



Johnstown Common Council

Business Meeting - Council Chambers, City Hall

Monday, October 21, 2024 @ 6:00 p.m.

REPORTS FROM CITY DEPARTMENTS

1. Assessor
2. Clerk
3. Engineer / Department of Public Works / Water
4. Fire / Code Enforcement
5. Police
6. Senior Center
7. Treasurer

- to be hand delivered



City of Johnstown

Assessor's Office

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ASSESSOR REPORT October 21, 2024

- New homeowners need to register for the STAR Credit at www.tax.ny.gov/star or call 518-457-2036.
- Contact the STAR Hotline at 518-457-2036 for any questions regarding STAR Credit checks.
- The Assessor's Office continues to work on the 2025 roll.

City Clerk Monthly Report
September 01, 2024 - September 30, 2024

Account#	Account Description	Fee Description	Qty	Local Share
A1255	A Vendor City Clerk Fees	A Vendor	3	135.00
		Marriage License	11	175.00
		Sub-Total:		\$310.00
A2544	Dog Licensing	Exempt Dogs	1	0.00
		Female, Spayed	11	77.00
		Female, Unspayed	4	52.00
		Male, Neutered	23	161.00
		Male, Unneutered	1	13.00
		Renewal 90 days overdue	2	10.00
		Sub-Total:		\$313.00
A2555	DPW Permits	Right of Way/Dumpster	2	20.00
		Sidewalk	1	30.00
		Sub-Total:		\$50.00
A2590	Landfill	Landfill - Replacement	7	35.00
		Landfill Permit	13	455.00
		Sub-Total:		\$490.00
General Fund		one time	1	20.00
		one day	2	30.00
		Vital Records	16	174.00
		Sub-Total:		\$224.00
			Total Local Shares Remitted:	\$1,387.00
Amount paid to: NYS Ag. & Markets for spay/neuter program				49.00
Amount paid to: NYS Dept. Of Health For Marriage Lic.				225.00
Total State, County & Local Revenues:		\$1,661.00	Total Non-Local Revenues:	\$274.00

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a true statement of fees and monies received by me, Carrie M. Allen, City Clerk, City of Johnstown during the period stated above, in connection with my office,

City Clerk Date



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City Engineer's Office

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Christopher J. Vose
City Engineer

Jeffrey A. Putman
Deputy City Engineer

October 17, 2024

Monthly Report for October 21st, 2024 Common Council Meeting

DPW crews continue to perform patch work around the City streets and curbs from damage from deficiencies and other wear and tear. If you have a spot that needs to be addressed please feel free to reach out to the City Engineer's office

Both the 2024 Street Resurfacing Project and the 2024 ADA Sidewalk Replacement projects have been substantially completed at this time. The paving project included laying approximately of 12,500 tons of asphalt and covered nearly 4.75 centerline miles of various City Streets

North end meter reads have been completed for the November billing cycle. We are working on resolving issues that we are coming across as we prepare the bills for mailing.

CT Male also continues to work on the door replacement project at the filtration plants, and the Route 30A and Able Drive water line replacement projects with all of the project in various stages of progress. We are still awaiting final design approval on the water line replacement project from NYSDOH and their comments have been addressed by CT Male at this point.

GPI also continues to work on various projects for the City as well including the valve replacement project at the Hydaddy dam. They also continue to work on the Townsend Ave bridge replacement project. We are hopeful the ROW portion of this project will be reconciled soon and we can stick to the planned Winter 2024 letting. The current plan remains for construction in summer 2025. As for phase 2 of the Hydaddy Dam project which involves the replacement of the control valves in the reservoir as well as the pit at the bottom of the dam GPI has finalized the new bid documents and we are planning to advertise the project for bidding the first week of November with an award anticipated at the December Council meeting.

Curbside leaf and brush pickup is scheduled to be carried out throughout the month of November. We ask when putting leaves out that they are placed on the terrace area and kept out of the Street as this will help prevent catch basins from clogging up which can cause unnecessary flooding during rain events.

