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## RAHWAY EMERGENCY SQUAD

# New ambulance to aid emergency response



The Rahway Emergency Squad's new ambulance is expected to go into service by the end of April.  
PROVIDED BY CITY OF RAHWAY

## Advanced lifesaving technology expected to upgrade patient, crew safety

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RAHWAY – The Rahway Emergency Squad has received a new state-of-the-art ambulance, strengthening the city's commitment to providing residents with high-quality emergency medical service.

The new vehicle, a PL Custom Medalion ambulance featuring a 170-inch Type III body mounted on a 2026 Ford E-450 chassis, was delivered March 11. It is equipped with advanced lifesaving technology, including a Stryker Power-Load system and Power Pro XT stretcher, designed to enhance patient care while improving responder safety. The ambulance is scheduled to go

into service by the end of April. City officials said the purchase was made to upgrade patient and crew safety and to meet modern design and technology standards for today's EMS operations. The need for a new ambulance was driven in part by an increase in call volume, with officials noting the

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## CHARLIE KIRK MURDER CASE

# Inconclusive bullet match spurs debate

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A court filing in the Charlie Kirk murder case set off a media firestorm between Turning Point USA and a major tabloid after defense attorneys said the bullet that struck Kirk could not be linked to the suspect's gun by investigators.



**Kirk**

Reaction to the court filing and news coverage underscored the harsh spotlight on the case. Lawyers for Tyler Robinson, the Utah resident accused of assassinating the Turning Point co-founder in September 2025 at Utah Valley University, filed court documents March 27 seeking to delay his prelimi-

nary hearing, which is currently set for May. In the filing, Robinson's lawyers said they needed more time to review evidence the state plans to use in the case. Robinson is being prosecuted by the state of Utah. The lawyers said prosecutors told them that the U.S. Bureau of Alcohol,

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NJ Attorney General Jennifer Davenport, right, shown with Gov. Mikie Sherrill, said elections are run by the states, "not the federal government, and certainly not the U.S. Postal Service."  
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# NJ braces for Trump mail-in ballot order

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How would a new executive order from President Donald Trump — aiming to alter the way mail-in ballots are distributed — affect New Jersey? The order would require the federal Department of Homeland Security and the Social Security Administration to create lists of all the citizens in each state eligible to vote and require the post office to send mail-in ballots only to those people. After those federal agencies compile the list, it would be sent to the chief election official in each state. Lt. Gov. Dale Caldwell, who also serves as

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# NJ Transit wants to hear from its riders

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USA TODAY NETWORK - NEW JERSEY

NJ Transit wants to hear from you about its bus, rail, light rail and Access Link services. The move comes in response to Gov. Mikie Sherrill's call for a Rapid Action Plan to address shortcomings of the transit agency. Passengers can submit online feedback or register to speak at three

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