



CITY OF WASHINGTON, ILLINOIS
Public Safety Committee Agenda Communication

Meeting Date: March 8, 2021
Prepared By: Chief McCoy and Deputy Chief Stevens
Agenda Item: License Plate Readers
Explanation: Ending Trial of FLOCK License Plate Readers
Fiscal Impact: None

Action Requested: Information Only

With the approval of the Washington City Council, we started a trial period with the FLOCK License Plate Reader System. During the last week of February this trial was ended and FLOCK was notified to come and remove their hardware.

This particular product did not operate to our expectations. The cameras need to work in all types of weather and this did not happen. Installation was a problem and the views obtained were not of great value.

While this particular product did not fit our application we are continuing to investigate similar companies that provide a product more adapted to our needs.