Water department crews also continue to work to identify unknown water service materials for the inventory that is being required by the NYSDOH. The initial inventory was submitted to the NYSDOH by CT Male on behalf of the City. There is a long list and we are chipping away as we can around the routine work of the department.

Now that the City has taken ownership of the Briggs Street portion of the former Jansen Ave school property which will become a City recreational park we have begun examining what work and improvements we will be planning to complete either this year or next year. We don't expect major work to be undertaken this year but some recreational equipment may be removed over the winter, including the basketball hoops, to be freshened up or replaced. They will be returned in the spring time for public use.

Respectfully Submitted,

Christopher J. Vose
City Engineer

Johnstown Fire Department Monthly Report

Month of September

Training:

In the month of September the fire department participated in a MCI drill with the City of Gloversville Fire Dept, the Gloversville Police Department, Fulton County Emergency Management Office, and NLH. This drill covered many areas of the services we provide.

Fire Department Activity

We responded to 178 calls for service, including a mutual aid call to the city of Gloversville for a structure fire.

Pump tests were performed on both our engines, and our Ladder Truck. All vehicles had satisfactory results. The Ladder Truck also passed its yearly certification.

EMS Activity

Emergency medical services responded to 124 calls for service.

Code Enforcement

The September monthly Building Permit Report is as follows:

There were 32 building permits issued with an estimated cost of Construction or Renovation is \$386,340.00 . The permit fees collected for this month are \$1375.00.

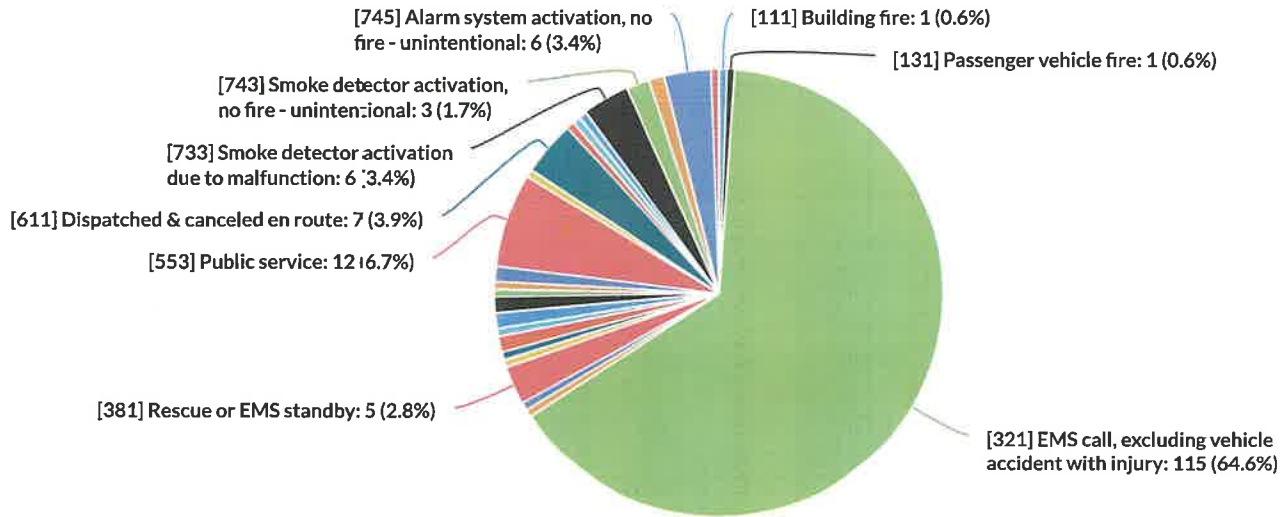
The codes division addressed complaints as received and conducted multiple inspections.



