



**Cortland County Judiciary
& Public Safety
Committee
Committee Meeting
~ Minutes ~**

60 Central Ave.
Cortland, NY 13045
www.cortlandcountyny.gov

Thursday, February 12, 2026

9:00 AM

Room 302

Call to Order

The meeting was called to order at 09:00 AM by Committee Chair Sandra Price.

1. Roll Call

PRESENT:	Legislator Douglas Bentley, Legislator Cathy Bischoff, Legislator Mitchel Eccleston, Legislator Christopher Newell, Legislator Jason Prentice, Minority Leader Sandra Price
ABSENT:	
EXCUSED:	Legislator Eugene Waldbauer

OTHERS PRESENT:	
Kevin Fitch	Chair of the Legislature
Savannah Hempstead	Clerk of the Legislature
Michael Ponticiello	County Administrator
Michael Cardinale	Assigned Counsel
Kevin Jones	Public Defender
Nicholas Lundberg	County Coroner
Mark Helms	Sheriff
Scott Roman	Director of the Department of Emergency Response & Communications
Courtney Metcalf	Deputy Director of the Department of Emergency Response & Communications
Patrick Perfetti	District Attorney
Julie Parker	Director of Probation

Laurie Leonard	Personnel Director
Trish Hansen	T.L.C.
David Butler	T.L.C.
Kevin Whitney	Cortland County Fire Commissioner
Chief Robert Pitman	Homer Police Chief
Dustin Contri	State Fire Instructor
William McGovern	Legislator
Ron VanDee	Legislator
Ashley Millard	Deputy Clerk of the Legislature (Remote)
Kim Cameron	Cortland County Resident
Nicole Compton	Executive Assistant to the County Attorney (Remote)
Andrea Herzog	Director of Finance (Remote)
Jeri DuVall	Chief Assistant County Attorney (Remote)
Donald Chu	Resident (Remote)

Approval of Minutes

1. January 8, 2026 Judiciary & Public Safety Committee Minutes

RESULT:	COMPLETED
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Resolutions

ON MOTION OF SANDRA PRICE

AGENDA ITEM NO. 1.

Authorize Agreement with Axon Justice Premier Plus - Public Defender

WHEREAS, the County was awarded and has already received block grant funds from the Division of Criminal Justice Services for the State's Aid to Defense for Discovery Reform Program in the amount of \$129,309.00 and supplemental block grant funds in the amount of \$127,983.00, for a total of \$257,292.00; AND

WHEREAS, the Grant Award Notice specifically states: "This funding must be used to support public defense services and expenses related to discovery reform implementation, including, but not limited to, digital evidence transmission technology, administrative support, computers, hardware and operating software, data connectivity, development of training materials, staff training..."; AND

WHEREAS, AXON is a company that provides digital evidence management and storage;

AND

WHEREAS, the Cortland County District Attorney's office, the New York State Police, the Cortland City Police Department, and the SUNY Cortland University Police Department currently use Axon for video/digital evidence gathering; AND

WHEREAS, AXON has agreed to provide such services to the Cortland County Public Defender's Office at a cost of \$72,229.60 for five years, January 1, 2026 – December 31, 2030; NOW THEREFORE BE IT

RESOLVED, that the County Administrator, upon review and approval by the County Attorney or her designee, be and hereby is authorized to sign the AXON Justice Premier+ contract, as discussed above, for the period from January 1, 2026 through December 31, 2030 for a cost of at the rate of \$72,229.60 for the period of January 1, 2026 through December 31, 2030; AND BE IT FURTHER

RESOLVED, that the Cortland County Legislature hereby authorizes the Director of Finance to amend the 2026 Cortland County Budget as follows:

Increase:

A117055.43389	Other Public Safety State Aid	\$72,229.60
A117055.54015	Maintenance Agreements	\$72,229.60

RESULT:	APPROVED (6 TO 0)
MOVER:	Legislator Christopher Newell
SECONDER:	Legislator Mitchel Eccleston
AYES:	Douglas Bentley, Cathy Bischoff, Mitchel Eccleston, Christopher Newell, Jason Prentice, Sandra Price
NAYS:	None
EXCUSED:	Eugene Waldbauer
ABSENT:	

ON MOTION OF SANDRA PRICE

AGENDA ITEM NO. 2.

