



Johnstown Common Council

Business Meeting - Council Chambers, City Hall

Monday, September 15, 2025 @ 6:00 p.m.

REPORTS FROM CITY DEPARTMENTS

Assessor

Clerk

Engineer / Department of Public Works / Water

Fire / Code Enforcement

Police

Senior Center

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City of Johnstown

Assessor's Office

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ASSESSOR REPORT September 15, 2025

- Any new homeowner who has not received their School Tax Bill, should contact the School Tax Collector at 518-762-4611 x3 or go to the school website www.johnstownschoools.org under Budget and Finance for school tax information.
- All exemptions filed with the Assessor are due March 1, 2026. STAR exemptions are no longer filed with the Assessor.
- Effective with the 2025-2026 Enacted State Budget, homeowners will NO LONGER need to apply for the Enhanced STAR exemption at the Assessor's office. All individuals who become eligible will be automatically receive the Enhanced STAR from NYS Office of Real Property Tax Services (ORPTS). Please contact the Assessor's office with any questions at 518-736-4015
- The Assessor's Office continues to enter sales and work on the 2026 Roll.



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Calls Handled:

- For the August 2025, the Police Department handled 478 calls for service.
- Out of those calls for service, 71 criminal cases were generated.
- There were 40 arrests made during the month.
 - 24 of those arrested were Males.
 - 0 -American Indian/Alaska Native
 - 0 -Asian
 - 3 -Black/African-American
 - 0 -Hispanic
 - 3 -Not Hispanic/Latino
 - 0 -Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander
 - 0 -Unknown
 - 21 -White
 - 0 -Hispanic/Latino
 - 21 -Not Hispanic/Latino
 - 16 of those arrested were Females.
 - 0 -American Indian/Alaska Native
 - 0 -Asian
 - 1 -Black/African-American
 - 0 -Hispanic/Latino
 - 1 -Not Hispanic/Latino
 - 0 -Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander
 - 0 -Unknown
 - 15 -White
 - 1 -Hispanic/Latino
 - 14 -Not Hispanic/Latino

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Calls Handled (Cont'd):

- There were, 64 Citations issued.
 - 2 - Citations issued were Parking Tickets.
 - 62 - Citations issued were Traffic Tickets.

- There were 25 Traffic Accidents Investigated.

Training & Other News:

Last New Patrol Cars have been delivered and are awaiting to be marked up and Upfitted. Should start to be on the road by First of October.

School has started People need to be alert for School Buses and small children before and after school hours.

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THE SHIRLEY J LUCK CENTER FOR 50+

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In August the Shirley J. Luck Center for 50+ had about 1200 people at the center. August is traditionally a quieter month because people are busy with their own summer activities, but this year it seems we were busy almost every day. The trip to the State Fair on August 26th was a lot of fun and the weather was beautiful. The next few months are going to be busy with events open to everyone in the community, not just members. We welcome people from all around our area to join us for these events where they can learn about the center and all that we have to offer.

We are hosting a "Meet and Greet" for the new Superintendent of the Johnstown School District on Monday, September 15th from 12-1. Alicia Koster would like to introduce herself and provide information and answer questions about the upcoming referendum regarding the Solar Project as well as any other school district topics of interest.

The Fall Fest and Member Appreciation Day will be Wednesday, September 17th from 10a – 3p. We hope to have not only our members attend, but anyone from our area can join in the festivities. Palmer's Pharmacy will be holding a walk-in Flu Clinic starting at 10am. Angela Stover, RN will be here for the Blood Pressure Clinic at 10am as well. "Galaxy" will be here from 12 – 2 to play the music everyone likes to sing and dance to. We will have a Membership Table with gifts for anyone renewing or becoming a new member. Tables with information about all our classes, trips, and events will be set up for everyone to peruse. There will be food and raffles and everyone is welcome to come and have some fun.

On Friday, September 19th Vet to Vet will be hosting a breakfast for POW/MIA Recognition Day. It is so nice that our center can accommodate events like this for our local community agencies.

A presentation from the Board of Elections is on Wednesday, September 24th at 1pm. Robin Wentworth (D) and William Eschler (R) will talk about the voter registration, absentee ballots, early voting, election day and polling sites. They will be happy to answer any questions about their functions.

The Resources/Information Fair is being held on Wednesday, October 8th from 10a – 3p. We will have about 20 different agencies from across the area with a wide variety of information. The information is important not only for older adults, but to people of all ages. Lunch is available and the event is open to the community.

Psychic Fair will be held on Saturday, October 25th from 9a – 4p. The Craft Fair is on Saturday and Sunday November 1st and 2nd and the Holiday Breakfast will be on Sunday, December 7th. More details will be available as we continue planning.

The next Defensive Driving Class will be held on Wednesday, September 24th from 9:30a-3:30p. A class is held every month through December with the next one on Wednesday, October 22nd. Class size is limited to 40 and the cost is \$25 for members of the center and \$35 for guests. The class is being taught by Frank Clemente and you will get a discount on your insurance for attending the class.

Our newsletter, "The Eavesdropper", has all the details on trips, classes and events. Check us out on Facebook or call the business office at 518-762-4643. Drive up and get one outside the business office hanging on the post, or come in and see what is new at the center.

Respectfully submitted,
Diedrie Roemer, Executive Director

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