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### CUSTOMER IMPLEMENTATION GUIDE LAW ENFORCEMENT

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## **IMPLEMENTATION TIMELINE**

This timeline provides general guidance and understanding of your installation process. While we typically complete installations 6-8 weeks after locations have been finalized, delays can occur as noted in the timeline below:

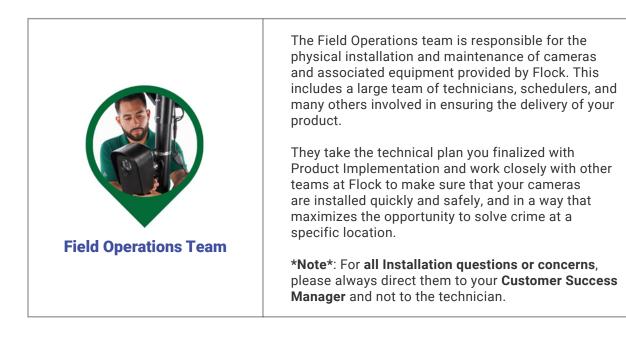
REVIEW		CONFIRM CAMERA LOCATIONS WITH YOUR SALES REPRESENTATIVE
LOCATIONS		Flock: Your Sales representative will present several viable options for camera locations
		<b>Customer:</b> Review Deployment Plan & approve camera locations <b>Please Note:</b> If Public Works is required to move forward, please obtain approval.
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FINALIZE	_	PREPARE FOR FINALIZED CAMERA LOCATIONS
LOCATIONS		<ul> <li>Flock: Confirm Deployment Plan and signed agreement. Flock will move forward with next steps for locations that don't need permits (minimum 10 locations needed to move forward with partial installation)</li> <li>Customer: Prepare the below items, as needed         <ul> <li>If permits are required, begin application process</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
		<ul> <li>If cameras will be AC-powered, hire an <u>electrician/street department</u></li> </ul>
STEP 1	-	CONDUCT ON-SITE SURVEY & PLACE FLAGS:
		<b>Flock:</b> Flock technician conducts site survey to (1) evaluate solar or power access, (2) check line of sight to the road, and (3) evaluate cellular service in the area. When the technician deems the locations suitable, s/he will place a white flag at each spot. <b>Please Note:</b> If the initially determined locations don't meet Flock standards, we will evaluate a new location, obtain customer approval, and redo a site survey. This may push timeline for installation.
STEP 2	_	CALL 811
		<b>Flock:</b> Flock Safety will coordinate with Call 811 to mark each camera location for underground utilities within a 10-foot radius. <b>Please Note:</b> Call811 is a government service, so turnaround times may vary and is outside of Flock control.
STEP 3	_	SCHEDULE INSTALLATION
		<b>Flock:</b> Flock will (1) ship any site specific materials that the technician does not have locally (2) schedule the installation date.
STEP 4	_	INSTALL & VALIDATE CAMERAS
		<b>Flock:</b> After installation, your Customer Success Manager will confirm that cameras are capturing footage well and functioning properly. They will then give you full access to the system along with helpful training resources.
ONGOING		FINALIZE ANY INSTALLATION NEEDS
AS NEEDED		<b>Flock:</b> While we typically complete installations within 4 weeks of finalizing locations, delays may occur due to external factors. In these instances, we will continue to work through this process until your cameras are fully installed and operational.



## **IMPLEMENTATION TEAM**

FLOCK TEAM	HOW WILL THEY SUPPORT YOU	
	Your <b>Customer Success Manager</b> is your <b>strategic partner</b> for your lifetime as a Flock customer.	
Customer Success	They will be your guide through the installation process. After install, they will help you understand how best to leverage the Flock Safety tool to solve crime. You should reach out to them when you want to discuss: • Training • Benefits of features • Best practices for getting relevant data	
Manager	<ul> <li>Opportunities to expand the security network in your area</li> <li>Feedback on your partnership with Flock</li> </ul>	
Flock Safety Support	The Flock Safety Support team is committed to answering all your day-to-day questions as quickly as possible. To <b>get in touch with support</b> , simply email <b>support@flocksafety.com</b> . Support can help you: • Request camera maintenance • Troubleshoot online platform • Contract / Billing questions • Update account information • Camera Sharing questions • Quick "How to" questions in your Flock Account	
	Your <b>Product Implementation Specialist</b> is your <b>technical product expert</b> . They will help translate your goal for using Flock Safety cameras into a technical plan that can be executed and enable you to solve crime. Your specialist will work with you to: • Review the cameras in your deployment • Ensure that the deployment plan is set up for success from a technological standpoint in addition to meeting your goals for the product	
Product Implementation Specialist	<ul> <li>If any of your locations require permits, a member of the Product Implementation team will assist you in packaging your application(s).</li> </ul>	

## **IMPLEMENTATION TEAM**



**Please Note:** On some occasions, third parties outside of Flock Safety may be (or need to be) involved in your implementation.

