



Johnstown Common Council
Business Meeting - Council Chambers, City Hall
Tuesday, January 20, 2026 @ 6:00 p.m.

REPORTS FROM CITY DEPARTMENTS

- Assessor
- Clerk
- Engineer / Department of Public Works / Water
- Fire / Code Enforcement
- Police
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- Treasurer



City of Johnstown

Assessor's Office

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ASSESSOR REPORT January 20, 2026

- All exemptions that are filed with the Assessor are due March 1, 2026. For questions regarding ANY exemption, please call or email the Assessor's Office at 518-736-4015 or assessor@cityofjohnstown.ny.gov.
- Renewal applications for the Partial Tax Exemption for Senior Citizens were mailed November 6th and are due by March 1, 2023. **Please submit income from the tax year 2024.**
- A reminder, anyone turning 65 this calendar year may be eligible for the Partial Tax Exemption for Senior Citizens. If you believe you may qualify, please contact the Assessor's office for an application.
- New homeowners need to register for the STAR Credit at www.tax.ny.gov/star or call 518-457-2036.
- The Assessor's Office continues to work on the 2026 roll.

Johnstown Fire Department Monthly Report

Month of December 2025:

Code enforcement officers, Fire, and EMS personnel continue in-service training. We hosted a NYS confined space training in addition to regular in service requirements.

Fire Department Activity

The Department responded to 224 calls for service.

EMS Activity

Emergency medical services responded to 153 calls for service.

Code Enforcement

The November monthly Building Permit Report is as follows:

There were 18 building permits issued with an estimated cost of Construction or Renovation is \$ 145,316.00 The permit fees collected for this month are \$ 790.00

The codes division addressed complaints as received, and conducted multiple inspections.



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Calls Handled:

- For the December 2025, the Police Department handled 492 calls for service.
- Out of those calls for service, 73 criminal cases were generated.
- There were 40 arrests made during the month.
 - 26 of those arrested were Males.
 - 0 -American Indian/Alaska Native
 - 0 -Asian
 - 1 -Black/African-American
 - 0 -Hispanic
 - 1 -Not Hispanic/Latino
 - 0 -Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander
 - 0 -Unknown
 - 25 -White
 - 3 -Hispanic/Latino
 - 21 -Not Hispanic/Latino
 - 14 of those arrested were Females.
 - 0 -American Indian/Alaska Native
 - 0 -Asian
 - 0 -Black/African-American
 - 0 -Hispanic/Latino
 - 0 -Not Hispanic/Latino
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Calls Handled (Cont'd):

- There were, 318 Citations issued.
 - 260 - Citations issued were Parking Tickets.
 - 58 - Citations issued were Traffic Tickets.

- There were 44 Traffic Accidents Investigated.

Training & Other News:

The Johnstown Police Department is announcing the retirement of Captain Eric Johnson which will take effect February 6, 2026.

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THE SHIRLEY J LUCK CENTER FOR 50+

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In December, the Shirley J. Luck Center for 50+ had approximately 1005 people at the center. December was busy despite the weather issues and holiday closings. The membership for 2026 continues to grow and we have about 300 people who have renewed or become new members. In addition, we have our 50 or so Lifetime members who are 90+ and many of them are coming in regularly. Socialization is so important for older adults and we have a great place for them to come and spend time with old and new friends.

We offer computer classes three times a month at no cost and they are open to everyone. People have the opportunity to learn more about how their smart phone, tablet, or iPad operates. Sometimes there are specific topics, but there is always time for questions as well.

The Caregiver Support Group will meet on Wednesday, January 28th at 3pm and is open to anyone who is caring for a loved one. The group provides a confidential place to discuss and share the many stresses of being a caregiver. Information about where to get assistance and resources in our community is available as well.

On January 15th Workforce Solutions was at the center for a mini job fair with 10 tables set up for local employers to provide information. They will be at the center quarterly and it is a great opportunity for anyone looking for employment to learn more about what is available in our area.

AARP will be here on Wednesdays to provide free tax preparation for older adults from February 4th – April 8th. Anyone can call our office at 518-762-4643 to schedule an appointment.

The next Defensive Driving Class will be held on Wednesday, April 22nd from 9:30a-3:30p. 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 a copy outside the business office hanging on the post, or come in and enjoy a warm cup of coffee and a snack.

Respectfully submitted,
Diedrie Roemer
Executive Director



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January 15, 2026

- **AFRs – Should be uploaded by the end of this week.**
- **Claims and Accounts -**
 - **\$3,070,480.54**
- **BAN for CHIPS has been completed**
- **Credit Card Processing Machines are in and will be up and running by next week**
- **Credit Card App may need to be resubmitted; waiting on Green County**
- **Union contracts – are working on being redlined**
- **Tax roll for bill processing has been submitted to the county**
- **State Aid amount for 2026 is \$1,388,910**
- **Bond –**
 - **Current invoiced from bond; 2,063,208.82**
 - **Transfer request from valve replacement to excavator; \$134,400**
- **Tyler is moving forward – COJ & Tyler working on accounts the last two weeks**

Respectfully submitted,

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City Treasurer