

Re: Data Sharing Policy - Flock Safety LPR Cameras

From Robby Schwanz [REDACTED]
To Elizabeth King [REDACTED]
CC PD Records [REDACTED]
Date Tuesday, November 11th, 2025 at 10:20 AM

Thank you very much for your help! Have a great day.

Thanks,
Robby

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On Tuesday, November 11th, 2025 at 9:47 AM, Elizabeth King [REDACTED] wrote:

Good morning Mr. Schwanz,

Apologies, it appears the attachment was not included in our original email. Please find the attachment attached to this email.

If you have any questions, you can reply to this email or contact our department at 262-375-5320.

Thank you,
Elizabeth King



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From: Robby Schwanz [REDACTED]
Sent: Tuesday, November 11, 2025 9:39 AM
To: Elizabeth King [REDACTED]
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Subject: Re: Data Sharing Policy - Flock Safety LPR Cameras

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Good Morning - Thank you for taking the time to reply. The attachment didn't come through on my end. Are you able to resend it please? Thank you again for your time!

Thanks,
Robby

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On Tuesday, November 11th, 2025 at 9:34 AM, Elizabeth King [REDACTED] wrote:

Good morning Mr. Schwanz,

I am in receipt of your open records request which was received 10/28/2025 via email. In your email, you requested the following information:

- "1. Which other jurisdictions (local, county, state, federal) have access to data collected by Grafton's Flock cameras?
2. Does Grafton have access to Flock data from other jurisdictions? If so, which ones?
3. How many times has data from Grafton's cameras been accessed by agencies outside the Village of Grafton? Can you provide a breakdown by agency type (county, state, federal) for the past year or since inception?
4. Are there formal agreements (MOUs, contracts, etc.) governing this data sharing? If so, are these publicly available?
5. Can federal agencies (FBI, DHS, ICE, etc.) access our Flock data? Under what circumstances? How many times has this occurred?
6. Is there a policy limiting how long other agencies can retain data accessed from Grafton's cameras?

7. Are there any restrictions on what types of investigations this shared data can be used for?"

Please see our responses to each of your questions below in bold:

1. Which other jurisdictions (local, county, state, federal) have access to data collected by Grafton's Flock cameras?

The attached document lists the law enforcement agencies that currently have authorized access to the Village of Grafton Police Department's Flock Safety system under the heading 'GRPD Network Shared with the below list' which begins on page 15 and ends on page 23.

2. Does Grafton have access to Flock data from other jurisdictions? If so, which ones?

The Grafton Police Department may view Flock data shared by other agencies that participate in the Flock network and have chosen to share access with Grafton. This includes all the agencies listed in the attached document under the heading 'Networks Shared with GRPD' which begins on page 1 and ends on page 14.

3. How many times has data from Grafton's cameras been accessed by agencies outside the Village of Grafton? Can you provide a breakdown by agency type (county, state, federal) for the past year or since inception?

The Department does not maintain a record tracking the number of times external agencies have accessed data from Grafton's cameras. Under Wisconsin's public records law, the Department is not required to create a new record to fulfill a request.

4. Are there formal agreements (MOUs, contracts, etc.) governing this data sharing? If so, are these publicly available?

The Village of Grafton has a contract with Flock Safety, Inc. for their services.

There are no separate memoranda of understanding (MOUs) specific to data sharing beyond the access arrangements within the Flock system.

5. Can federal agencies (FBI, DHS, ICE, etc.) access our Flock data? Under what circumstances? How many times has this occurred?

The Grafton Police Department does not directly grant federal agencies (such as the FBI, DHS, or ICE) access to Flock Safety data. Any data sharing with federal partners would occur only through the Flock network if authorized by policy and in connection with a criminal investigation.

The Department is not aware of any instances in which federal agencies have accessed Grafton's Flock data.

6. Is there a policy limiting how long other agencies can retain data accessed from Grafton's cameras?

Other agencies accessing shared data are bound by their own departmental policies and state statutes regarding retention periods and the same system-level retention limits established by Flock Safety.

7. Are there any restrictions on what types of investigations this shared data can be used for?

Use of Flock Safety data is restricted to legitimate law enforcement purposes, such as locating stolen vehicles, wanted persons, or vehicles associated with criminal investigations.

If you have any questions, you can reply to this email or contact our department at 262-375-5320.

Thank you,
Elizabeth King



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