

City of Scranton

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2020 POPULATION: 76,328
SQUARE MILES: 25.8
SCHOOL DISTRICT: Scranton
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CONTACT: Frank Voldenberg, City Clerk

MAYOR: Paige G. Cagnetti

COUNCIL: Kyle Donahue, President
Mark McAndrew
Jessica Rothchild
Thomas Schuster
William King
Sean Gallagher

ZONING OFFICER: Thomas Leach

BUILDING INSPECTOR: Northeast Inspection Consultants

POLICE: Scranton Police Dept.

FIRE: Scranton Fire Dept.

AMBULANCE: Private Service



HISTORY:

Incorporated as a borough in 1856 from Providence Township (now extinct) and named for brothers George and Seldon Scranton, of Connecticut and New Jersey, respectfully, who came to the area in 1840 to smelt iron.

In 1866, the City of Scranton was incorporated upon the merging of Scranton Borough with Hyde Park and Providence boroughs and parts of Providence Township.

Scranton is known as the "Electric City," and was once referred to as the "Anthracite Capital of the World."

COUNCIL MEETINGS: Held every Tuesday at 6:30 PM, in the Scranton City Hall

PLANNING COMMISSION MEETINGS:
Held on the 4th Wednesday of every month, at 6:00 PM, in the Scranton City Hall