



Council Agenda Item

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Agenda Item: Flock Safety Information

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BACKGROUND

(Enter the who, what when, where, why)

The Whitewater Police Department utilizes Flock Safety automated license plate reader (ALPR) cameras as an investigative resource. Recently, public officials received an email from an individual with concerns about Flock Safety ALPR cameras. The primary concerns noted in the email include perceived inaccuracies of Flock Safety data, concern about Flock Safety data being used by agencies for specific enforcement types, and security vulnerabilities. That email, the response from Flock Safety, and supporting documentation is included in the packet. WPD's policy on ALPR usage is also provided for context.

Staff feel confident that we are minimizing potential risk associated with ALPR use through our policy and practice, and feel that the benefits of utilizing Flock Safety ALPR cameras significantly outweigh potential risks.

PREVIOUS ACTIONS – COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATIONS

(Dates, committees, action taken)

N/A

FINANCIAL IMPACT

(If none, state N/A)

N/A

STAFF RECOMMENDATION

N/A

ATTACHMENT(S) INCLUDED

(If none, state N/A)

1. Email from Citizen
2. Response from Flock Safety
3. LPR Myths and Facts
4. LPR FAQ
5. Flock Safety Security Claims and Facts
6. WPD Policy - ALPR