Count of Incidents by Incident Type (1673)

Start Date: 9/1/2024 0:00:00 | End Date: 9/30/2024 23:59:59

Incident Types



Count of Incidents by Incident Type

Incident Type	Incident Type
[111] Building fire	1
[131] Passenger vehicle fire	1
[321] EMS call, excluding vehicle accident with injury	115
[322] Motor vehicle accident with injuries	1
[324] Motor vehicle accident with no injuries.	1
[381] Rescue or EMS standby	5
[400] Hazardous condition, other	1
[412] Gas leak (natural gas or LPG)	1
[424] Carbon monoxide incident	2
[440] Electrical wiring/equipment problem, other	1
[500] Service Call, other	2
[511] Lock-out	2
[520] Water problem, other	1

Incident Type	Incident Type
[522] Water or steam leak	1
[551] Assist police or other governmental agency	2
[553] Public service	12
[561] Unauthorized burning / fire	1
[611] Dispatched & canceled en route	7
[622] No incident found on arrival at dispatch address	1
[651] Smoke scare, odor of smoke	1
[711] Municipal alarm system, malicious false alarm	1
[733] Smoke detector activation due to malfunction	6
[743] Smoke detector activation, no fire - unintentional	3
[744] Detector activation, no fire - unintentional	2
[745] Alarm system activation, no fire - unintentional	6
[746] Carbon monoxide detector activation, no CO	1
Grand Total	178

Count of Incidents by Incident Type



JFD EMS Report September 2024-Total Call Volume 124

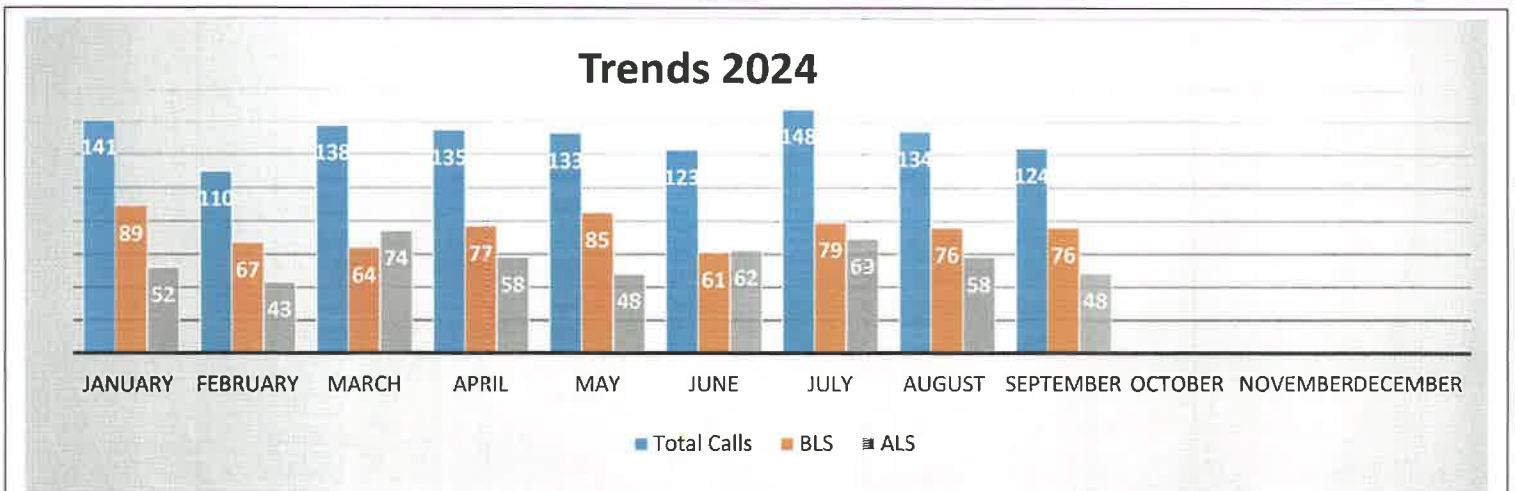
Cancelled	3	2.4
Dead at Scene - Resuscitation Attempted - No Transport	1	0.8
No Patient Contact (Cancelled on Scene)	1	0.8
No Patient Found	12	9.7
No Treatment Required	6	4.8
Patient Refused Care	6	4.8
Patient Refused Evaluation/Care (Without Transport)	6	4.8
Treated and Released	1	0.8
Treated, Refused Transport	3	2.4
Treated, Transferred Care	2	1.6
Treated, Transported by EMS	80	64.5
Treated, Transported by Law Enforcement	1	0.8
Treated, Transported by other EMS	2	1.6
Total:	124	