Appoint Member to the Cortland County Jury Board/ Louis Fulmer Supreme Court Law Library

WHEREAS, it is required pursuant to Article 16, Section 503a, 1 of Judiciary Law that one Legislator be appointed to the Cortland County Jury Board; AND

WHEREAS, a seat is designated for a County Legislator as Trustee for the Louis H. Folmer Supreme Court Law Library; NOW THEREFORE BE IT

RESOLVED, that Sandra Price, of 1189 Church Street, Cortland, NY 13045, is hereby appointed to the Cortland County Jury Board, as the Legislative Representative, for a term commencing immediately and ending December 31, 2027; AND BE IT FURTHER

RESOLVED, that Sandra Price is hereby appointed as the Legislative Representative and sitting Trustee for the Louis H. Folmer Supreme Court Law Library for a term commencing immediately and ending December 31, 2027.

RESULT:	APPROVED (6 TO 0)
MOVER:	Legislator Christopher Newell
SECONDER:	Legislator Jason Prentice
AYES:	Douglas Bentley, Cathy Bischoff, Mitchel Eccleston, Christopher Newell, Jason Prentice, Sandra Price
NAYS:	None
EXCUSED:	Eugene Waldbauer
ABSENT:	

ON MOTION OF SANDRA PRICE

AGENDA ITEM NO. 3.

**Accept and Authorize Emergency Services Information (ESI) Grant Award - Department of
Emergency Response & Communications**

WHEREAS, the New York State Department of Homeland Security and Emergency Services (NYS DHSES) has awarded the Cortland County Department of Emergency Response and Communications an Emergency Services Information Network 911 Grant (ESI) grant for FY2026 in the amount of \$689,655 resulting in no new county costs, in support of strengthening 911 operations; AND

WHEREAS, the grant performance period for the ESI grant is January 1, 2026 to December 31, 2030; NOW THEREFORE BE IT

RESOLVED, that Cortland County Department of Emergency Response and Communications is hereby directed to expend the grant funds according to the stated grant guidance; AND BE IT FURTHER

RESOLVED, that the 2026 budget is amended as follows:

Current Change Revised

INCREASE REVENUE BUDGET:

A302043.43306.ESI	DHSES Grant	\$0	\$0	\$689,655
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INCREASE EXPENDITURE BUDGET:

A30205.52015.ESI	Dept Specific Equipment	\$0	\$0	\$689,655
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; AND BE IT FURTHER

RESOLVED, that the County Administrator, upon review and approval by the County Attorney or designee and subject to appropriation of funding, be and hereby is authorized to sign the grant contract with the New York State Department of Homeland Security and Emergency Services at an amount not to exceed \$689,655; AND BE IT FURTHER

RESOLVED, the Director of Finance shall carryover all unused grant funds to the subsequent

year(s) budget covered by the grant, per the approved grant agreement.

RESULT:	APPROVED (6 TO 0)
MOVER:	Legislator Mitchel Eccleston
SECONDER:	Legislator Christopher Newell
AYES:	Douglas Bentley, Cathy Bischoff, Mitchel Eccleston, Christopher Newell, Jason Prentice, Sandra Price
NAYS:	None
EXCUSED:	Eugene Waldbauer
ABSENT:	

ON MOTION OF SANDRA PRICE

AGENDA ITEM NO. 4.

