



EAST PALO ALTO POLICE DEPARTMENT

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To: Chief Liu
From: Investigator Peardon
Re: Monthly Flock audit
Date: September 1, 2026

I conducted the August 2026 audit of the Flock System per East Palo Alto Police Department Policy 428. The audit is from August 1 through August 31. The Flock system captured 4,280,038 license plates during this month. During the audit period East Palo Alto Officers conducted 1864 searches. All of those searches were made within policy with valid cases numbers and/or reasons for the search.

As of today's date, we have 25 cameras live, and the additional five cameras are waiting to be installed.

I audited the network sharing activity of the agencies that we share our data with. I confirmed that every agency is from California and that there were no Federal Agencies listed. I confirmed that every agency had provided a valid case number or reason for the search and followed the California Values Act (SB 54)

SHARING

August Sharing Snapshot

East Palo Alto CA PD

A monthly snapshot of active sharing relationships in place with your Organization.

Organizations I'm Sharing With

296 total organizations as of August 31, 2026

296

In State

No
Out of State

No
Federal

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Statewide and Nationwide Networks

Statewide Network: California

Disabled



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Chief Liu requested a full audit of our network sharing from Flock Safety, based on the San Mateo County Grand Jury report that was released on August 1, 2026. Flock was requested to audit all the network data from East Palo Alto from December 2024 through current. Flock's audit revealed no sharing outside of California or with any Federal Agencies. This audit confirms all my monthly audits that I have performed from December of 2024 through this audit.



September 2, 2026

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Re: Network Sharing Audit Confirmation

To Whom It May Concern:

At the request of the agency, Flock Safety reviewed the East Palo Alto Police Department's network logs covering the period from December 1, 2024, through August 31, 2026.

Based on Flock Safety's review of the available network records, there did not appear to be any instances of sharing with law enforcement agencies outside the State of California or with any federal agencies.

Please contact Flock if additional information regarding this review is required.

Sincerely,
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East Palo Alto Flock cameras notable activity:

- 1) August 6, 2026 – Robbery – East Palo Alto Officers were dispatched to a robbery that had just occurred. Officers were provided a vehicle description and name of the suspect. Officers utilized Flock to locate the vehicle in the area during the crime. Officers learned that the vehicle had not left East Palo Alto, and began looking for the vehicle. The vehicle was located and the suspect was safely taken into custody.
- 2) August 7, 2026 – Kidnaping, domestic violence – East Palo Alto Officers were dispatched to a kidnapping domestic violence that had just occurred. Officers obtained suspect information including his vehicle. Officers utilized Flock and determined the vehicle was still in East Palo Alto. Officers located the vehicle traveling on University Ave. near Bell St. The suspect saw the police vehicles (who had not turned on any emergency lights) and began driving recklessly. The suspect crashed into another vehicle at University at Donahoe and continued to flee onto US 101. Officers then lost sight of the suspect vehicle.

Detectives took over this investigation and began tracking the suspect, utilizing several investigation tools, including Flock. On August 12, 2026, the suspect was located and safely taken into custody in Newark.

- 3) August 10, 2026 – Murder suspect Oakland PD – East Palo Alto Officers were dispatched to a suspicious circumstance. A caller reported that their brother had parked a vehicle with bullet holes in their mother's driveway. The caller also reported the brother had just committed an armed robbery in San Leandro, utilizing a stolen Honda. San Leandro had received the same call and was conducting follow-up to locate the suspect and the vehicle he was driving. San Leandro located video which confirmed the suspects identity and the license plate of the vehicle he was driving. A BOL was broadcast and Oakland Police informed the East Palo Alto Police Department that this suspect was wanted by Oakland for murder.

The vehicle was entered into Flock's hot list. Oakland located the vehicle and attempted a traffic stop. The suspect refused to stop and led Oakland on a pursuit into East Palo Alto. Once in East Palo Alto, tire deflation tools were used to try and safely stop the suspect. The suspect continued to flee and eventually stopped prior to fleeing from the vehicle on foot. A large perimeter was established, a long search was conducted, and unfortunately the suspect was not located.



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On August 11, a concerned resident called and informed East Palo Alto Officers that the suspect was currently at the Ravenswood Shopping Center. The suspect was located and attempted to flee on foot. The suspect was safely taken into custody and booked into jail on Oakland's murder warrant.

- 4) August 26, 2026 – Shooting – East Palo Alto Officers were dispatched to a ShotSpotter at the Light Tree's Apartment complex. Officers located evidence of a shooting and reviewed video footage. The video provided evidence of the suspect shooting at a dog, as well as the vehicle the suspect was driving. Officers utilized Flock to locate the vehicle and license plate, which confirmed it was in the area during the crime. A BOL was sent out. Belmont Police located the suspect, who was safely arrested and booked into jail. The firearm was recovered.
- 5) August 27, 2026 – Armed robbery – East Palo Alto Officers were dispatched to an armed robbery that had just occurred. The victim provided Officers with a suspect vehicle description and photo of the vehicle. Officers utilized Flock and located the suspect vehicle in the general area during the crime. Patrol units and Detectives began looking for the vehicle, which had several other Flock hits showing that it was still in East Palo Alto. Officers located the vehicle unoccupied and began surveilling it. Shortly thereafter, the suspect returned to the vehicle and was safely taken into custody. The suspect was booked into jail.
- 6) August 30, 2026 – Robbery – East Palo Alto Officers were dispatched to a robbery that just occurred. Officers obtained the suspect descriptions and the description of the vehicle they fled in. Officers utilized Flock and located the suspect vehicle and license plate number. Officers entered the suspect vehicle into the wanted vehicle system. Milpitas Police received a Flock hit of this robbery vehicle entering their city. Milpitas Officers located the vehicle just over two hours after our robbery and conducted a traffic stop. Both suspects in the vehicle were positively identified from our robbery, arrested, and booked into jail.