



WILLIAMSTOWN POLICE DEPARTMENT

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TOWN MANAGER REPORT

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Since the last report on 7/20/23:

Notable Events:

On Tuesday August 1st, WPD hosted the National Night Out event held at The Spruces. We would like to thank all of the various groups and individuals that assisted in the success of this event with their donations, as well as all who attended the event itself.

WPD brought an outside assessment group of public safety professionals in to complete a written, scenario and interview based assessment for the position of Sergeant. Three internal candidates achieved qualifying scores and at the recommendation of the assessment team and Chief Ziemba have been promoted to the rank of Sergeant. Our congratulations to Sergeants William, Dzedziak, and Duprat.

Motor Vehicle Crashes: There were nine (9) crashes reported:

Animal (0)

Intersection (2): **Latham St @ Water St** (Vehicle Turned and Struck Oncoming Vehicle), **Simonds Rd @ Sand Springs** (Vehicle Struck Two Vehicles and Sign).

Parking/Parked (1): **Main St** (Vehicle Backed into Parked Car).

Roadway (6): **Main St** (Two Vehicles Changing Lanes at Same Time Collided), **North St** (Vehicle Struck Guardrail), **Water St** (Vehicle Left Roadway Striking Guardrail and Mailbox), **Petersburg Rd** (Vehicle Pulled out), **Simonds Rd** (Vehicle Left Roadway Striking Hydrant), **North Hoosac Rd** (Vehicle Lost Tire).

Motor Vehicle Crash Demographics (If cited):

Criminal (1): White Male (1).

Civil (1): White Male (1).

Warning (4): White Male (1), White Female (2), Asian Female (1).

Motor Vehicle Stops: Twenty Seven (27) traffic stops were conducted during this reporting period.

Motor Vehicle Stop Demographics:

Warning (23): White Female (6), White Male (15), Black Male (1), Asian Female (1).

Civil (4): White Female (2), White Male (1), Black Male (1).

Criminal Complaint/Arrests (0)

Total: 27

Motor Vehicle Violations: Thirty seven (37) violations were cited on the following roadways:
Bridges Rd (6), Cold Spring Rd (6), Cole Ave (1), Green River Rd (1), Hancock Rd (5), Latham St (1), Main St (3), North Hoosac Rd (5), North St (1), Petersburg Rd (1), Sand Springs Rd (1), Simonds Rd (5), Water St (1).

Parking Violations: Thirty two (32) violations were cited:
All Night Parking: Arnold St (1), Grandview Dr (1), Hall St (2), Jamieson Hts (1), Lee Ter (2), Manning St (1), Meacham St (1), Southworth St (1), Spring St Lot (4), Spring St Lot (12), Water St (2).
Wrong Direction/12" From Curb: Lee Ter (1), School St (1).
Prohibited Area: School St (1).
Handicapped Zone: School St (1).

Town Bylaw Citations: (0)

Non-MV Citations/Demographics: (0)

Protective Custody: (2)

White Male (2)

Criminal Summons: (1)

1. Following Too Close, Unlicensed Operation of Motor Vehicle, Negligent Operation of a Motor Vehicle.

Criminal Arrests: (2)

1. Vandalize Property (x2), Breaking and Entering Daytime for Felony.
2. Vandalize Property (x2), Breaking and Entering Daytime for Felony.

Warrant Request: (0)

Criminal Charge/Protective Custody Demographics: (5)

White Female (1), Black Female (1), White Male (3)

Dispatch: Five hundred and seventy seven (577) calls for service were recorded at Dispatch from Thursday, 7/20/23 (0700) to Wednesday, 8/9/23 (0700):

- Police - 465
- Ambulance - 92
- Fire - 20