Appoint Probation Director - Probation Department

WHEREAS, Cortland County has a current vacancy for the position of Probation Director;
AND

WHEREAS, Legislators Sandy Price, Cathy Bischoff and Keith VanGorder, County Administrator Michael Ponticiello and Personnel Officer Laurie Leonard conducted interviews and offered a recommendation for this appointment; AND

WHEREAS, the County Legislature has received the recommendation for the appointment of _____ as Probation Director; NOW THEREFORE BE IT

RESOLVED, that the Cortland County Legislature does hereby appoint _____ as Probation Director at an annual salary of \$_____ (Grade 6, Step __, Management Compensation Plan, competitive class, full-time) effective March 30, 2026.

It was MOVED by Ms. Bischoff, seconded by Mr. Prentice, and unanimously approved by voice vote of members present, to enter into an executive session to discuss matters leading to the appointment of a particular person. MOTION CARRIED.

An executive session was held from 9:42 a.m. to 9:52 a.m., at which time on motion of Mr. Prentice, seconded by Mr. Eccleston, it was unanimously approved by voice vote to exit executive session.

RESULT:	APPROVED (6 TO 0)
MOVER:	Legislator Christopher Newell
SECONDER:	Legislator Jason Prentice
AYES:	Douglas Bentley, Cathy Bischoff, Mitchel Eccleston, Christopher Newell, Jason Prentice, Sandra Price
NAYS:	None
EXCUSED:	Eugene Waldbauer
ABSENT:	

Discussion Items

Monthly Reports

1. **Assigned Counsel Monthly Report**

RESULT:	COMPLETED
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2. **Public Defender Monthly Report**

RESULT:	COMPLETED
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3. **Department of Emergency Response & Communications Monthly Report**

RESULT:	COMPLETED
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4. **Probation Monthly Report**

RESULT:	COMPLETED
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5. **Coroner Monthly Report**

RESULT:	COMPLETED
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Adjournment

The meeting was adjourned at 09:53 AM.

CORTLAND COUNTY ASSIGNED COUNSEL OFFICE

CORTLAND COUNTY OFFICE BUILDING, SUITE B27
60 CENTRAL AVENUE, CORTLAND NY 13045

MICHAEL R. CARDINALE ADMINISTRATOR
STEPHANIE A. OLIVER ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT TO THE ADMINISTRATOR
ALEXANDER MERKEL INFORMATION PROCESSING CLERK
JADELYN PHILLIPS CASE MANAGER
ELLEN WEBB ILS DATA OFFICER



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JPS MEETING - JANUARY, 2026 REPORT

DENIALS

Financially Ineligible	3
Case Type	6
Incomplete Application	2

CONFLICTS

Family Court	64
Criminal Court	
Felonies	12
Misdemeanors	25
Violations	6
Infractions	0
Appeals	0
Subtotal	43
Total	107

PD ASSIGNMENTS

Family Court	22
Criminal Court	
Felonies	6
Misdemeanors	42
Violations	6
Infractions	0
Appeals	0
Subtotal	54
Total	76

TOTAL PD CASES ASSIGNED

Assigned by AC	76
Assigned by Courts	11
Total	87

ILS HURRELL-HARRING GRANT MONEY RECEIVED

Since Inception: \$ 1,492,232.44

ILS RATE INCREASE REIMBURSEMENT MONEY RECEIVED

01/01/2025-1/31/2026: \$ 784,789.95

COUNSEL AT FIRST ARRIAGNMENT

After Hours	18B	PD
Jan-26	13	10
Dec-25	11	7
Nov-25	17	9
Oct-25	14	10
Sep-25	11	13
Aug-25	19	9
Jul-25	23	20
Jun-25	15	14
May-25	16	14
Apr-25	34	8
Mar-25	17	14
Feb-25	18	16

NOT After Hours	18B	PD
Jan-26	15	21
Dec-25	13	18
Nov-25	22	10
Oct-25	15	27
Sep-25	21	39
Aug-25	18	29
Jul-25	16	21
Jun-25	21	26
May-25	24	16
Apr-25	22	21
Mar-25	14	25
Feb-25	13	17

