

RESOLUTION NO. 25-214 N.C.

**A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF VALLEJO
APPROVING AN AGREEMENT WITH FLOCK GROUP, INC. FOR GUNSHOT
DETECTION TECHNOLOGY (FLOCK RAVEN) IN AN AMOUNT
NOT TO EXCEED \$210,000 FOR 18 MONTHS, APPROVAL OF A FLOCK
AMENDMENT TO THE MASTER SERVICES AGREEMENT AND
AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO EXECUTE SAME**

WHEREAS, during the past several years, City of Vallejo Police Department's ("VPD") sworn staff has been at record lows and, currently, the Department is at an approximately 40% vacancy rate; and

WHEREAS, VPD's staffing shortage compounds the urgent need for implementation and retention of technology, such as the suite of technology offered by Flock Group, Inc. ("FLOCK"), that helps deter and reduce crime; and

WHEREAS, VPD participated in a successful beta test of FLOCK's automated gun shot detection technology known as FLOCK RAVEN; and

WHEREAS, VPD desires to continue using FLOCK RAVEN technology to deter and reduce crime; and

WHEREAS, VPD's FY 2023 COPS Technology and Equipment Grant (GPD016) includes \$210,000 for FLOCK technologies, including FLOCK RAVEN; and

WHEREAS, VPD has met with the Surveillance Advisory Board (SAB) concerning the Flock Raven technology and on August 21, 2025, the Board adopted a resolution recommending use of the technology; and

WHEREAS, at the direction of the City Council, VPD met a second time with the SAB concerning the Flock Raven technology on November 20, 2025 and requested that the SAB review and give input on two revisions to the Flock Master Services Agreement concerning privacy matters; and

WHEREAS, SAB reviewed the privacy revisions, added additional language all of which was submitted to Flock which they approved without changes; and

WHEREAS, also at City Council direction, VPD requested that SAB review and approve a new policy for the Flock Gun Shot Detection system which SAB did and which is before the City Council now; and

WHEREAS, the City Council also directed SAB to develop an audit plan for all Flock systems; and

WHEREAS, SAB determined that it could not develop an audit plan for all Flock systems in time to present to Council with the Gun Shot Detection system contract; and

WHEREAS, SAB has committed to working on and completing an audit plan for all Flock systems through the work of one of its existing ad hoc committees which will be presented to the City Council for its approval.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the City Council of the City of Vallejo hereby approves the Agreement with Flock Group, Inc. in an amount not to exceed \$210,000 for 18 months which includes all Flock technologies including Raven.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that SAB shall complete its audit plan for all Flock systems and present it to the City Council for review within the next 90 days unless an extension is approved by the City Council.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the City Council of the City of Vallejo hereby approves the Flock Group Inc. Amendment containing the revisions to sections 4.3 and 5.3 of the Master Service Agreement as approved by the SAB.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the City Council of the City of Vallejo hereby authorizes the City Manager’s execution of said Agreement and said Flock Group Inc. Amendment with Flock Group, Inc.

Adopted by the City Council of the City of Vallejo at a regular meeting held on December 16, 2025, with the following vote:

- AYES: Councilmembers Gordon, Lediju, Matias and Matulac
- NOES: None
- ABSENT: Mayor Sorce, Vice Mayor Bregenzer and Councilmember Palmares
- ABSTAIN: None

Signed by:
Andrea Sorce
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 ANDREA SORCE, MAYOR

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