



WILLIAMSTOWN POLICE DEPARTMENT

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TOWN MANAGER REPORT

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Since the last report on 11/6/25:

Notable Events:

Most of the Williamstown Police staff attended a training session hosted in town for Advanced Law Enforcement Rapid Response Training by the Mass Police Training Council. Other area first responders were also invited and present for the 2-day training.

Officer Sigsbury participated in the Williams College Children's Center Touch-a-Truck event.

Williamstown Police and the Town Manager met with Williams College Staff regarding ongoing issues with Off Campus Parties and concerns related to these sites.

Officer Sigsbury and Sergeant William assisted with the Mass State Police Task Force investigation around sex and human trafficking.

Sergeant William assisted with the local Driver's Education program by speaking with students about motor vehicle laws.

Williamstown is pleased to welcome our newest full-time dispatcher, Madeline Swanner.

Sergeant Duprat and Officer Skorupski attended a presentation by the Northern Berkshire Community Coalition regarding their programs and services.

Williamstown Police Staff have begun the process of recertifying for Law Enforcement Dispatch and Crisis Communication as part of continuing education for state 911 requirements.

Motor Vehicle Crashes: There were twelve (12) crashes reported:

Animal (3): **Main St** (Vehicle Struck Deer), **Hancock Rd** (Vehicle Struck Deer), **Main St** (Vehicle Struck Deer).

Intersection (2): **Water St @ Main St** (Vehicle Backed into Travel Lane Striking Stopped Vehicle), **Sand Springs Rd @ Simonds Rd** (Vehicle Rear-Ended at Stop Sign).

Parking/Parked (2): **Main St** (Backing Vehicle Struck a Traveling Vehicle), **Cold Spring Rd** (Vehicle Pulled down Verizon Wires).

Roadway (5): **Park St** (Hit and Run, Minimal Details), **Main St** (Vehicle Rear-Ended While Waiting for Bus), **Simonds Rd** (Vehicle Struck Guardrail Due to Black Ice), **New Ashford Rd** (Vehicle Left Roadway Striking Pole), **Taconic Trail** (Vehicle Overcorrected on Ice, Rolling Over).

Motor Vehicle Crash Demographics (If cited):

Criminal (0): White Male (1)

Civil (0)

Warning (0): White Female (1), White Male (2).

Motor Vehicle Stops: Eleven (11) traffic stops were conducted during this reporting period.

Motor Vehicle Stop Demographics:

Warning (8): White Female (2), White Male (5), Black Male (1).

Civil (2): White Female (2).

Criminal Complaint/Arrests (1): White Female (1).

Total: 11

Motor Vehicle Violations: Twenty-three (23) violations were cited on the following roadways:

Bridges Rd (2), Cold Spring Rd (5), Main St (4), New Ashford Rd (3), North Hoosac Rd (3), Simonds Rd (2), Water St (4).

Parking Violations: Fifty-one (51) violations were cited:

All Night Parking: Arnold St (1), Grandview Dr (1), Linden St (1), Moorland St (1), Park St (6), Spring St (5), Spring St Lot (11), White Oaks Rd (1).

Overtime Parking: Park St (6), Spring St (13), Waterman Pl (1).

Prohibited Area: Spring St (2).

Wrong Direction/12" From Curb: John St (1), Moorland St (1).

Search Warrants: (0)

Protective Custody: (0)

Criminal Summons: (2)

1. Uninsured Motor Vehicle, Operating with a Suspended Registration, Missing Registration Sticker.
2. Negligent Operation of a Motor Vehicle, Marked Lanes Violation.

Criminal Arrests: (0)

Criminal Charge/Protective Custody Demographics: (2)

White Female (1), White Male (1).

Dispatch: Five hundred and one (501) calls for service were recorded at Dispatch from Thursday, 11/6/25 (0700) to Wednesday, 11/19/25 (0700):

- Police - 409
- Ambulance - 68
- Fire - 24