OUTSIDE PARTY	WHEN THEY MAY BE INVOLVED	
Electrician/Street Department	If your Flock cameras need to be AC powered, you (customer) are responsible for providing an electrician to ensure power connectivity	
Public Works (LE)	To weigh in on use of public Right of Ways or property	
Department of Transportation (DOT), City, or County Agencies	If installation in your area requires permitting	



## THINGS TO CONSIDER WHEN PICKING LOCATIONS

#### **Falcon Cameras**

- Use Cases
  - Flock LPRs are designed to capture images of rear license plates, aimed in the direction of traffic.
  - Flock LPRs are not designed to capture pedestrians, sidewalks, dumpsters, gates, other areas of non-vehicle traffic, intersections
- Placement
  - They capture vehicles driving away from an intersection.
  - They cannot point into the middle of an intersection.
  - They should be placed after the intersection, to prevent stop and go motion activation, or "stop and go" traffic.
- Mounting
  - They can be mounted on existing utility, light, or traffic signal poles, or 12 foot Flock poles. **\*\*NOTE\*\*** Permitting (or permission from pole owner) may be required in order to use existing infrastructure or install in specific areas, depending on local regulations & policies.
  - They should be mounted one per pole\*. If using AC power, they can be mounted 2 per pole.
    - \*Cameras need sufficient power. Since a solar panel is required per camera, it can prevent sufficient solar power if 2 cameras and 2 solar panels were on a single pole (by blocking visibility). Therefore if relying on solar power, only one camera can be installed per pole.
- They can be powered with solar panels or direct wire-in AC Power (no outlets). \*\*NOTE\*\* Flock does not
  provide Electrical services. The agency or community must work with an electrician to wire the cameras
  once installed. Electrician services should be completed within 2 days of installation to prevent the camera
  from dying.
- They will require adequate cellular service using AT&T or T-Mobile to be able to process & send images
- Any Flock equipment mounted over 14 feet or on a horizontal beam will require a bucket truck. If mounting in this way:
  - Flock will request use of a bucket truck through the customer or Public Works
  - If a bucket truck is not available through the customer, Flock will have to procure one.
- \*\*Note\*\* This will lead to delays on install & any subsequent maintenance visits based on bucket truck availability
- Flock will likely require traffic control assistance provided by customer to install or provide maintenance with a bucket truck

#### **Solar Panels**

· Solar panels need unobstructed southern-facing views

## CUSTOMER RESPONSIBILITIES: AC-POWERED CAMS

In the event your Flock cameras need to be AC-powered, the customer is responsible for acquiring an electrician and ensuring they connect the camera to power. *See steps 2 and 6 below*.



Visit flocksafety.com/power-install for the full plan, FAQs & to get started!



## **ELECTRICIAN HANDOUT**

#### **Electrician Installation Steps**

- Run AC cable and conduit to the box according to NEC Article 300 and any applicable local codes. The gland accepts ½" conduit
- 2. Open the box using hinges
- 3. Connect AC Mains per wiring diagram below:
  - a. Connect AC Neutral wire to the Surge Protector white Neutral wire using the open position on the lever nut.
  - b. Connect AC Line wire to the Surge Protector black Line wire using the open position on the lever nut.
  - c. Connect AC Ground wire to the Surge Protector green ground wire using the open position on the lever nut.
- 4. Verify that both the RED LED is lit on the front of the box
- 5. Close box and zip tie the box shut with the provided zip tie
- While still on site, call Flock who will remotely verify that power is working correctly:

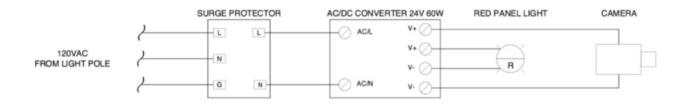
Southeast Region - (678) 562-8766

West-Region - (804) 607-9213

Central & NE Region - (470) 868-4027







## FAQS ABOUT AC-POWERED FLOCK CAMERAS

#### What voltage is supported?

The AC kit is designed to work with 120VAC infrastructure by default. A 240VAC version is available on request.