CORTLAND COUNTY PUBLIC DEFENDER

Public Defender

Kevin A. Jones

Chief Asst. Public Defender

Anita Ribeiro

Cortland County Office Building

60 Central Avenue

Cortland, New York 13045

(607) 753-5046

Facsimile (607) 753-0781

Service by Fax not accepted

Assistant Public Defenders

Alexandra Warnock

LaVonda S. Collins

Jarrod W. Smith

Jennifer L. Rosenberg

February 4, 2026

Sandy Price, Chair
Judiciary & Public Safety Committee
Cortland County Office Building
Third Floor, 60 Central Avenue
Cortland, NY 13045

Re: Public Defender Office Update

Dear JPS Chair Price:

1. Compared to last month, new cases assigned to the Public Defender's Office have shown an increase in criminal court cases and family court cases. See enclosed chart.
2. The office is within our budget.
3. Our office continues to pursue and collect grant revenues.
4. Since my last report, two Assistant Public Defenders have resigned and we have hired two Associate Assistant Public Defenders. The two Associate Assistant Public Defenders are both starting their employment on February 9th. One Assistant Public Defender is still on medical leave.
5. Our office is continuing our recruitment efforts to fill our three remaining vacant attorney positions.

Please contact me if you have any questions.

Very truly yours,



Kevin A. Jones
Public Defender

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2026

		Jan.	Feb.	March	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Year-to-date
Family Court	2020	39	31	32	18	13	22	25	20	43	24	25	22	314
	2021	36	40	33	27	27	19	38	22	43	35	23	15	358
	2022	17	24	32	29	30	17	28	26	29	21	20	31	304
	2023	37	39	13	33	30	30	17	39	28	3	20	22	311
	2024	11	13	23	31	26	28	21	13	44	29	25	29	293
	2025	15	22	33	32	32	27	32	35	49	30	17	13	337
	2026	27												
Felonies	2020	13	19	8	4	6	17	22	15	25	21	9	14	173
	2021	9	10	23	13	24	16	12	16	24	14	25	16	202
	2022	14	7	11	22	11	11	20	7	10	12	15	8	148
	2023	10	15	5	14	8	11	14	13	6	8	17	14	135
	2024	11	9	8	13	18	6	9	4	12	5	7	14	116
	2025	15	11	13	21	8	5	8	4	8	2	5	8	108
	2026	12												
Misdemeanors	2020	34	32	28	8	6	36	44	53	55	60	34	31	421
	2021	32	36	52	65	76	59	44	60	64	42	43	42	615
	2022	60	56	37	63	79	33	61	26	36	36	29	38	554
	2023	33	44	53	35	43	45	41	36	33	43	30	33	469
	2024	36	32	26	47	32	36	36	24	31	23	24	30	377
	2025	52	48	29	40	27	15	10	25	44	33	27	27	377
	2026	52												
Violations	2020	7	6	6	0	1	5	5	4	7	20	6	5	72
	2021	3	9	12	7	11	7	10	5	14	6	11	7	102
	2022	9	10	3	10	13	8	6	7	1	1	62	5	135
	2023	2	3	7	4	1	3	5	8	8	7	4	8	60
	2024	3	3	6	2	3	3	6	5	6	5	2	4	48
	2025	5	5	1	3	4	10	2	2	2	9	4	2	49
	2026	7												
Arraignments/Advice Only	2020	8	10	7	4	8	15	22	21	19	22	17	15	168
	2021	17	15	17	16	22	25	20	16	21	19	19	20	227
	2022	24	19	27	25	26	28	31	30	27	33	31	38	339
	2023	25	26	29	26	19	16	9	0	0	0	0		150
	2024	14	10	39	36	27	21	14	49	37	55	24	30	356
	2025	27	24	45	33	31	40	41	38	57	41	18	26	421

