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FOIA request under the Michigan Freedom of Information Act, MCL 15.231 et seq. I request copies of the following records held in the Westland Police Department's Flock Safety account. Each is data the system already stores and its export function copies to a CSV or PDF file; that file is the copy I am requesting (MCL 15.232(i), (l); MCL 15.233(1), (5)). I am not asking for a compilation, summary, or report (MCL 15.233(4)). Please provide each file by email or through your records portal, and your response by email (MCL 15.234(1)(c); MCL 15.235(10)).

This request is submitted by email rather than through the City's online form. I do not agree to any extension of the response time in MCL 15.235(2), and for any record already available on the City's website, a webpage address in the written response is sufficient.

1. The Flock organization (search) audit export for the Westland Police Department for August 1, 2026 through the date the export is run, with all fields the export contains, including user, organization, total networks searched, time frame, reason, case number, search time, and search type. If the Department withholds user names or plate numbers, please redact those fields within the file, leave the other fields intact, and state the exemption relied on (MCL 15.244(1); MCL 15.235(5)(a), (c)).
2. The Flock sharing configuration export as of the date the export is run: the organizations that share camera data with the Department and the organizations the Department shares its camera data with.
3. The Flock event log export (changes to users, sharing settings, hot lists, and configuration) for January 1, 2026 through the date the export is run.
4. The user list export (users and roles) and the device list export as of the date the export is run. If the Department's Flock account is closed or the system will not produce these exports, any written confirmation from Flock, held by the Department, of the account's closure date or of the deletion of the Department's data.
5. The Flock network audit export (searches of the Department's cameras by other organizations) for the most recent period the system makes available.

If the Department no longer holds a Flock account or the system will not produce an export, please say so in writing for that item, with the certificate described in MCL 15.235(5)(b).

Fees. I request a public-interest fee waiver or reduction under MCL 15.234(2): the records concern the operation and wind-down of a public automated license plate reader program, and the results will be published for the general public at no charge on a public website covering Michigan license plate reader programs, so furnishing them can be considered as primarily benefiting the general public. If the Department assesses a fee for any item, please process the remaining items and send the itemized estimate for that item on the City's detailed-itemization form (MCL 15.234(4)), and, if the estimate exceeds \$50, the deposit notice under MCL 15.234(8), within the response period of MCL 15.235(2). Thank you.