

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.

As We Usher In the New Year...It's the Perfect Time To Complete A Bi-Annual Home Safety Check Up on Your Electrical System

People go to the doctor for their annual wellness check up, as they realize it is critical for maintaining your health. Did you know that conducting a bi-annual safety check up of your residential electrical system is also vital to the safety of your home?

Here at Greenwave Electric, we care about the safety of our customers in their homes. That is why we have created an Electrical Safety Check Up for you to use in your home. Go to our website after January 1, 2015, www.greenwaveelectric.com, and click on "Team Blog", under the "About" tab at the top of our home page. Read our blog on the importance of an electrical safety check up, and print off the included PDF Check Up document for your use.



Include Safety When Storing Your Christmas Decorations

The excitement and fun of putting up the Christmas tree and all the decorations is over, it's time to pack it up for another year. To help with this task and to make it easier for next year's decorating for the holidays, we have come up with some helpful tips:

- Test and inspect each strand of lights before putting away. Make sure to discard any with damaged wires. Zip tie and store individual strands in a one-gallon freezer bag, to prevent tangling.
- Inspect ornaments, and discard any that are broken or damaged. Place in original boxes, if not available, you can wrap in tissue paper and store in cardboard boxes.
- Store indoor and outdoor decorations separate, making sure to inspect all for damage before packing away.
- Be sure to properly label all boxes of decorations for easy identification for next year.

Real Christmas Tree Disposal Ideas

So, your tree this year was a real tree, what are your disposal options? Here are a few ideas:

First and foremost, remove ALL ornaments, tinsel, lights and other non-organic decorative material that is on the tree. This includes the tree stand. DO NOT wrap in a bag.

- Cut up the tree to fit in your yard waste container for regular trash service pick up.
- Fish feeders: if you or someone you know has a pond, Christmas trees make excellent refuge, breeding area, and feeding area for fish.
- Bird feeders: Place tree in your garden or back yard as a bird feeder and sanctuary. Fresh orange slices or strung popcorn will attract birds and while sitting in the branches, they will be provided with shelter. Eventually, the tree branches will become brittle and can be broken up by hand for disposal.
- Tree drop off recycling centers in Topeka, KS: Trees will be accepted from December 26th through January 31st. Hours of operation are 8:00 am to 4:30 pm Monday through Friday, and 8:00 am to 4:00 pm on Saturdays.
Biomass Yard Material Recycling Facility- Northeast of I-70 and MacVicar.
Crestview Community Center- 4801 Shunga Drive.
Oakland Community Center- 801 NE Poplar.