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Subject: Response to Missouri Sunshine Law Request - Flock Safety System Audits and Metadata

Dear Michael:

The City of Seneca received your public records request dated January 14, 2026, pursuant to Chapter 610 of the Missouri Revised Statutes (the "Sunshine Law"). Your request seeks two categories of information:

1. The last three audits of the City's Flock surveillance systems conducted under CJIS standards or other requirements, including dates, reports, anomalies investigated, whether such anomalies were cleared or sustained, pass/fail results for the department, and the auditor who performed the audit; and
2. The metadata from the file system where these audits reside, including file name, creation time, modify time, and other fields, provided in screenshot form.

After conducting a thorough search, the City must inform you that there are no records responsive to your request. Given that the City has only had Flock's system operational for a few months, there has never been any audit, whether under CJIS standards or any other requirements. As the Missouri Court of Appeals held in *Sansone v. Governor of Missouri*, 648 S.W.3d 13, 23 (Mo. App. W.D. 2022), "The Sunshine Law only requires that governmental agencies provide access to records then in existence, and in the agencies' possession or under their control." The Sunshine Law does not require the City to create records that do not currently exist.

With respect to your request for metadata "from the file system where these audits reside," there are likewise no records responsive to this request. The metadata you have requested does not exist as a record maintained by the City of Seneca.

Should you have questions about this response, please do not hesitate to contact my office.

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Very truly yours,

WOOD & PETERSON, LLC.

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Will Peterson". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

William E. Peterson

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CC: City of Seneca; File