

RESOLUTION NO. 2023-

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE LEAGUE CITY
NEIGHBORHOOD FLOCK CAMERA INITIATIVE

WHEREAS, the City of League City (“City”) believes it is in the best interest of its citizens to provide increased surveillance throughout the City to discourage criminal activities, increase the safety of its neighborhoods and aid law enforcement officials in their investigations; and

WHEREAS, the City Council has allocated \$200,000 in funding to install license plate reader cameras throughout the City in participating neighborhoods for a period of twenty-four (24) months; and

WHEREAS, the City Council wishes to invite the collaboration of local neighborhoods regarding the placement of such cameras.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LEAGUE CITY, TEXAS, as follows:

Section 1. The City hereby authorizes the **League City Neighborhood Flock Camera Initiative** with the following parameters.

- A. **Funding for Neighborhood Flock Cameras.** League City agrees to provide twenty-four (24) months funding for the installation and maintenance of Flock Cameras in participating neighborhoods within the city limits. Participation shall be based on a first-come, first-served basis and until the allocated funding has been exhausted.
- B. **Eligible Participants.** This program is only available to Homeowner’s Associations (HOA) in good standing, or other similar organizations that are located within the city limits of League City that apply for participation with this Initiative on or before July 1, 2024.
- C. **Application Process.** Interested HOAs must submit a written request to the Office of the Police Chief. The request must be accompanied by appropriate HOA meeting minutes that indicate support for the Initiative by the HOA board. The Office of the Police Chief will review all applications and notify applicants regarding the approval or denial of their request. The City Manager has final authority on the approval or denial of any request.
- D. **Duration.** This Initiative shall provide funding for **twenty-four months** from either the date the agreement with Flock Group is executed (for neighborhoods currently without Flock cameras) or from the date League City begins reimbursement of the cost of Flock cameras (for neighborhoods with their own Flock cameras)
- E. **Placement and Location of Cameras.** The neighborhood must collaborate with the League City Police Department regarding the placement of the cameras to coordinate coverage with existing Flock cameras in League City. The City Manager has final authority regarding the total number of cameras installed in each neighborhood and

placement of the cameras.

- F. Access Granted to League City Police Department. If there is an agreement between Flock Group and the neighborhood, the neighborhood must grant the League City Police Department full access to the cameras for law enforcement purposes.
- G. Termination of Program and Assumption of Costs. After twenty-four months, League City will cease its funding for the neighborhood Flock cameras under this Initiative. At that time, League City will give neighborhoods the option of either assuming the costs of the Flock cameras or removing the cameras from the neighborhood.

Section 2. The City Manager or his designee is authorized to execute all documents necessary to complete this transaction, including any individual agreements with Flock Group for the installation/maintenance of cameras within participating neighborhoods under this Initiative.

Section 3. All resolutions and agreements and parts of resolutions and agreements in conflict herewith are hereby repealed to the extent of conflict only.

Section 4. It is hereby found and determined that the meeting at which this resolution was passed was open to the public and that advance public notice of the time, place and purpose of said meeting was given as required by law.

PASSED AND APPROVED the _____ day of _____, 2023.

NICK LONG
Mayor

ATTEST:

DIANA STAPP
City Secretary

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

MICHELLE VILLARREAL
Interim City Attorney