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RE: FOIL Reference #2026-00989
TNPD Flock question mailbox and records behind presentation claims

RE: Under Article 6 of the Public Officers Law I request the following, June 1, 2026 to date except where noted, held by the Police Department or any Town office. Administrative records only; I am not requesting plate data, images, video, audio or any investigative file.

1. Records reflecting the creation of flock-questions-comments@townofnewburgh.org: date created, at whose direction, and who receives and administers it.
2. All messages to and from that address, and any template response used to answer them. Private individuals' contact details may be redacted.
3. Records reflecting the Department's Flock network sharing settings, including any setting excluding federal agencies from statewide or national lookup, and the date any such setting was last changed.
4. Records reflecting whether a documented search reason and incident number are required for each search, including any configuration record or directive imposing it.
5. Any audit of ALPR system use conducted under Policy 424.6(c), and any record of departmental review of Flock audit logs.
6. Any written directive, order, policy or memorandum implementing the statement in the September 2026 "Flock Facts" presentation that "No enforcement action will be taken on an unverified LPR alert alone." If Policy 424.4(f) is the only responsive record, please so state.
7. Aggregate totals for searches of Flock data run by Department users, and Department cases in which Flock data was used, March 1, 2024 to date. Totals only, no case-identifying information.

Provide records electronically in the format maintained per Sec. 87(5), certify non-possession per Sec. 89(3)(a) where applicable, and for any denial state the specific exemption per record, its particularized basis, and my appeal rights and appeal officer per Sec. 89(4)(a).

FREEDOM OF INFORMATION - ACKNOWLEDGEMENT LETTER

09/04/2026

Dear Joshua Huckabee:

Your FOIL request dated 09/03/2026 was received by the Town of Newburgh on 09/04/2026.

The request is being reviewed and we anticipate you will be contacted regarding your request no later than 10/02/2026.

Access to the records, in whole or part, will be determined in accordance with Article 89 section 5 of the Freedom of Information Law.

Once the research has been completed and the requested documents are made available to the Town Clerk's office, we in turn will forward the information via email. However, some information requested, such as full property inspections or property survey's, are too large to be sent by email and will need to be reviewed or picked up in person at the Town Clerk's office. Pursuant to FOIL, a fee of $.25 per page for photocopies not exceeding 9'x14' will be charged. All other fees will be based on the material requested. You may make an appointment to view the records prior to copying to avoid cumbersome fees.

Thank you in advance for your cooperation. If you have any questions, or require further information, please do not hesitate to contact us.