



City of Colusa California

STAFF REPORT

DATE: September 2, 2025

TO: Mayor Codorniz and members of the City Council

FROM: Joshua Fitch, Chief of Police, via Jesse Cain, City Manager, and Ryan Jones, City Attorney

AGENDA ITEM:

A Resolution of the Colusa City Council to authorize the Police Chief to enter a two-year contract with Flock Group, Inc., to implement the Automated License Plate Reader (ALPR) program.

Recommendation: City Council approve a resolution for a two-year agreement with Flock Group, Inc. for the deployment of eleven (11) Automated License Plate Readers (ALPRs) and authorize the Police Chief to execute the agreement in the form approved by the City Attorney with a total cost not to exceed \$77,200.

BACKGROUND ANALYSIS:

For over 25 years, public safety agencies have utilized Automated License Plate Reader (ALPR) technology to rapidly identify and locate vehicles for official law enforcement purposes. ALPR technology will provide information to officers that will assist in on-going criminal investigations, crime prevention, crime detection, the apprehension of wanted persons, ensuring the safety of vulnerable individuals through the recovery of missing and endangered persons, and improving the quality of life in our community through the identification and recovery of stolen vehicles.

The deployment will consist of eleven (11) cameras, strategically located throughout the City to maximize coverage and effectiveness. This deployment will cover all ingress/egress points throughout the city.

BUDGET IMPACT:

The financial commitment associated with this agreement is detailed in the attached quote. This includes the costs for hardware, installation, software subscription fees, and necessary maintenance over a two-year period, totaling \$77,200, paid in two instalments of \$38,600. Funding for this amount would come from the Police Departments allocation of Measure B funds. If Measure B funds are not available, funding would be taken from the Police Department's SLESF fund.

STAFF RECOMMENDATION:

Adopt Resolution 25- authorizing the City of Colusa Police Chief to enter a two-year contract with Flock Group, Inc to implement the (ALPR) Program.

ATTACHMENT:

Resolution 25-

Quotation from Flock Safety