

Around the House

From Our Greenwave Electric
Family to Yours

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What Greenwave Does:

- Aluminum Wiring Replacement.
- Electrical Safety Inspections.
- Home Generators.
- Home Re-Wiring.
- Electrical Repairs.
- Data Cable Wiring
Phone TV
Satellite.
- Lighting.
- Residential Pools.
- Panel Upgrades.
- Service Upgrades.
- Surge Protection.

Benefits of Using Greenwave:

- On Time Every
Time, or We Buy
You Dinner!
- Professional
Technicians.
- Up-Front
Proposals.
- Shoe Covers for
Floor Protection.
- Detailed Clean-up
When We're
Finished.



IT'S BEGINNING TO LOOK ALOT LIKE CHRISTMAS...

As we welcome in December this year, our thoughts turn to the holidays. Yes, you guessed it...Christmas, family, great food, and all the decorations and festivities that come with it.

Here at Greenwave Electric, we want everyone to have a memorable, joyous and safe holiday experience for 2013. With that in mind, I am dedicating this month's issue to safety tips for decorating inside the house, and out this holiday season.

So to all of our readers and loyal customers...

We wish you a very Merry Christmas from our Greenwave Electric family to yours.

INTERIOR CHRISTMAS DECORATING SAFETY TIPS

Here are a few tips to follow when decorating for Christmas inside the house:

- Before decorating, carefully inspect all electrical decorations. Do not use any that have cracked, or damaged sockets, loose or bare wires, or loose connections, as these can cause serious shock or start a fire.
- Determine your decorating plan by inspecting how many outlets are available and their locations. Overloading electrical outlets can cause them to overheat and potentially start a fire.
- Consider using LED decorative lights, as they use less energy and run cooler.
- Never connect more than 3 strands of decorative lights together, as this may cause a potential fire hazard.
- Ensure that all interior electrical decorations are turned off before going to bed or leaving the house. Or consider using an electrical timer to set a specified shut off time.

EXTERIOR CHRISTMAS DECORATING SAFETY TIPS

Here are a few tips to follow when decorating for Christmas on the outside of the house and yard:

- Inspect all electrical decorations and extension cords for damage before use, and ensure that they are marked for outdoor use.
- All outdoor electrical decorations should be plugged into circuits protected by ground fault circuit interrupters (GFCI's), to protect from serious shock.
- Avoid overloading electrical outlets as they can overheat and have the potential to start a fire.
- If using a ladder to decorate, ensure that it is either wooden or fiberglass, as metal ladders can conduct electricity.
- Lastly, ensure that all outdoor electrical decorations are turned off before going to bed or leaving the house. Consider using an electrical timer to be able to set a specified on and off time for all outdoor decorative lighting.