Call Center Statistics

Last Refresh Date
2/3/2026 10:30:04 AM

6,446

Total Calls

5,121

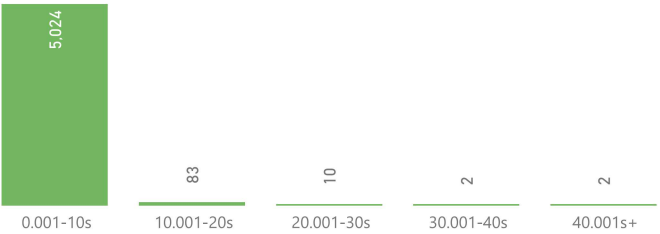
Total Answered Calls

284

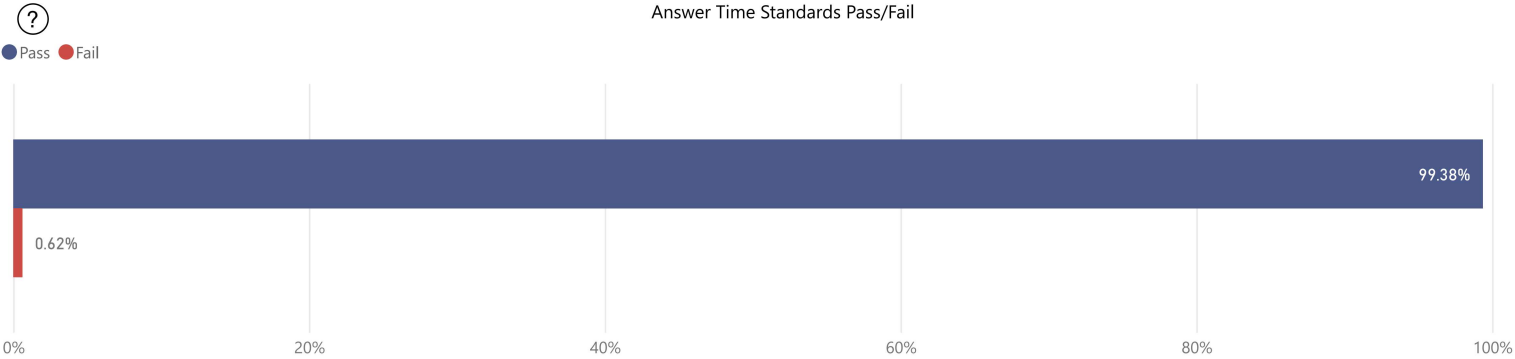
Total Abandoned Calls

Total Answered Calls by Answer Time

Total Abandoned Calls by Ring Time



Answer Time Standards Pass/Fail



Applied Filters

01/04/26 - 01/31/26 Date Range
0 - 23 Start Hour Range
No Selections PSAP
No Selection Call Taker
No Selections Call Type
No Selections Class Of Service
No Selections Direction
No Selections Disposition

