

Material Events Timeline

Vigilant history, Flock pre-contract access, procurement, approval, installation and sharing

Date	Event	Type	What it establishes	Source
2020-11-16	Vigilant Solutions purchase order	Historical ALPR/data service	ACSO had a paid Vigilant investigative-data subscription years before the Flock camera contract.	PO 21202 Vigilant Solutions SO 11.16.20.pdf
2021-2023	Vigilant subscription renewals	Historical ALPR/data service	The Vigilant subscription continued across multiple fiscal years.	Vigilant PO 22188.pdf; Vigilant PO 23222.pdf; Vigilant Claim.pdf
2023-06-12	Flock sales outreach begins after referral involving Sheriff Redman	Vendor outreach	Flock initiated substantive contact and proposed a discussion/demo.	Re: Flock ALPR - referred by Sheriff Redman.eml (quoted chain)
2023-07-06	Flock platform introduction/demo meeting scheduled	Meeting/demo	ACSO and Flock scheduled a product introduction and demonstration.	Fwd: Invitation: Amador Co SO x Flock - intro and demo of platform.eml
2023-07-18	Captain Benov and Flock sales representative confer	Sales call	ACSO sought mapping/location and contract discussions.	Invitation: Capt Benov call Caroline.eml; follow-up chain
2023-07-20 to 2023-07-24	Flock MOU sent, signed, and mutually completed	Access agreement	The MOU was intended to grant Flock-system access, permit requests for other agencies' cameras, and enable searches. The signed MOU file itself was not produced.	Re: Amador Co SO and Flock Safety - MOU access next steps.eml; Aug. 31 forwarded chain
2023-08-08	Mapping strategy call scheduled	Planning/mapping	Camera siting and deployment planning occurred before Board approval.	Invitation: Amador Co SO x Flock Safety - mapping strategy call.eml
2023-08-16	Flock organization and first ACSO administrator accounts created	Account creation	Flock created the ACSO organization and administrator accounts for Jarret Benov and Jeremy Martin.	Audit 2023 to Feb 2025.csv; account-setup/sharing email chain
2023-08-16	Galt PD access confirmed during setup	Shared-camera access	A Flock representative stated Galt PD had granted ACSO access, supporting immediate use of another agency's network.	Account/setup email chain
2023-08-17 onward	Multiple agencies send camera-sharing invitations	Agency sharing	ACSO was invited to access networks in California and other states. Invitations do not alone prove role assignment or actual access.	Cal-Fire, Akron, Adrian, Mahoning, Clearwater, Baldwin County, Orange County, Roseville and other sharing EMLs

2023-08-31	Flock supplies deployment maps, cost quote, and draft legal agreement	Procurement/planning	Flock and ACSO were planning a 16-camera deployment and discussing County counsel review well before the 2025 Board item. The linked maps and generated quote were not preserved in the production.	Fwd: Amador Co x Flock Safety - follow up information.eml and attached draft agreement
2023-08 to 2023-12	ACSO conducts 219 Flock searches	Operational use	Searches were performed more than a year before the County camera contract.	Searches by month 2023 to June 2026.csv
2023-09-25	ACSO describes itself as operating under Flock's free plan	Free-tier use/training	Personnel were told to use the system, complete training/certification, and document case/reason information while on a free plan.	Flock Access.eml
2023-10-10	Vigilant issues renewal quote for LEARN investigative-data platform	Alternative/current vendor record	A Vigilant subscription renewal was priced at \$8,715. The record does not compare Vigilant with Flock.	LMP-2214-01.pdf
2023-2024	Many ACSO user accounts are created and administered	User access	Dozens of ACSO personnel accounts and role/admin events existed before County camera approval.	Audit 2023 to Feb 2025.csv
2024-01-16	Flock announces end of broad free access effective April 1, 2024	Account-tier change	ACSO was told it would move to Community Tier, with broad public/state/national and direct LE sharing reserved for paying customers.	Upcoming changes to your Agency's Flock Access.eml
2024-01 to 2024-12	ACSO conducts 1,527 Flock searches	Operational use	Search activity continued throughout 2024, but the production does not identify the governing account tier or data scope after April 1.	Searches by month 2023 to June 2026.csv
2024-09-10 to 2024-09-23	PG&E provides \$10,000 charitable contribution for LPR project	Funding	PG&E funding was directed toward the LPR project.	R-112389 County of Amador PGE.pdf
2025-01-09 to 2025-01-29	ACSO and Flock restart budget/quote/contract activity	Procurement	ACSO assembled funding from multiple sources and advanced a ten-camera Phase 1 purchase. Flock supplied a vendor-authored sole-source letter.	Re: Flock Safety - reconnect.eml; Flock Safety Phase 1 Quote.eml; Flock Safety Next Steps.eml