#### How much power does this consume?

Peak current draw is 1.5 A at 120VAC. Average power draw is roughly 30W in high traffic conditions, but may be lower when less vehicles are present.

#### Who is responsible for contracting the electrician?

The customer is responsible for contracting an electrician. We can help answer questions, but the customer is responsible for identifying and contracting an electrician.

#### Who is responsible for maintenance?

Flock will handle all maintenance related to the camera and power equipment installed by Flock. However, any problems with the electrical supply are the responsibility of the customer. The AC junction box has two lights to indicate the presence of power and make it easy for quick diagnosis if there is a problem related to the AC power source.

In the event the camera indicates to Flock that there is a power supply problem, Flock will notify the customer and request that the customer verify the lights on the AC junction box. If the AC Source light is illuminated, Flock will send a technician to investigate. If the AC source light is not illuminated the customer should check any GFCI's or breakers in the supply circuit or call the electrician who installed the power supply.

#### How much does it cost?

Work required to bring AC power to each location will be different, so exact pricing is not possible. The primary driver of cost is the distance from AC power source to the intended camera location.



#### What information do I need to provide my electrician?

The Flock deployment plan and these work instructions should be sufficient to secure a quote. It will be helpful if you know the location of existing power infrastructure before creating the deployment plan.

#### Can you plug into my existing power outlet?

The Flock AC power adapter does not use a standard outlet plug, but must be directly wired into the power mains. While using outlet plugs may be convenient, they can easily be unplugged presenting a tampering risk to this critical safety infrastructure. If an outlet is close to the camera, the electrician can route power directly to the camera with a direct wire-in connection.

#### How long does this process typically take?

The installation process typically takes 6-8 weeks. In order to accelerate the process, be sure to have the electrician perform his work shortly after the Flock technician finishes installing the camera.

#### What kind of electrician should I look for?

Any licensed electrician should be able to perform this work, though we have found that those who advertise working with landscape lighting are most suited for this work.

#### What happens if the electrician damages the equipment?

The customer is responsible for contracting the electrician. Any liability associated with this work would be assumed by the customer. If any future work is required at this site due to the electrical infrastructure or the work performed by the electrician would be the responsibility of the customer.

#### When should the electrician perform his work?

Once Flock installs the camera, you will receive an email alert letting you know that this has been completed. After this, you will need to schedule the electrician to route power to the pole.

#### What if my electrician has questions about Flock's AC Kit?

You should share the AC-Power Kit Details packet with the electrician if they have questions.

#### What if the AC power is on a timer?

Sometimes the AC power will be on a timer (like used for exterior lighting). Flock requires that the AC power provided to the camera be constant. The source that the electrician uses must not be on a timing circuit.



## **INSTALLATION SERVICE BRIEF**

Below outlines the statement of work for your Flock Camera Installation:

WHAT IS COVERED BY FLOCK	WHAT IS NOT COVERED BY FLOCK	SPECIAL NOTE
Flock Cameras & Online Platform	Traffic Control and any associated costs	
Mounting Poles	Electrician & ongoing electrical cost	
AC Power Kit (as needed)	Engineering Drawings	
Solar Panels (as needed)	Relocation Fees	exc. changes during initial installation
Site Surveys and Call 811 Scheduling	Contractor licensing fees	
Installation Labor Costs	Permit application processing fees	
Customer Support / Training	Specialist mounting equipment	Including, but not limited to, *MASH poles or adapters
Cellular Data Coverage	Bucket trucks	
Maintenance Fees (review Fees Sheet for more details)	Loss, theft, damage to Flock equipment	
Data storage for 30 days	Camera downtime due to power outage	Only applicable for AC-powered cameras

\*MASH poles: Manual for Assessing Safety Hardware (MASH) presents uniform guidelines for crash testing permanent and temporary highway safety features and recommends evaluation criteria to assess test results

## PERMITTING: PRE-INSTALL QUESTIONNAIRE

#### 1. Timeline

- In Flock Safety's experience, in-depth permitting requirements can add 2+ months to the installation timeline. Law enforcement agencies and city governments can work with their local Public Works or Department of Transportation offices directly to help expedite the process. When Flock Safety customers manage the permitting processes, results tend to come more quickly.
- Is your agency able to own the permitting process with Flock Safety's assistance?