Clear Filters



Close Filters



Date Range

1/1/2026

1/31/2026

Relative Date Range

Last

1

Months

1/4/2026 - 2/3/2026

Shift Hour Range

0

23

Answer Time Seconds

0.00

15.00

PSAP

All

Call Taker

All

Call Type

All

Relative Time Range

Last

1

Select

Relative Days Range

All



Advanced Filters

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DEPARTMENT OF EMERGENCY RESPONSE AND COMMUNICATION

Total CAD Calls Received, by Nature of Call in Zone

<u>Nature of Call</u>	<u>Total Calls Received</u>	<u>% of Total</u>
	3	0.04
911 HANG UP	108	1.35
911 NOT DISPATCHED	145	1.81
911 OPEN LINE	33	0.41
ABDOMINAL PAIN	8	0.10
ABDOMINAL PAIN II	7	0.09
ADMINISTRATIVE	149	1.86
POLICE ALARM	63	0.78
ALCOHOL OFFENSE	2	0.02
ALLERGIC REACTION	1	0.01
ALLERGIC REACTION II	2	0.02
ANIMAL PROBLEM	69	0.86
ARREST III	1	0.01
ARREST X	8	0.10
ASSAULT	5	0.06
ASSIST	272	3.39
ATTEMPT TO LOCATE	43	0.54
FIRE ALARM	54	0.67
BACK PAIN	2	0.02
BACK PAIN II	5	0.06
BAR CHECK	7	0.09
BOMB THREAT	1	0.01
TROUBLE BREATHING	35	0.44
TROUBLE BREATHING II	15	0.19
TROUBLE BREATHING X	8	0.10
BURGLARY	17	0.21
BURNS	1	0.01
CARBON MONOXIDE	8	0.10
CHEST PAIN	34	0.42
CHEST PAIN II	3	0.04
CHIMNEY FIRE	2	0.02
CHOKING II	1	0.01
CITY CODE VIOLATION	1	0.01
CIVIL ONLY	143	1.78
CRIMINAL MISCHIEF	6	0.07
DEATH INVESTIGATION	1	0.01
SPECIAL DETAIL	50	0.62
DIABETIC PROBLEM	5	0.06
DIABETIC PROBLEM II	2	0.02
DISORDERLY CONDUCT	35	0.44
DISTURBANCE	71	0.88
DOMESTIC	70	0.87

<u>Nature of Call</u>	<u>Total Calls Received</u>	<u>% of Total</u>
DRUG INVESTIGATION	5	0.06
DSS ASSIST/HOME VISIT	10	0.12
DSS NOTIFICATION	65	0.81
ILLEGAL DUMPING	2	0.02
EMERGENCY BUTTON	4	0.05
ACTIVATION		
EMOTIONALLY DISTURBED PERSON	47	0.59
EFD	1	0.01
EMS	9	0.11
EQUIPMENT PROBLEM	5	0.06
EXPOSURE II	1	0.01
EYE II	1	0.01
FALL	10	0.12
FALL II	72	0.90
FALL III	1	0.01
FIELD INVESTIGATION	67	0.83
OUTSIDE FIRE	2	0.02
FOLLOW UP	479	5.97
INVESTIGATION/ACTION		
FOUND PROPERTY	19	0.24
FRAUD	29	0.36
HARASSMENT	92	1.15
HAZARDOUS CONDITION	15	0.19
HEADACHE	3	0.04
HEADACHE II	1	0.01
HEART	7	0.09
HEMORRHAGE	4	0.05
HEMORRHAGE II	13	0.16
INFORMATION	6	0.07
INHALATION	1	0.01
INVESTIGATION	72	0.90
JAIL INVESTIGATION	1	0.01
JUVENILE PROBLEM	24	0.30
LARCENY	73	0.91
LIFTING ASSISTANCE	11	0.14
LOST PROPERTY	19	0.24
MISSING PERSON	5	0.06
NOISE COMPLAINT	16	0.20
NOTIFICATION	35	0.44
OVERDOSE/POISONING III	7	0.09
OVERDOSE/POISONING V	2	0.02
OVERDOSE/POISONING VII	1	0.01
OVERDOSE/POISONING X	2	0.02
OPEN DOOR	2	0.02
COMMUNITY OUTREACH	31	0.39
PARKING COMPLAINT	42	0.52
PROPERTY DAMAGE MVA	204	2.54
PERSONAL INJURY MVA	26	0.32

<u>Nature of Call</u>	<u>Total Calls Received</u>	<u>% of Total</u>
PERSONAL INJURY MVA VI	3	0.04
PREGNANCY	2	0.02
PROCESSING	2	0.02
PROPERTY CHECK	2581	32.15
REPOSSESSION	3	0.04
SEIZURES	6	0.07
SEIZURES II	3	0.04
SEND	26	0.32
SERVICE CALL	30	0.37
SEX CRIME	8	0.10
SEX OFFENDER	30	0.37
SHOTS FIRED	1	0.01
SICK PERSON	41	0.51
SICK PERSON II	36	0.45
STOLEN VEHICLE	5	0.06
STROKE	14	0.17
STRUCTURE FIRE	8	0.10
SUSPICIOUS	54	0.67
TEST CALL	34	0.42
TRAFFIC PROBLEM	66	0.82
TRANSFER	49	0.61
TRANSPORT	96	1.20
TRAUMATIC II	5	0.06
TREE DOWN	2	0.02
TRESPASSING	37	0.46
TRAFFIC STOP	1504	18.74
UNCONSCIOUS/FAINTING	20	0.25
UNCONSCIOUS/FAINTING II	1	0.01
UNCONSCIOUS/FAINTING III	1	0.01
UNKNOWN PROBLEM	47	0.59
VEHICLE COMPLAINT	101	1.26
WARRANT ARREST	28	0.35
WATER PROBLEM/PUMPING	2	0.02
DETAIL		
PERSON WITH A WEAPON	9	0.11
WELFARE CHECK	126	1.57
WIRES DOWN	6	0.07

