



March 2023 Departmental Dashboard

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Overview – March 2023

❖ Garage/Estate Sale Permits:

- ❖ March: 2 issued
- ❖ Year to Date: 4 issued
- ❖ March 2022: 2 issued

❖ Passports:

- ❖ March: 10 issued
- ❖ Year to Date: 31 issued
- ❖ March 2022: 22 issued

❖ Parking Hang Tags:

- ❖ March: 30 issued
- ❖ Year to Date: 67 issued
- ❖ March 2022: 12 issued

❖ Elm Place Stickers:

- ❖ March: 3 issued
- ❖ Year to Date: 56 issued
- ❖ March 2022: 2 issued



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Overview – March 2023

❖ OPRA (Open Public Records Act) Requests:

- ❖ March: 47
- ❖ Year to date: 129
- ❖ March 2022: 44

❖ Landlord Registrations:

- ❖ March: 0
- ❖ Year to date: 0
- ❖ March 2022: 0

❖ Limousine Licenses:

- ❖ March: 4
- ❖ Year to Date: 9
- ❖ March 2022: 3

❖ Raffle Licenses:

- ❖ March: 3
- ❖ Year to date: 3
- ❖ March 2022: 0

❖ Liquor Licenses:

- ❖ March: 0
- ❖ Year to date: 0
- ❖ March 2022: 0

❖ MVC Renewals

- ❖ March: 0
- ❖ Year to date: 4
- ❖ March 2022: 5



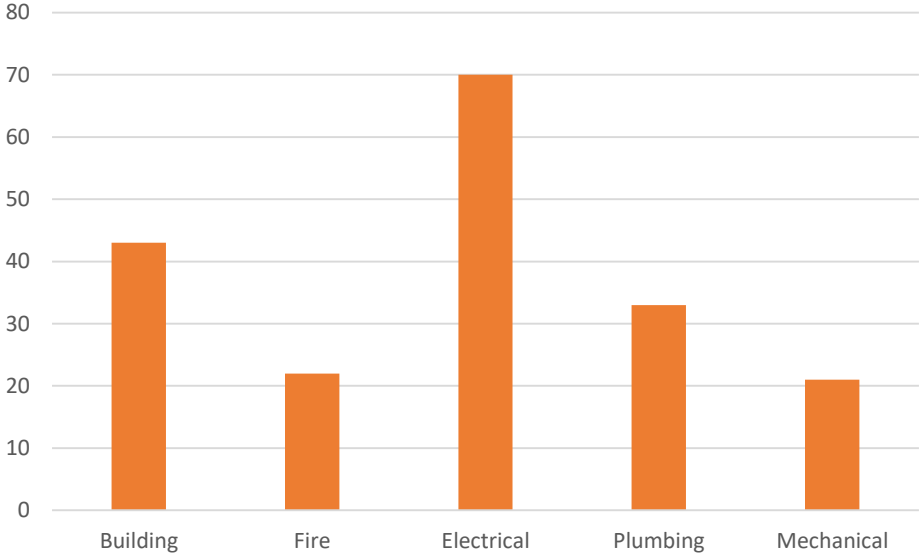
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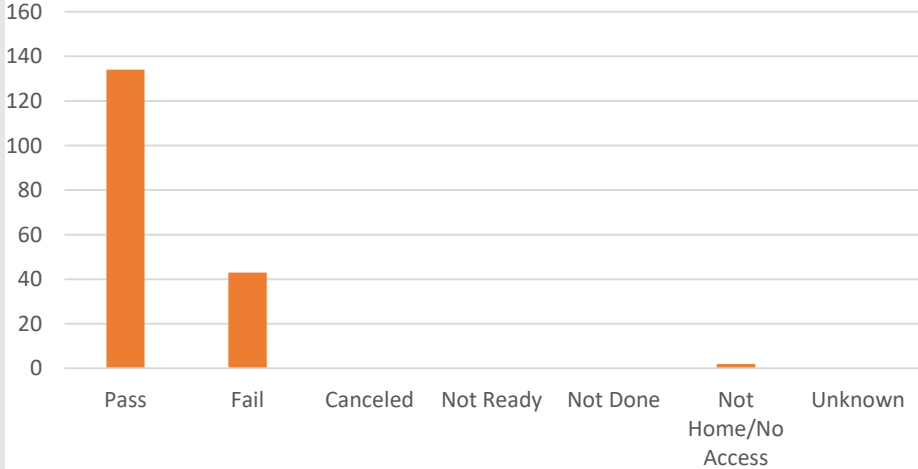
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- ❖ **March 2023: Total Permits were Issued:**
 - ❖ Permit fees: \$12,666
 - ❖ Other fees: \$0
 - ❖ Penalties Collected: \$2,550
 - ❖ Total fees: \$16,704
- ❖ **March 2023: Inspections Performed:**
 - ❖ 43 were Building Inspections
 - ❖ 22 were Fire Protection Inspections
 - ❖ 70 were Electrical Inspections
 - ❖ 33 were Plumbing Inspections
 - ❖ 21 were Mechanical Inspections
- ❖ **There were 13 Total Continued Certificate of Occupancy applications this month**
- ❖ **Construction Costs: \$635,925.00**