Abdominal Pain	5	4.8
Allergies	1	0.8
Altered Mental Status	2	1.6
Assault	7	5.6
Breathing Problems	10	8.1
Burns	1	0.8
Cardiac Arrest	1	0.8
Chest Pain	10	8.1
Convulsions / Seizure	3	2.4
Diabetic Problem	2	1.6
Fall Victim	21	16.9
General Injury	5	4.0
Headache	1	0.8
Ingestion/Poisoning	2	1.6
Medical Alarm	3	2.4
Mental Status Change	3	2.4
<i>Not Entered</i>	1	0.8
Pain	1	0.8
Psychiatric Problems	3	2.4
Sick Person	13	10.5
Stab/Gunshot Wound	1	0.8
Standby	1	0.8
Traffic Accident	3	2.4
Traumatic Injury	6	4.8
Unconscious / Fainting	3	2.4
Unknown Problems	13	10.5
Vomiting	1	0.8
Total:	124	

ALS, Level 1 Emergency	44	35.5
ALS, Level 2	4	3.2
BLS, Emergency	76	61.3
Total:	124	

Nathan Littauer Hospital	57	48.7
<i>Not Entered</i>	34	29.1
St. Mary's HealthCare	24	20.5
Albany Medical Center Hospital	2	1.7
Total:	117	

Johnstown Fire Dept	124	100.0
Total:	124	



Lawrence J. O'Regan



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CITY OF JOHNSTOWN

FIRE DEPARTMENT / CODE ENFORCEMENT BUREAU
244 North Perry Street Johnstown, New York 1209

October 11, 2024

Mayor Amy Praught
Members of the Common Council

RE: Monthly Building Permit Report

Please find attached the Building Permit Report for the month of September 2024

<u>Type</u>	<u>Number Issued</u>	<u>Fees Collected</u>	<u>Estimated Cost</u>
Building Permits	32	\$1,375.00	\$386,340.00
Certificate of Occupancy	-	-	-
C/O Temporary	-	-	-
Demolition	1	\$75.00	\$2,000.00
Heating Device Permits	3	\$175.00	\$28,400.00
Housing Inspection 1-2 Fam.	-	-	-
Multiple Dwelling Permit	-	-	-
Plumbing Permits	2	\$35.00	\$5,000.00
Public Assembly Inspection	-	-	-
Renewal of Permits	-	-	-
Sign Permits	2	\$70.00	\$7,400.00
Tank Permits	-	-	-
Truss ID Placard	-	-	-
Bank/Zoning Letter	1	\$35.00	-
Operating Permit Application	2	\$35.00	-
Out of Town Plumber Fee	-	-	-
Outdoor Burn Permits	5	\$100.00	-
Vehicle Storage Permit	-	-	-

TOTAL	48	\$1,900.00	\$429,140.00
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If you have any questions regarding the above, please feel free to contact this office.

Respectfully submitted,

Chief Lawrence J. O'Regan



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City Council Business Meeting

Monday, October 21, 2024

Calls Handled:

- For the month of September 2024, the Police Department handled 413 calls for service.
- Out of those calls for service, 66 criminal cases were generated.
- There were 33 arrests made during the month.
 - 26 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
 - 23 -White
 - 2 -Hispanic/Latino
 - 21 -Not Hispanic/Latino
 - 7 of those arrested were Females.
 - 0 -American Indian/Alaska Native
 - 0 -Asian
 - 0 -Black/African-American
 - 0 -Hispanic/Latino
 - 0 -Not Hispanic/Latino
 - 0 -Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander
 - 0 -Unknown
 - 7 -White
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Calls Handled (Cont'd):

- There were, 56 Citations issued.
 - 5 - Citations issued were Parking Tickets.
 - 51 - Citations issued were Traffic Tickets.

