

VILLAGE OF KENMORE, NEW YORK
Office of the Clerk

At a meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Village of Kenmore, New York, held on the 4th day of February 2025 the following Resolution was adopted:

Resolution Authorizing Publication of a Legal Notice for Unpaid Water and Sewer Charges

Trustee _____ moved for approval of the following Resolution:

BE IT RESOLVED

WHEREAS, pursuant to New York State Village Law, Section 11-1118, and the Kenmore Village Code, past-due water and sewer charges, together with penalty, shall be a lien on the real property upon which such charges are used.

NOW BE IT RESOLVED

THAT past-due water and sewer charges, including penalties, will be levied on the owner's 2025-2026 Village Tax Bill if not paid on or before March 1, 2025 and

THAT the Clerk/Treasurer is authorized to publish a legal notice of this relevy.

Seconded by Trustee _____ and approved by vote of all members in attendance.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Board of Trustees of the Village of Kenmore February 4, 2025.

State of New York)
County of Erie) ss:
Village of Kenmore)

I, KATHLEEN P. JOHNSON, Clerk of the Village of Kenmore, New York, do hereby certify that I have compared the foregoing with the original minutes of the regular meeting of the Board of Trustees of said Village held on the 4th day of February, 2025 and that the resolution duly adopted by the Board of Trustees is on file in my office, and that the foregoing is a true and correct transcript from said original minutes and in part thereof.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and Seal of said Village this 5th day of February, 2025.

Village Clerk

**Kenmore Police Department
2024 Annual Report**



Thomas J. Phillips
Chief of Police

January 16, 2025

Dear Mayor Mang and Members of the Board of Trustees:

I am pleased to submit the 2024 Annual Report for the Kenmore Police Department. This report details our enforcement efforts and strategic initiatives over the past year, and highlights our successful grant-funded equipment modernization program.

We are particularly excited about the ongoing construction of the new police headquarters. This modern facility will provide our department with expanded operational space, improved training facilities, and enhanced community access. The new building has been designed to accommodate our growing technological needs and will serve as a model for modern police facilities.

The men and women of the Kenmore Police Department remain committed to providing the highest level of service to our residents, and we look forward to an exciting new year.

Thank you for your continued leadership and support.

Respectfully submitted,

Thomas J. Phillips
Chief of Police

PERSONNEL

STAFFING

- 1- Chief of Police
- 2- Captains
- 4- Police Lieutenants (Patrol Supervisors)
- 2- Detectives (Criminal Investigations)
- 1- Detective (Juvenile Officer)
- 1- Court Officer
- 14- Police Officers (Patrol)
- 11- Dispatchers (4 Full Time and 7 Part Time)
- 5- Crossing Guards/ Matrons (Part Time)
- 1- Building Maintenance Staff (Part Time)

ROSTER CHANGES/ PROMOTIONS

Retirements

Lieutenant Dan Vitale was appointed as a police officer on 1/19/2004, and he retired on 1/20/2024 at the rank of Lieutenant.

New Hires

Police Officer Sara Hamp was appointed on 1/19/2024, and graduated from the Erie County Law Enforcement Training Academy.

Nicholas Thompson, part-time public safety dispatcher hired on 06/05/2024.

Lynette Calandra- Crossing Guard

David Baran- Crossing Guard

Promotions/Assignments

Officer Brian Zoldowski was promoted to the position of Lieutenant on 02/07/2024, and he currently supervises the overnight shift.

Officer Michael Nuttle was promoted to the rank of Detective on 02/09/2024, and he is currently assigned to the Juvenile Aid Bureau.

S.W.A.T. - KPD members of the Multi-jurisdictional SWAT Team

Lt. Brian Zoldowski, Ofc. Kyle Evanetski, and Ofc. Brad Caruana

Awards

Erie County Stop DWI Award 2024- Officer Anthony Catania

Al Abgott/Toni Billoni Outstanding Service Award- Officer Bradley Caruana and Officer Anthony Sorrentino.

2024 POLICE ACTIVITY

- **17,397** CALLS FOR SERVICE
- **2,944** 911 CALLS RECEIVED
- **1460** POLICE REPORTS FILED
- **61** DOMESTIC INCIDENT REPORTS FILED

ENFORCEMENT

ARRESTS/BOOKINGS- TOTAL 489

- **73** FELONIES
- **247** MISDEMEANORS
- **28** VIOLATIONS
- **28** DOMESTIC VIOLENCE ARRESTS
- **195** ARREST WARRANTS ISSUED
- **197** ARREST WARRANTS SERVED

OTHER CALLS FOR SERVICE

- **56** MENTAL HEALTH COMMITMENTS
- **50** COMMITMENTS FOR ALCOHOL
- **1,072** FIRST AID CALLS
- 2024 AVERAGE RESPONSE TIME FOR EMERGENCY RESPONSE WAS UNDER 2 MINUTES.

