



WILLIAMSTOWN POLICE DEPARTMENT

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TOWN MANAGER REPORT

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Since the last report on 11/9/23:

Notable Events:

Sgt William, Sgt Dziedziak, and Sgt Duprat attended supervisor training school hosted and instructed by the Mass Police Training Council.

Williamstown Police Staff assisted NYSP with a cold case search that lasted several days in our area.

Officer Sacco attended a firearems legal update course.

Williamstown Police completed a routine Criminal Justice Information System Audit.

Sergeant William and Officers Sigsbury and Dubie assisted the food pantry and Wild Oats Market with thanksgiving food package deliveries.

Dispatcher Lemoine attended Rescue Task Force Training hosted by the Southern Berkshire Regional Emergency Planning Committee.

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

Animal (1): **Cold Spring Rd** (Vehicle Struck Deer).

Intersection (2): **Green River Rd @ New Ashford Rd** (Vehicle Failed to Yield to Oncoming Traffic),

Waterman Pl @ Main St (Vehicle Struck Oncoming Vehicle While Entering Intersection).

Parking/Parked (3): **Cole Ave** (Vehicle Backed into Oncoming Traffic), **Spring St** (Party reports past damage from parking on Spring St), **Latham St** (Party Reporting Past Damage from Parking in Lot).

Roadway (6): **Park St** (Vehicle Struck another While Avoiding Pedestrian), **Main St** (Vehicle Rear Ended While Stopped for Pedestrian), **Main St** (Vehicle Struck Another While Passing), **Cold Spring Rd** (Vehicle Left Roadway and Flipped Onto Roof), **Main St** (Vehicle Struck from Behind While Waiting to Turn), **Blair Rd** (Vehicle Left Roadway Striking Utility Pole).

Motor Vehicle Crash Demographics (If cited):

Criminal (1): White Male (1).

Civil (0)

Warning (5): White Female (5)

Motor Vehicle Stops: Twenty three (23) traffic stops were conducted during this reporting period.

Motor Vehicle Stop Demographics:

Warning (19): White Female (6), White Male (12), Black Male (1).

Civil (3): White Male (1), Black Male (1), Black Female (1).

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

Total: 23

Motor Vehicle Violations: Thirty six (36) violations were cited on the following roadways:

Blair Rd (2), Bridges Rd (3), Cold Spring Rd (4), Cole Ave (1), Hancock Rd (1), Main St (12), New Ashford Rd (3), North Hoosac Rd (2), North St (4), Simonds Rd (1), Water St (3).

Parking Violations: Thirty nine (39) violations were cited:

All Night Parking: Candlewood Dr (1), Front St (3), John St (1), Lee Ter (1), Park St (8), Spring St (13),
Spring St Lot (10), Waterman Pl (1).

Prohibited Area: Park St (1).

Search Warrants: (0)

Protective Custody: (3)

Black Female (1 (same party twice)), White Female (1).

Criminal Summons: (2)

1. Assault and Battery with a Dangerous Weapon.
2. Unregistered Motor Vehicle, Improperly Registered Motor Vehicle to Avoid Taxes and Premiums.

Criminal Arrests: (1)

1. OUI Liquor Second Offense, Operation of Motor Vehicle without Headlights, Possession of an Open Container of Alcohol in Motor Vehicle, Possession of Class C Drug.

Criminal Charge/Protective Custody Demographics: (2)

White Male (2), White Female (1).

Dispatch: Five hundred and eighteen (518) calls for service were recorded at Dispatch from Thursday, 11/9/23 (0700) to Thursday, 11/23/23 (0700):

- Police - 436
- Ambulance - 72
- Fire - 10