- There were 15 Traffic Accidents Investigated.

Training & Other News:

- Second vehicle is still being upfitted and will be put in service once it is completed. (Delay waiting on part to come in)

- The Administration is working on Department Policies and Procedures.



Shirley J. Luck Senior Citizens Center

109 East Main Street
Johnstown, NY 12095
Phone: (518)762-4643

Johnstown Common Council
October 21, 2024

The Shirley J. Luck Center for 50+ had over 1250 people in attendance during September. We held our Member Appreciation Day on September 19th and over 200 people joined us for music, lunch, and fun. There were several new members signed up and current members renewing for 2025. Membership is only \$20 for the year and you will be entered into a drawing to win \$50 or \$25 if your membership for 2025 is paid by December 31st. The drawing will be held on January 2, 2025. We accept credit card payments to make it more convenient to pay for membership, classes, trips, and anything else requiring a payment at the center.

The center has several dates for Medicare and insurance presentations during October and November. There are changes to Medicare for 2025 that anyone turning 65 years or already on Medicare will want to learn about. The dates and times are in the Eavesdropper or contact the office for more information.

The Information Fair on October 3rd offered a variety of information including Legal Aid services, SNAP and HEAP information, Fulton County Recycling, local nursing homes, Veteran's services, Alzheimer's Association, Public Health, CABVI, and NLH Lifeline. It was good to see a lot of people from the community attending an event that offered important information they may not be aware of.

On October 8th the Alzheimer's Association presented on Managing Money and what plans you should have in place, particularly if someone is facing memory loss. Everyone that attended came away saying how much they learned and were not aware of what could happen if plans are not in place. Watch for details about the Alzheimer's Association's presentations open to the community in the upcoming months.

Our first "Psychic Fair" will be held on Saturday, October 26th from 9-4. There will be Psychic and Tarot Card readings along with crystals and other retail items for sale. Stop in and find out more about the world of the metaphysical. Food and drinks will be for sale in our dining room.

The Craft Fair will be held on Saturday, November 2nd & Sunday, November 3rd from 9am-3pm. We will have food and drinks for sale, and you can start your Christmas shopping. There will be a variety of crafters for you to find some unique gifts.

Our Veteran's Day celebration will be held on November 7th with a luncheon and recognition of our veteran's. The center is working with Anthony Ferraro to create a binder filled with the names, photos, stories or obituaries in honor of local veterans. Anyone who is a veteran, or a relative of a veteran, can stop at the center and fill out a simple form. You can bring any pictures, newspaper articles, or stories to add to the binder.

Defensive Driving Class will be held on Wednesday, October 30th from 9:30a-3:30p. Class size is limited to 40 and the cost is \$25 for members and \$35 for guests of the center. The class is being taught by Frank Clemente and you will get a discount on your insurance for attending the class. The classes for the rest of 2024 are scheduled on November 20th and December 4th. Classes for 2025 will resume in the spring. Call the office to schedule your appointment.

The Caregiver Support Group will be held on October 23rd at 3pm. The group meets on the fourth Wednesday of each month and is open to anyone in the community caring for someone with memory loss or health issues. You can call to sign up or just join us at the center that afternoon. The Caregiver Support Group is supported by the Fulton County Office for Aging.

Our "Family Breakfast" will be held on Sunday, December 8th so, mark your calendars because this is a favorite of everyone's. More details will be coming in the months ahead.

Our newsletter, "The Eavesdropper", has all the details on classes, events and trips. Find us on Facebook @johnstown50plus.

Respectfully submitted,
Diedrie Roemer
Executive Director