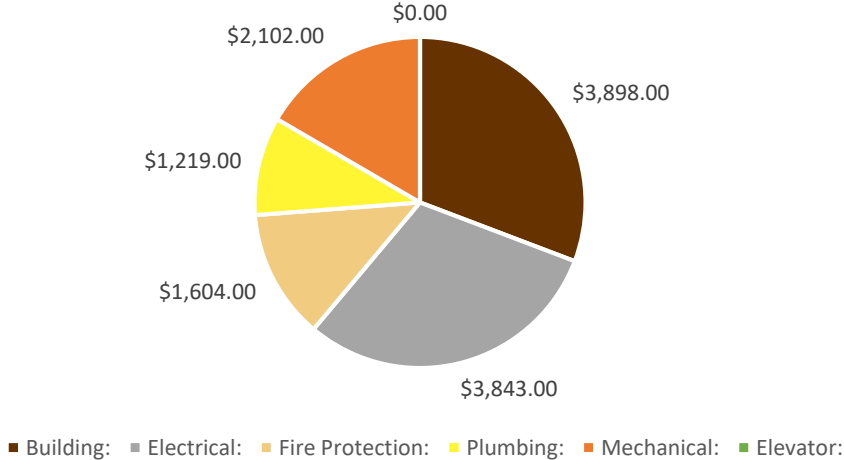
Technical Permits Issued



188 Inspections - All Types



Amount (\$) collected per technical (permit) fee



Overview – March 2023

❖ Applications for Tree Removal Permits:

- ❖ March: 9 Applications
- ❖ Year to Date: 19 Applications
- ❖ March 2022: 3 Applications

❖ Collected in Tree Removal Fees:

- ❖ March: \$620

❖ New Plantings

- ❖ March: 0
- ❖ Year to Date: 0
- ❖ March 2022: 0

[For more Information: Click this Link for the Shade Tree Commission Web Page](#)
Or reach out to EMAIL

Mission Statement

The Leonia Shade Tree Commission is charged with protecting, maintaining and replenishing one of our town's most important qualities: its fabulous population of shade trees. Trees are a natural resource that provide aesthetic, economic, environmental and health benefits to our community and its residents. The treatment of trees on each of our properties can have a significant impact not only on our individual properties, but also on neighboring properties, the town's tree canopy and the entire community.

Overview – March 2023

- ❖ **March:**
 - ❖ 2 Vacant Properties Processed
 - ❖ Vacant Property Fees Collected
 - ❖ March: \$0
 - ❖ Year to Date: \$46,600
 - ❖ March 2022: \$1,100

- ❖ **2023 Fiscal Year to date:**
 - ❖ 2 Vacant Properties Registered
 - ❖ **Breakdown of Registrations:**
 - ❖ Registered for their initial year: 1
 - ❖ Registered for their second year: 5
 - ❖ Registered for their third year: 7
 - ❖ Deregistered: 1

Registration Dates and Fees collected for Vacant Properties reflect the date the property becomes Real Estate Owned (Owned by Bank). Alternatively, the "Date Entered" for a Vacant Property application reflects the date the application was entered into the GovPilot system by an external applicant or a Building Department employee.

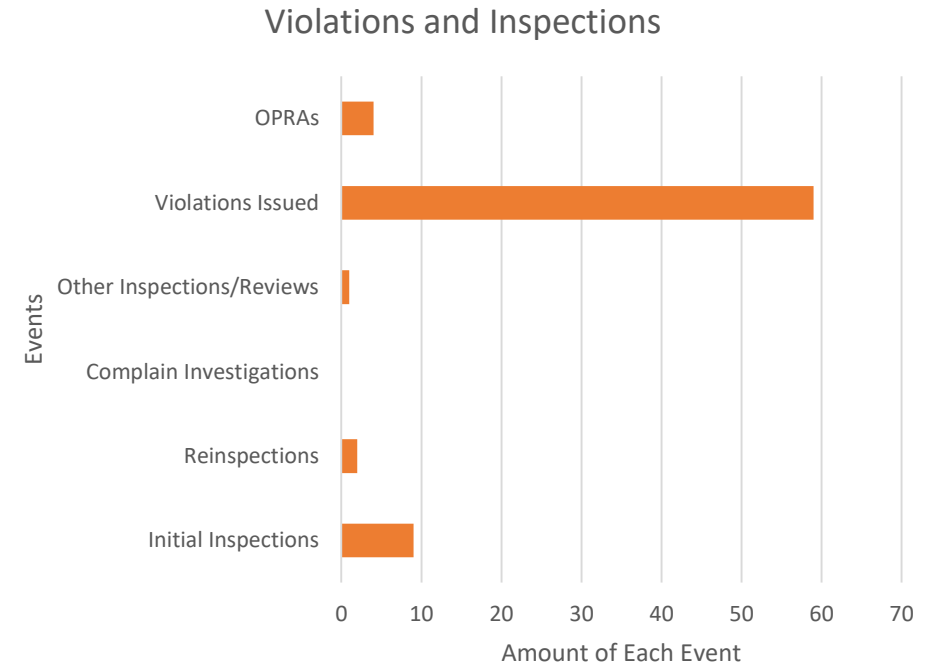
Ordinance #2021-04 (updated the Vacant Property Fees) - went into effect on March 26, 2021.