TRAFFIC SAFETY

- **3,567** TRAFFIC TICKETS ISSUED
- **4,474** TRAFFIC STOPS CONDUCTED
- **23** DRIVING WHILE INTOXICATED ARRESTS
- **197** PROPERTY DAMAGE ACCIDENTS
- **45** ACCIDENTS WITH INJURY
- **62** LEAVING THE SCENE OF AN ACCIDENT INVESTIGATIONS
- **120** ACCIDENT REPORTS FILED WITH NEW YORK STATE
- **5,267** PARKING TICKETS ISSUED
- **442** TRAFFIC DETAILS AT TARGETED LOCATIONS
- **53** CHILD SEAT CHECKS

TRAFFIC SAFETY GRANTS

NYS GOVERNOR'S TRAFFIC SAFETY GRANT- Resources to support our targeted enforcement efforts, focusing on locations with high volume traffic and traffic accidents, along with pedestrian safety and crosswalk violation enforcement.

ERIE COUNTY STOP DWI- Support funding for traffic enforcement with a focus on impaired driving.

2024 EQUIPMENT/TECHNOLOGY UPGRADES

Through pursuit of grant funding, we successfully secured \$641,950 in external funding this year. These resources enabled us to complete several critical equipment upgrades that have significantly enhanced our operational capabilities:

- A modernized dispatch and communications center, improving our emergency response coordination and efficiency
- New digital radio systems providing clearer communication and expanded coverage throughout our jurisdiction and beyond
- Advanced patrol car technology upgrades, including mobile data terminals and in-vehicle camera systems
- An unmanned aerial system (drone) for enhanced surveillance and search operations
- Surveillance Cameras
- Specialized investigative equipment to support our detective division
- Modern forensic tools to improve evidence collection and analysis
- Body-worn cameras
- Less lethal equipment including Tasers

Equipment Grant Awards

- New York State Law Enforcement Technology Program
- 2024 COPS Equipment/Technology Grant
- Edward Byrne Memorial Justice Assistance Grant

Community Policing

Due to our ongoing construction project, and temporary move to the Kenmore Community Center, we placed a pause on several of our community policing programs such as the Citizens Police Academy, and Youth Police Academy. We look forward to resuming those programs in the near future, and we are excited to introduce additional community outreach programs that will be held at the new Police Headquarters.

2024 Event Participation

- Concerts at the Village Green
- Discover Kenmore
- Farmers Market
- Stop Sip'n Shop
- Annual Holiday Toy Drive
- Santa at the Green
- Various Child Car Seat Events
- Cruise into Kenmore Car Show

- Trick or Treating on Delaware Avenue
- Bicycle Registration/ Bicycle Safety Event with helmet giveaways at the Juvenile Bureau at Mang Park
- Kenmore Days
- Kenmore West Job Fair

TRAINING

TRAINING SUMMARY 2024

Over **800 hours** of training for individual officers and department-wide training

Department-wide Training

Firearms

Skills/technical training for firearms use

Tourniquets

Refresher training on the use of tourniquets for stopping blood loss

Death Notification Training

Providing trauma notifications with professionalism, dignity, and compassion

PESH Topics Webinar

Annual training for blood borne pathogens, workplace violence, and Right-to-Know topics

Defensive Tactics Refresher

Defensive tactics skills refresher – hand cuffing techniques, weapon retention, search procedures along with de-escalation techniques

Emergency Risk Protection Orders

Training on the procedures for applying for and enforcing Emergency Risk Protection Orders (“Red-Flag” law).

Individual Officer Trainings

Law Enforcement Active Shooter Emergency Response (LASER)

Technical aspects of planning and implementing a rapid response to an active shooter incident

Advanced Crisis Intervention Training

Specialized training for law enforcement response to individuals with mental illness

Guardian Leadership Development

Three 2-day courses centered on “Developing the Leader Within,” “Developing Leaders Around You,” and “Developing a Culture of Leadership Excellence”

Breath Analysis Operator Certification

Certification course to run the breath analysis test for DWI arrests

Supervision School

Supervisory training course for new Lieutenants

Mental Health Awareness

Training on mental health awareness and suicide prevention tailored specifically for first responders

Property/Evidence Room Management

Instruction on the proper management and storage of evidence and property

Juvenile Officers Association Conference

Annual state conference and training for Juvenile Officers

Photography and Evidence

Course for the proper way to photograph and collect evidence from crime scenes

Advanced Elder Abuse

Prevention and intervention training for elder abuse cases

Field Training Officer

Course to certify Field Training Officers to work with new recruits after they graduate from the police academy

Cellphone Investigations

Comprehensive approach to exploiting cellphones for investigative purposes

Radar Operator

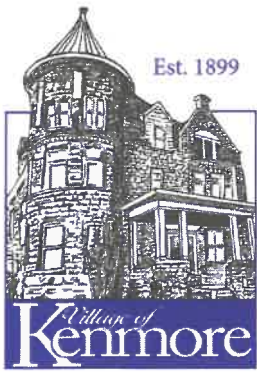
Certification course on the use of radar for speed enforcement

A look back ...



A look ahead ...





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January 31, 2025

To: Honorable Mayor and Board of Trustees

From: Kathleen P Johnson, Clerk/Treasurer

I would like to request approval to hire David A. Notto as a van driver for the Senior Nutrition Program.

Hello Kathleen.

Our block association would like to have permission to barricade East Girard Blvd. The purpose of the permit will be to close the street from traffic to allow us have our block party.

We would like to block the street on Sunday, June 22, 2025 from 9:00 AM-9:00 PM.

Please let me know if there is anything else that I need to do. Thanks, in advance.

Best regards,
Peggy Ivancic
Resident,