

Subject: Re: FOIA request
From: [REDACTED]
Date: 4/12/26, 09:57
To: CountyFOIA@champaigncountyil.gov
CC: [REDACTED]

Hello County FOIO,

The statute, 5 ILCS 140/3(d), requires that FOIA requests are approved or denied within five business days.

Please let me know when I can expect a response.

Sincerely,
[REDACTED]
Concerned Urbana resident

On 4/2/26 01:00, [REDACTED] wrote:

This is a Freedom of Information Act request for records that may be held by Administrative Services or other County departments.

In this request, "ALPR" means "automated license plate reader", "Flock" means "Flock Group, Inc.", and "Purchasing Policy" means "Champaign County Purchasing Policy Rules, Regulations, and Procedures for Purchasing".

I would like to request:

1. All Purchase Requisition for the Sheriff's Office to lease or purchase ALPRs from 2019 to the date of processing.
2. All notifications of bids, RFPs, and RFQs relating to providing the Sheriff's Office with ALPRs from 2019 to the date of processing.
3. All bids, proposal, quotes, or responses to item 2.
4. All reports, reviews, or analysis of any record responsive to item 3.
5. All documents (e.g., sole-source determinations) justifying non-competitive procurement of ALPRs from Flock from 2019 to the date of processing.

As this information is in the public interest to maintain government accountability, please waive any applicable fees. This information is not sought due to a commercial interest.

Please reproduce any electronic records in their original, electronic format (e.g., searchable PDFs where applicable).

Please let me know when you receive this request, and by when I can expect a response.

Sincerely,
[REDACTED]
Concerned Urbana resident

+CC: [REDACTED] who is also interested in these records.

Notes that may be helpful to County staff:

Through a previous FOIA, I obtained a contract for the Sheriff's Office to lease ALPRs from Flock for \$36,750, signed on September 09, 2021 and for \$137,500, signed on December 27, 2023, (attached). I hope this information helps you locate the records. However, per 5 ILCS 140/3(c), you do not necessarily need to open the attached files to understand the meaning of this FOIA request.

The first contract is for two years, and it shows a year 1 total of \$19,500 and an annual recurring total of \$17,500, which is how I arrived at \$36,750 even though that number is not explicitly stated. I believe the Sheriff's Office FOIO may have missed the page with the grand total for that first contract.