#### 2. Right of Way

- Will any of the Flock Safety cameras be installed on city, state or power company owned poles or in city, county, or state Right of Way (RoW)?
  - What is the RoW buffer?
  - Will additional permits or written permission be required from third-party entities (such as DOT, power company, public works, etc)?
- Will any cameras be installed on city-owned traffic signal poles (vertical mass)?
  - If yes, please provide heights/photos to determine if a bucket truck is needed for the installation.
     Note: If height is greater than 15 feet tall, a bucket truck is required.

#### 3. AC Power vs. Solar

• If AC powered, is there a 120V power source available, and is there access to an electrician who can connect the existing wire to the Flock Safety powered installation kit?

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- If solar powered, consider the size of the solar panel and potential to impact visibility of DOT signs/signals:
  - Single Panel: 21.25" x 14" x 2" (Length x Width x Depth)
  - Double Panel: 21.25" x 28" x 2" (LxWxD)





#### 4. Traffic Control & Installation Methods

- If a bucket truck is required, this typically necessitates a full lane to be blocked in the direction of travel. Can you provide a patrol car escort, or will full traffic control be required?
  - Note: If traffic control is required, you may incur additional costs due to city/state requirements; Fees will be determined by quotes received.
- If full traffic control required (cones, arrowboards, etc.):
  - Will standard plans suffice, or are custom plans needed? Custom plans can double the cost, while standard plans can be pulled from the Manual of Uniform Traffic Control Devices (**MUTCD**).
  - Will a non-sealed copy of the traffic plan suffice? Or does the traffic plan need to be sealed and/or submitted by a professional engineer?
  - Are there state-specific special versions/variances that must be followed?
- If a bucket truck is *not* required, the shoulder or sidewalk should suffice and enable Flock Safety to proceed without traffic control systems in place.
  - Note: In some states (i.e. California), sidewalks may require signage. If signage is mandatory, Will your Public Works department be able to assist?

#### 5. Paperwork & Required Forms

• Flock Safety will need copies of paperwork to complete prior to proceeding (ex. business license applications, encroachment permit applications). We can save critical time by gathering these documents upfront. We appreciate your assistance in procuring these.

#### 6. Contacts

- If Flock Safety will need to interface directly with the departments, please share the contact information of the following departments:
  - Permitting
  - Public Works
  - Traffic Department



## **FEE SCHEDULING**

#### **\*Fee Schedule**

After a deployment plan with Designated Locations and equipment has been agreed upon by both Flock and the Customer, any subsequent changes to the deployment plan ("Reinstalls") driven by a Customer's request will incur a fee per the table below.

All fees are per reinstall or required visit (in the case that a reinstall is attempted but not completed) and include labor and materials. If you have any questions, please email **support@flocksafety.com**.

See the most up to date information;



\*Below fee schedule is subject to change;

REINSTALL OR JOB TYPE	REINSTALL FEE
Camera or pole relocation	\$150
Camera replacement as result of vandalism, theft, or third party damage	\$500
Pole replacement as a result of vandalism, theft, or third party damage	\$150
Pole upgrade	\$300
Angle Adjustment - Customer request	\$125
Installation of additional Flock Safety sign (including cost of sign)	\$100
Convert camera to use of electrical outlet (excluding cost of electrical work)	\$150
Other site visit/technician visit that does not result in a reinstall being required	\$150



### **HELP CENTER**

Our Help Center is filled with tons of resources to help you navigate through the online platform. Below you will find some common questions and their relevant help article:

How do I search camera footage?

How do I add a user?

How do I add a vehicle to my own Hot List?

How do I enable browser notifications for Hot List alerts?

How do I get text alerts for Hot List?

How do I request camera access from other nearby agencies?

How do I use the National Lookup to search for a plate? (National Lookup - network of law enforcement agencies that have opted to allow their Flock cameras to be used for searches)

How do I reset my / another user's password?

## **CUSTOMER SUPPORT**

You can reach our customer support team anytime by emailing support@flocksafety.com. They can help answer any "How-To" questions you may have.

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