



OFFICE OF  
CITY MANAGER

# CITY OF CLARKSBURG

WEST VIRGINIA

City Manager's Report  
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## Manager's Office

1. Project B-Safe has launched. The City has partnered with Lowes at Eastpoint to offer Ring Doorbell cameras to eligible residents of Clarksburg at a reduced cost to help make our community safer.
2. There is no damage to report after the remnants of Ida came through our area.

## Police Department

1. The Department responded to 2,483 calls for service for the month of August.
2. Sgt. Joseph Walsh has completed 20 years of service with the Police Department.

## Fire Department

1. For the month of August, the Department responded to 273 calls for service, 182 were medical related. Total estimated for fire loss is \$588,000.
2. All vacancies have been filled and the department is staffed 100%.
3. Captain Jimmy Green was sworn in as the Department's first Deputy Fire Chief. Patrick SanJulian was promoted to Captain, and Josh Tompkins, Mark Walsh, Jason Stalnaker, Jonathan Brady and Marion Watts were promoted to Lieutenants.

## Finance Department

1. The Sidewalk Grant Program paid out \$11,050 for five sidewalks throughout the neighborhoods.
2. Cherie Greathouse was promoted to Controller in the Finance Department. This position is the Assistance Finance Director.

## City Parks

1. The Splash Zone was patronized over 29,000 times this past summer. Winterization of the pool has begun.
2. Trace Atkins performed to a sold-out crowd of 2,000 at the Amp.
3. The Department is working with the Clarksburg Visitors Bureau for a potential "Craft Beer Festival".

## Robinson Grand Performing Arts Center

1. For the month of September, there are three private rentals and 2 publicly ticketed events.
2. The Community Theatre's Production of The Adams Family will be starting to construct sets and rehearse this month. There are over 50 community members participating. Performances will take place next month.

## Code Enforcement

1. The Department issued 33 Building Permits for a total project cost of \$3.6 million. Twenty-nine notices of violations were issued resulting in 1 citation. Five structures were condemned and three were ordered to demo. Eleven residential and 7 commercial inspections were performed. Seventeen vehicles were tagged for towing and 5 signs were removed.

2. Animal Control responded to 49 calls for service with 13 animals taken to HCAC and 4 traps were set.
3. Mr. Brown, Engineer, attended the annual WV Rural Water Conference.

#### **Public Works**

1. Repairs are ongoing at the Wayside Lane sinkhole. A new manhole was installed, and 200 feet of sewer pipe were relined.
2. The Sewer Department responded to 37 sewer complaints and replaced 65 feet of laterals.
3. Crews are replacing curbs that were damaged as the paving program continues.

#### **Wastewater Treatment Plant**

1. Terry Bell, Assistant Superintendent will retire on September 24<sup>th</sup>, 2021, after 42 years of service.
2. Alex Bombardiere, Brandon Fouse, Dave Hardy, John Strong, and Jon Wilson have all successfully completed their Collection System Certification.
3. National Testing through the ERA has begun for our Laboratory.

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