

CITY OF FREDERICK NEWS

Mayor O'Connor to Deliver the 2026 State of the City Address

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Mayor Michael O'Connor will deliver the 2026 State of the City Address on Wednesday, September 2nd at 6:00 PM.

The event will be streamed live on the City's official Facebook and YouTube pages so residents can easily tune in.

This annual address is an opportunity for residents to hear about Frederick's progress, highlighting the work underway across our community, and looking ahead to the priorities and opportunities shaping our City's future.

"Our City is marking major milestones this year: the 250th anniversary of our Nation, 100 years of the Weinberg Center for the Arts, and 50 years since the flood of 1976," said Mayor O'Connor.

"Looking back at those moments tells us a lot about Frederick, and it sets up the real conversation about where we go from here."

Details of the State of the City Address are as follows:

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The Day’s Run Log

Complete call activity for Friday, August 28. Excludes medical calls.

ALARMS12:38 am

Commercial Fire Alarm

4000 block ROCK HALL RD — BUILDERS FIRST SOURCE (POINT OF ROCKS)

UNITS: E281, T5

12:45 am E281 on the scene, large, single-story manufacturing facility, nothing evident.

12:55 am E281 made access to the alarm panel, reports multiple alarms indicated on the panel, nothing evident.

1:16 am E281 located an issue with the sprinkler system leaking water.

PUBLIC SAFETY6:08 am

Gas Odor Inside

3100 block CEDAR GROVE TER (URBANA)

UNITS: E231, PE251, TT23

6:12 am TT23 on scene, 2-story single-family residence. Nothing evident. Investigating.

6:24 am TT23 reports negative meter readings throughout the residence. Units in service.

ALARMS9:34 am

Residential Fire Alarm (Single Family Resd/ Mobile Home)

10200 block CHURCH HILL RD (MYERSVILLE)

UNITS: E82

9:36 am Frederick ECC advises they received the proper alarm passcode. E82 in service.

PUBLIC SAFETY10:05 am

Unit Transfer To Other Station

3400 block ROHRERSVILLE RD — STATION 8 (BOONSBORO)

UNITS: A197, RE74

WEATHER & UTILITIES10:07 am

Wires Down Or Arcing

CAP STINE RD / HOWARD STUP RD, BWTEEN HOWARD STUP AND MANOR WOODS

UNITS: E141

10:16 am E141 reports a tree branch across power lines and blocking one lane. Requesting Fire-Police for traffic control. Utility company notified.

TRAFFIC & ROADS10:36 am

Vehicle Accident - Bls

RT85 / I-70 (FREDERICK)

UNITS: A38, E162

10:39 am E162 on scene, on Rte. 85 at the ramp for I-70EB; checking on occupant(s).

FIRE & RESCUE10:57 am

House Fire

14100 block NATALMA CT

UNITS: E201, E281

PUBLIC SAFETY12:44 pm

Fuel Spill

S: EAST ST / E. ALL SAINTS ST (FREDERICK)

UNITS: PE23, HM33, HMSU33, A37

PUBLIC SAFETY12:50 pm

Hazardous Materials Incident

5500 block SPECTRUM DR — COUNTRY INN AND SUITES

UNITS: PE311, E231, E501, R3, HM50, CCHM30, A239, A18, ALS31, C23-B, BC901, SAF901, EMS901

12:52 pm Frederick ECC advises responding units that call stems from ongoing incident involving mental subject; FCSO is on site.

12:54 pm PE311 on the scene, 2-story hotel. Nothing evident.

12:58 pm PE311 reports FCSO noticed paraphernalia in bathtub of room where occupant was located / detained. BC901 on scene, establishing command.

1:01 pm BC901 reports R3, PE311 crews are investigating substance in the affected room.

1:06 pm R3 reports 1st / second floor evacuated.

1:35 pm HM50 making entry with 2 personnel to obtain substance.

1:39 pm HM50 reports normal meter readings in the room. HM50 crew exiting.

1:53 pm HM50 has removed the substance, no hazards indicated. Occupants allowed to reoccupy the structure. Continuing to hold HM50, A239, ALS31, PE311.

ALARMS1:22 pm

Commercial Fire Alarm

5300 block SPECTRUM DR — SLEEP INN & SUITES (FREDERICK)

UNITS: E31, TT4

1:27 pm E31 on the scene, nothing evident. Investigating.

1:37 pm E31 reports alarm activated due to a hair dryer. Alarm system reset, units in service.

ALARMS2:10 pm

Commercial Fire Alarm

1500 block FREEDMAN DR (FORT DETRICK)

UNITS: E11, TT4, E501

PUBLIC SAFETY2:16 pm

Unit Transfer To Other Station

100 block W. FREDERICK ST — STATION 24 (WALKERSVILLE RESCUE CO.)

UNITS: ALS17

FIRE & RESCUE5:30 pm

Appliance Fire Contained

4500 block TIMBERY CT

UNITS: E201, E141, T5, EK204

TRAFFIC & ROADS6:01 pm

Vehicle Accident - Bls

GREENFIELD RD / BUCKEYSTOWN PIKE

UNITS: A239, A319, ALS23, TT23

FIRE & RESCUE6:12 pm

Brush Fire

100 block W. MAIN ST (NEW MARKET)

UNITS: BR156, E152

ALARMS6:53 pm

Commercial Fire Alarm

1300 block HOLLING PL — EAST OF MARKET APARTMENTS - 1300 block HOLLING PL

UNITS: E31, TT4

5:57 pm E3 on the scene, 4-story multi-family dwelling. Nothing evident.

7:04 pm E31 reports burned food on the stove, light haze in the hallway. TT4 setting up for ventilation.

7:19 pm E31 reports ventilation complete. Alarm system has been reset. Units in service.

FIRE & RESCUE7:11 pm

Commercial Vehicle Fire

I-70EB / 38MM

UNITS: E82

TRAFFIC & ROADS8:23 pm

Vehicle Accident - Bls

9500 block LIBERTY RD

UNITS: A247, R24, D24

8:31 pm R24 on the scene, in the 8500 Block of Liberty Rd; property damage accident only. No fire department services needed.

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7-Day Weather

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FRI
Aug 28

83° / 61°

Partly Cloudy

ISSUE DAY

SAT
Aug 29

84° / 67°

Sunny

18% precip

SUN
Aug 30

89° / 71°

Mostly Sunny

4% precip

MON
Aug 31

91° / 72°

Mostly Sunny

9% precip

TUE
Sep 1

93° / 74°

Mostly Sunny

14% precip

WED
Sep 2

94° / 74°

Mostly Sunny

21% precip

THU
Sep 3

91° / 71°

Chance Showers And Thunderstorms

27% precip

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