Total reported: 8027

Report Includes:

All dates between `00:00:00 01/01/26` and `23:59:59 01/31/26`, All nature of incidents, All cities, All types, All priorities, All agencies, All zones



DEPARTMENT OF EMERGENCY RESPONSE AND COMMUNICATION

CAD Calls by Day and Time

<u>Hour</u>	<u>Monday</u>	<u>Tuesday</u>	<u>Wednesday</u>	<u>Thursday</u>	<u>Friday</u>	<u>Saturday</u>	<u>Sunday</u>	<u>Total</u>
00:00-00:59	36	47	62	62	62	87	68	424
01:00-01:59	59	39	52	82	78	88	84	482
02:00-02:59	51	43	48	62	52	76	58	390
03:00-03:59	41	53	74	54	50	43	49	364
04:00-04:59	47	40	60	59	60	42	43	351
05:00-05:59	26	33	32	47	46	36	40	260
06:00-06:59	18	26	18	26	34	32	21	175
07:00-07:59	16	21	22	26	31	21	24	161
08:00-08:59	30	32	44	48	41	23	17	235
09:00-09:59	57	32	66	57	44	46	30	332
10:00-10:59	49	44	48	61	51	52	29	334
11:00-11:59	43	53	53	62	48	61	30	350
12:00-12:59	32	47	55	58	48	42	37	319
13:00-13:59	49	52	56	55	46	61	41	360
14:00-14:59	50	47	59	61	75	55	38	385
15:00-15:59	44	57	73	56	78	43	26	377
16:00-16:59	47	38	56	59	73	81	43	397
17:00-17:59	52	50	51	54	80	65	28	380
18:00-18:59	35	49	49	48	59	71	37	348
19:00-19:59	28	36	49	68	49	69	32	331
20:00-20:59	43	26	37	52	60	57	31	306
21:00-21:59	46	45	56	41	79	53	49	369
22:00-22:59	30	32	33	34	55	41	25	250
23:00-23:59	32	25	60	66	67	58	39	347
Total by Day	961	967	1213	1298	1366	1303	919	8027

Report Includes:

All reported dates between `00:00:00 01/01/26` and `23:59:59 01/31/26`, All nature of incidents, All respond to addresses,
All respond to cities, All agencies

Text Volume by Period

Last Refresh Date
2/3/2026 10:28:19 AM

Open Filters



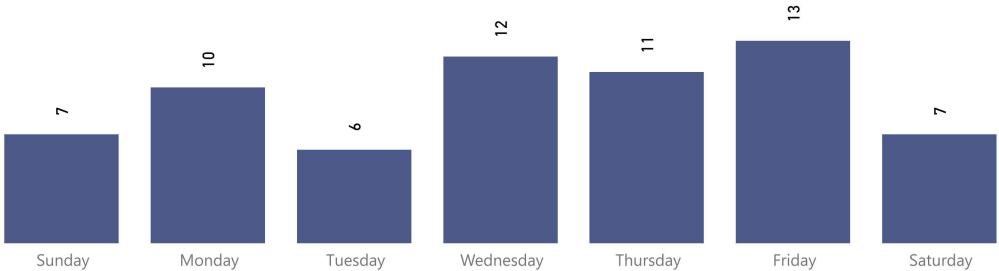
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Text Calls

