

**CITY OF BELLE SLE, FLORIDA
CITY COUNCIL AGENDA ITEM COVER SHEET**

Meeting Date: September 17, 2024

To: Honorable Mayor and City Council Members

From: Travis Grimm, Chief of Police

Subject: New legislative requirements effective July 1, 2024, outlined in Section 316.0083(4)(a) of the Florida Statutes, annual Red Light Camera (RLC) report to the City Council for review.

Background:

Per new legislative requirements effective July 1, 2024, outlined in Section 316.0083(4)(a) of the Florida Statutes, the Belle Isle Police Department must present the annual RLC report to the City Council for review. Jurisdictions are required to submit this report to the Florida Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles Department (FLHSMV), confirming that it was reviewed at a regular or special meeting of the governing body.

The Council must evaluate the report's traffic data and other evidence to approve the continued use or addition of red light cameras based on the demonstrated need for additional traffic safety measures.

Staff Recommendation: Approve or deny the continued use and/or expansion of red-light cameras in identified areas based on the traffic data.

Suggested Motion: I move that the City Council of Belle Isle approve the continued use and renewal of red light cameras within the jurisdiction, as outlined in the annual Red Light Camera report, pursuant to Section 316.0083(4)(a) of the Florida Statutes. This approval is based on the traffic data and evidence presented, which support the need for additional traffic safety measures in the identified areas. Furthermore, the Council confirms that the data was reviewed at this regular meeting, as required by statute, for submission to the Florida Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles Department."

Fiscal Impact: N/A

Attachments: Annual Red-light camera report.