiz | Rory & Sarah Peck Family |
| Samantha Baiz | Ben Rangel (Ace) |
| Dave Baker | Arlyne Reichert |
| Richard Baker | Cheryl Reichert & Charles Bocock |
| Curtis Bell | Greg Reichert |
| Tracy Coles | Robert & Beth Reichert |
| Susan Colvin | Roger & Val Reichert |
| Julaine Condon | Owen & Gayle Robinson |
| Barbara Cornwall | Ken Small |
| Carolyn Craven | John & Sue Anne Stephenson-Love |
| Georges DeGiorgio | Bill Tamiatti |
| Char Fabian | Dennis & Michelle Tighe |
| Kent Graves | Bev & Vern Tuttle |
| Ben Graybill & Laura Weiss | Vince Warner Family |
| Paul & Lea Gorsuch | Dan Weinberg |
| Cheryl Hutchinson | Tom & Sharon Weinrich |
| Chuck & Gerry Jennings | Babe Williams |
| Peter & Elizabeth Jennings | Janet Peretti Williams |
| Lucille Johnson | Ronald Williams |
| Sheryl & Randall Knowles | Russell Williams |
| Bob & Ann Kudrna | Richard & Paula Wilmot |
| Dennis & Terry Lester | Susan Wolff |
| Sharon Mikkelsen | |
| Brett Mikkelsen | |
| Harry Mitchell Family | |
| Barbara Moe | |

THANK YOU! Hope to see you on JANUARY 7, 2019