Text Volume by PSAP

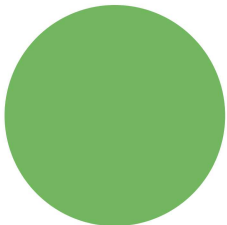


CORTLAND COUNTY

Text Calls by Day In Week



Text Calls by MessageType



TTY 66 (100%)

Applied Filters

01/04/26 - 01/31/26
Date Range

0 - 23
Start Hour Range

No Selections
PSAP

No Selection
Call Taker

No Selections
Call Type

No Selections
Class Of Service

No Selections
Direction

No Selections
Disposition

No Selections
ESN

No Selections
Origination Type

911

- Staffing – 2 FT openings
 - Approximately 50 applications for 2 spots
 - 2 conditional offers extended
- EMS response concerns still remain an issue
- Radio Microwave upgrade – scheduled for Summer of 2026
- Switching third party notifications of emergency incidents
- Accreditation is progressing
- Expanding our policy program to include
- ESI Net grant award

Emergency Management

- Preliminary award on Federal Grant for County wide Hazard mitigation plan update
- Panic Button System & cell phone app being configured with initial rollout to 911 and Mental Health, then to other County facilities.
- Assisting Chenango County in the development of their radio system.
- Flood mitigation equipment is arriving from the State.
- SUNY Cortland intern for the 2026 spring semester.

Fire Service

- County Chiefs meeting well attended
- County Fire Advisory Board members sworn at January meeting
- NERIS changes effecting all Fire departments
- Using NYS State Office of Fire Prevention & Control for Fire investigations
- Still supporting repairs to radios under grant funding

22 West Court

- Awaiting on County IT to move 911 related servers from COB

PROBATION STATISTICS 2026

CRIMINAL COURT

	Jan		Feb		March		April		May		June		July		August		Sept		Oct		Nov		Dec	
Year 20'	25	26	25		25		25		25		25		25		25		25		25		25		25	
On Probation	350	332	344		344		337		339		334		329		332		327		329		334		335	
Reports Completed	21	32	24		19		16		16		29		27		22		24		37		42		11	

FAMILY COURT

	Jan		Feb		March		April		May		June		July		August		Sept		Oct		Nov		Dec	
Year 20'	25	26	25		25		25		25		25		25		25		25		25		25		25	
Adult Probation	18	10	17		15		14		14		12		11		11		11		9		9		10	
Youth Probation	17	8	11		16		15		15		10		10		10		5		5		6		6	
PINS in Diversion	28	21	32		32		31		32		30		30		26		22		22		20		22	
JD in Diversion	4	5	2		5		5		5		1		1		1		1		4		8		7	
Reports Completed	0	3	1		0		0		1		0		3		0		1		1		0		2	

TOTAL ON PROBATION ALL COURTS and receiving Diversion Services:

2025 – Jan. 417, Feb. 406, March 412, April 392, May 395, June 387, July 381, Aug. 370, Sept. 366, Oct. 343, Nov. 349, Dec. 351

2026 – Jan. 376

RELEASED TO ATI (Pre-trial):

2025 – Jan. 60, Feb. 60, March 60, April 47, May 50, June 49, July 51, Aug. 51, Sept. 56, Oct. 57, Nov. 58, Dec. 55

2026 – Jan. 48

Cortland County Coroner

2026 Death Report

<u>January</u> Deaths-6 Autopsies-2	<u>February</u> Deaths- Autopsies-	<u>March</u> Deaths- Autopsies-
<u>April</u> Deaths- Autopsies-	<u>May</u> Deaths- Autopsies-	<u>June</u> Deaths- Autopsies-
<u>July</u> Deaths- Autopsies-	<u>August</u> Deaths- Autopsies-	<u>September</u> Deaths- Autopsies-
<u>October</u> Deaths- Autopsies-	<u>November</u> Deaths- Autopsies-	<u>December</u> Deaths- Autopsies-