2025-02-19	ACSO identifies conflict between 30-day retention and one-year policy	Policy/retention	Captain Martin explicitly asked for clarification so he could make necessary changes; Flock said one-year retention costs extra and default data deletes after 30 days.	Re: Follow-Up.eml chain
2025-02-19	ACSO asks about LensLock partnership and in-car LPR capability/cost	Product expansion interest	This is affirmative ACSO interest in mobile/in-car LPR, distinct from generic vendor marketing.	Re: Follow-Up.eml chain
2025-02-24	Deployment plan approval/ document routing occurs	Implementation/ procurement	Implementation was being finalized immediately before the Board item.	Re: Deployment Plan Approval.eml and attached draft agreement
2025-02-25	Board of Supervisors approves Flock project	Formal approval	The County's own ten-camera project moved forward on the consent agenda.	Board-related email chain; contract/procurement records
2025-03-12	Flock reports pending camera-share requests and permission categories	Sharing configuration	Share requests could include Search, Hot List, VMS live, VMS historical, and VMS download permissions; pending status is distinct from active access.	Action Requested: Pending Flock Camera Share Requests.eml
2025-03 to 2025-04	Kickoff/deployment meetings occur	Implementation	Flock and ACSO began implementation after approval.	Kickoff calendar EMLs and follow-up messages
2025-05-14	Deployment digest shows 0 of 10 cameras live	Installation	No County cameras were live at this point despite pre-existing Flock search activity.	Upcoming Deployment Activity emails
2025-05-23	First installation date listed at Ridge/Highway 88	Installation	The first listed County camera install occurred in late May 2025.	Camera Install Sheet.csv
2025-07-09	Deployment digest reports 3 cameras live	Installation	County camera activation was progressing in stages.	Upcoming Deployment Activity email
2025-07 to 2025-08	Admin/user training and recorded training resources distributed	Training	ACSO conducted formal implementation training after installations began.	FLOCK Admin User Training.eml; 8/13 Flock Admin Training.eml
2025-08-28	Deployment digest reports 5 cameras live	Installation	Half of the contracted devices were live.	Upcoming Deployment Activity email
2025-09 to 2025-12	Additional cameras installed; 8 installed/live by late 2025	Installation	The production identifies eight install entries; two of ten contracted devices remain insufficiently documented in the install sheet.	Camera Install Sheet.csv; deployment emails

2026-03-03	ACSO requests San Rafael ALPR data access	Sharing/access	ACSO sought another agency's ALPR data under that agency's terms.	ALPR acknowledgement record referenced in prior production; not in current ZIP
2026-06	Sharing reports generated	Sharing/access	The reports list 224 outgoing organizations and 187 incoming organizations, but omit dates, status, permissions, and actual-use details.	Agencies Allowed Access to ACSO Data.csv; Networks Shared With ACSO.csv
2026-07-06	Fiscal staff summarizes Flock/Vigilant funding records	Funding/accounting	The email identifies Homeland Security, SCIP, PG&E/minor-equipment, and tax payment amounts and attaches historical Vigilant/Flock payment records.	Flock & Vigilant.eml and attachments