



WILLIAMSTOWN POLICE DEPARTMENT

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TOWN MANAGER REPORT

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Since the last report on 1/18/23:

Notable Events:

Chief Ziemba hosted a Chief's Meeting for all Berkshire County Police Chiefs.

Chief Ziemba served as a panelist for the Berkshire Innovation Center's United Against Hate Workshop for local Police agencies and schools.

Williamstown Police Officers completed in-person CPR training as part of their MPTC Annual In-Service Requirements.

Dispatcher Lemoine completed Stop the Bleed Training.

Motor Vehicle Crashes: There were fourteen (14) crashes reported:

Animal (2): **North St** (Deer Struck by Truck), **Main St** (Raccoon Ran Out Causing Vehicle to Leave Roadway).

Intersection (5): **Main St @ Cole Ave** (Failed to Yield When Changing Lanes), **New Ashford Rd @ Hancock Rd** (Vehicle Failed to Yield to Oncoming Traffic), **Main St @ Cold Spring Rd** (Vehicle Struck Median), **North St @ Main St** (Vehicle Failed to Yield to Rotary Traffic), **North St @ Main St** (Vehicle Failed to Yield to Rotary Traffic).

Parking/Parked (3): **Bank St** (Vehicle Struck While Parked), **Main St** (Vehicle Struck While Parked), **Main St** (Vehicle Struck Another While Backing).

Roadway (4): **Syndicate Rd** (Vehicle Struck Guardrail), **Main St** (Vehicle Rear Ended While Stopped), **Lab Campus Dr** (Vehicle Struck Railing), **Syndicate Rd** (Vehicle Left Roadway Entering Ditch).

Motor Vehicle Crash Demographics (If cited):

Criminal (0)

Civil (0)

Warning (5): White Female (2), White Male (3).

Motor Vehicle Stops: Two Hundred and twenty six (226) traffic stops were conducted during this reporting period.

Motor Vehicle Stop Demographics:

Warning (210): White Female (86), White Male (111), Black Female (3), Black Male (5), Asian Female (3), Asian Male (2).

Civil (10): White Female (3), White Male (7).

Criminal Complaint/Arrests (6): White Male (4), White Female (2).

Total: 226

Motor Vehicle Violations: Two hundred and seventy seven (277) violations were cited on the following roadways:

Bee Hill Rd (1), Bridges Rd (22), Cold Spring Rd (40), Cole Ave (14), Green River Rd (50), Hancock Rd (52), Main St (58), New Ashford Rd (7), North Hoosac Rd (13), North St (2), Sand Springs Rd (2), Simonds Rd (1), South St (1), Southworth St (2), Spring St (2), Stratton Rd (1), Water St (8), Waterman Pl (1).

Parking Violations: Twenty seven (27) violations were cited:

All Night Parking: Hall St (1), John St (1), Moorland St (1), North St (4), Park St (8), Spring St (4), Spring St Lot (6).

Wrong Direction/12" from Curb: School St (1).

Prohibited Area: Spring St (1).

Search Warrants: (0)

Protective Custody: (5)

White Female (3), White Male (2).

Criminal Summons: (9)

1. Operation of Motor Vehicle with Suspended Registration (Subsequent Offense), No Inspection/Sticker.
2. Unlicensed Operation of Motor Vehicle.
3. Operation of Motor Vehicle with Suspended Registration, Uninsured Motor Vehicle.
4. Operation of Motor Vehicle with Suspended Registration, Uninsured Motor Vehicle, Unlicensed Operation of Motor Vehicle.
5. Assault & Battery on Family/Intimate Partner, Strangulation or Suffocation.
6. Failure to Stop/Yield, Unlicensed Operation of Motor Vehicle.
7. Operation of Motor Vehicle with Suspended Registration, Uninsured Motor Vehicle.
8. Operation of Motor Vehicle with Suspended Registration (Subsequent Offense), Crosswalk Violation.
9. Operation of Motor Vehicle with Suspended License (Subsequent Offense), Unregistered Motor Vehicle.

Criminal Arrests: (1)

1. Violation of Abuse Prevention Order.

Criminal Charge/Protective Custody Demographics: (15)

White Male (9), White Female (5), Black Male (1).

Dispatch: Nine hundred and ninety seven (997) calls for service were recorded at Dispatch from Thursday, 1/18/23 (0700) to Thursday, 2/8/24 (0700):

- Police - 849
- Ambulance - 104
- Fire - 44