

I go by TLC and I am here on behalf of Deflock Tucson.

On August 5, 2026, the Pinal County Sheriff told the Board of Supervisors that he will not renew his office's contract with Flock. The Sheriff said the cameras are capable of far more than reading license plates, including facial recognition, live video streaming and AI-driven pattern recognition that can track residents' daily movements. He said: "That, in my training and experience, is a huge Fourth Amendment violation."

August 7, 2026, Chandler put out a public statement that they will discontinue the use of their Flock cameras. It reads: "The city will no longer pursue the renewal of a service agreement with the vendor at this time. The City of Chandler maintains the highest standard of public trust, transparency and accountability...our routine audit process identified an anomaly in the use of the Flock system that could not be explained through standard police action."

This week, Goodyear police say they identified suspicious activity during a routine audit of its Flock system last month, indicative of the possibility of a criminal violation by a police officer. Tempe has stopped automatically sharing its data with other agencies. An Apache Junction officer resigned after an internal investigation found he misused Flock LPRs during a dispute with his wife. And just today Queen Creek announced it will be evaluated its ALPR technology and the "safeguards, oversight, and accountability" in place.

The Town of Oro Valley has direct access to these cities' systems. Has any of our data been misused by these cops?

For almost a year, members from our organization have submitted records requests for copies of audit logs that the police department's policy requires on regular basis. Those requests, among others, were denied, ignored, or have not been responded to. Records that we have obtained are incomplete. It could be that Oro Valley has the best cops on the planet and they are not abusing the system. But it's more likely that the cops are human and that errors have occurred. Statistics show that ALPRs misread license plates by up to 71%. Flock boasts it reads 20 billion license plates per month. Based on those statistics, that means there are 14 billion 200 million misreads every month.

We again request that Council ask the hard questions, do their own research, and not take our word for it. All the information we have is documented by fact. The cops only have the word of Flock representatives and there is documented evidence that Flock representatives have lied to police and they have lied to Council and they have lied to reporters. We dare you to sit down with Deflock Tucson with open minds and fulfill your duties in protecting your citizens and taxpayers. The ones who pay your salary.