[Vacant Properties \(Borough Website\)](#)

Overview – March 2023

- ❖ In the month of March there were:
 - ❖ 9 Initial Inspections
 - ❖ 2 Reinspections
 - ❖ 0 Complain Investigations
 - ❖ 1 Other Inspections/Reviews
 - ❖ 59 Violations Issued
 - ❖ 4 OPRAs
 - ❖ \$6,281in Collected Fees



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Overview – March 2023

- ❖ Summer Camp Registration began March 1st
- ❖ Spring and Swim Club Brochures were mailed to the residents.
- ❖ Winter Basketball League playoff and championship games were played on March 18th and March 25th. We heard nothing but positive comments about our league this year.
- ❖ New Senior Programs include a Jeopardy wellness challenge, handcrafted home decor, coffee with a cop, St Patty's Day lunch, gratitude and giving thanks talk, Little Ireland Trip.

Upcoming Events/Programs:

- ❖ Summer Camp Registration ends April 30th
- ❖ The Swim Club Discount period starts April 1st and ends April 30th.
- ❖ Spring Programs begin the week of April 17th
- ❖ New Senior Programs include Calligraphy, Get Physical to80s music, Fort Lee food tasting and theatre trip, Senior Dinner at the High School
- ❖ Our Annual Spring Celebration in Wood Park will take place April 1st from 10:30 am-12 pm.

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Overview – March 2023

During the month of October, the DPW continued its regular programs of garage and trash collection, recycling, street and road repairs, sewer services, tree maintenance, and repairs.

Yard Waste:

- ❖ All yard waste must be bundled and tied together with branches no longer than 4 feet in length.
- ❖ All other debris must be put in ridged 32-gallon or fewer containers or brown biodegradable paper bags.
 - ❖ No items can be more than 50 pounds in weight.
- ❖ No plastic bags can be used yard waste will not be collected.

All items MUST be out for collection before 7:00 am the day of its scheduled collection day.

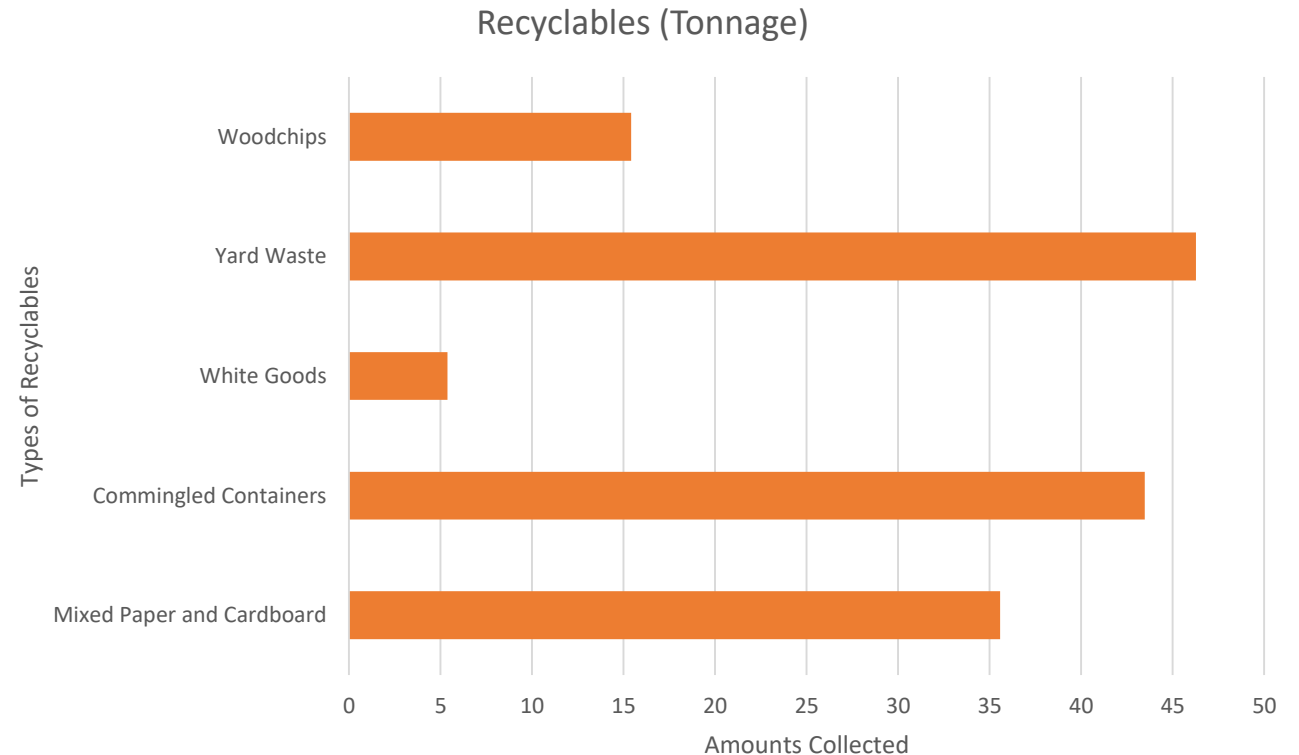
❖ In the month of March, there were/was:

- ❖ 2 Sewer Emergencies
- ❖ \$1,046.95 Received by the Borough for the collection of White Goods
- ❖ 15.42 tons of woodchips collected
- ❖ 192.44 tons of garbage collected
- ❖ 96.43 tons of trash collected

[DPW Webpage](#)

Overview – March 2023 (continued)

- ❖ The department started it's spring cleanups of borough properties.
- ❖ Attended a meeting with the other departments and the representative from the Mental Awareness Event to be held in Wood Park.
- ❖ Drug testing continued with all negative test results.
- ❖ Installed various group banners across Broad Avenue.
- ❖ Yard waste collections started March 6th, 2023.
- ❖ Employee Adam Jurek and his Girlfriend welcomed the birth of a baby girl on March 8th .



Overview – March 2023

❖ Total activity of the Police Department (October):

- ❖ 940 Calls for Service
- ❖ 26 Motor Vehicle Crashes
- ❖ 1 Residential Burglary
- ❖ 3 Motor Vehicle Burglaries (including attempts)
- ❖ 5 Arrests (all types)
- ❖ 437 Written Citations (including warnings)

❖ Property Maintenance:

- ❖ 14 Total Property Maintenance Complaints
- ❖ 7 initiated by the Police Department
- ❖ 7 initiated by the public.
- ❖ 5 current pending cases
- ❖ 9 cases referred to other departments



[Police Department](#)

Training – March 2023

- ❖ Women in Law Enforcement Conference- PO Maldonado
- ❖ Alcotest Operator Training- PO Millan, Sgt Rocco, Det Goodell
- ❖ Firearms Instructor Training- PO Cho, PO Longo
- ❖ Firearms- Sgt Chung, PO Longo, PO McNeil, PO O'Donnell, PO Mikatarian, PO Corring, SLEO Oxnard, Capt Garris, Sgt Rocco, PO Millan, PO Stendor
- ❖ Active Shooter/De-escalation training- Sgt Chung, PO Longo, PO Cho, PO Do
- ❖ Law Enforcement Image and Crisis Communication- Capt Garris
- ❖ Rescue Task Force Training- PO Stendor, PO Berger
- ❖ Defensive Tactics- PO Berger
- ❖ DWI/SFST/HGN- PO Do
- ❖ Case Law Updates- PO McNeil
- ❖ Rapid Deployment Force Training- PO Berger, PO Stendor

Community Outreach

- ❖ March 13th, Coffee with a Cop program held in collaboration with the Recreation Department at the Leonia Senior Center.
- ❖ March 13th, Sgt. Perez, PO Millan and PO Maldonado met the Leonia's Girl Scout Troop at Leonia Library.
- ❖ March 25th, PO Longo and PO Stendor attend the Leonia Library's Makers Day event.
- ❖ March 26th, Chief Tamagny and Sgt Perez attended the Presbyterian Church's Service of Lament and Healing for Survivors of Relationship Violence.
- ❖ March 26th, Chief Tamagny and patrol officers attended the Borough's first Ramadan Celebration and Crescent Lighting at Borough Hall. Approximately 100 people attended the event.
- ❖ PO Cho has been instructing the LEAD program to 5th grade classes at Leonia Middle School.

Additional News

- ❖ March 28th, Chief Tamagny, D/Sgt Jennings and Sgt Perez met with Leonia School's Superintendent and representatives from 911Inform in reference to school security software.
- ❖ March 30th, Chief Tamagny met with Leonia School Superintendent in reference to school security grants.