

TRANSMITTAL

TO
The City Council

DATE
11/25/2025

FROM
The Mayor

**REQUEST FOR LOS ANGELES POLICE FOUNDATION DONATION OF AUTOMATED
LICENSE PLATE RECOGNITION CAMERAS, VALUED AT \$35,000.00 FOR WILSHIRE AREA
(BPC 25-292)**

Approve and transmitted for your consideration.
Please see attached.



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(Mitch Kamin for)

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October 28, 2025

BPC #25-292

The Honorable Karen Bass
Mayor, City of Los Angeles
City Hall, Room 303
Los Angeles, CA 90012

Dear Honorable Mayor:

RE: LOS ANGELES POLICE FOUNDATION DONATION OF AUTOMATED LICENSE
PLATE RECOGNITION CAMERAS, VALUED AT \$35,000.00 FOR WILSHIRE AREA

At the regular meeting of the Board of Police Commissioners held on Tuesday, October 28, 2025, the Board APPROVED the Department's report regarding the above-referenced matter.

Accordingly, this report is respectfully submitted for your consideration and approval.

Respectfully,

BOARD OF POLICE COMMISSIONERS

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MARIA SILVA
Commission Executive Assistant II

Attachment

c: Chief of Police

INTRADEPARTMENTAL CORRESPONDENCE

BPC 25-292

October 8, 2025
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Reviewed: DS
Executive Director

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10/23/25
Date

TO: The Honorable Board of Police Commissioners

FROM: Chief of Police

SUBJECT: APPROVAL OF NON-MONETARY DONATION

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POLICE COMMISSION

RECOMMENDED ACTION

- 1. That the Board of Police Commissioners APPROVE the Department's Report and TRANSMIT to the Mayor and City Council for ACCEPTANCE of the following non-monetary donation valued at \$35,000.00 for Wilshire Area.

DONOR:

Los Angeles Police Foundation
Ms. Dana Katz, Executive Director
633 West 5th Street, Suite 960
Los Angeles, California 90071
(213) 489-4636

PURPOSE:

Wilshire ALPR
Cameras (#2025-123)

VALUE:

\$35,000.00

DISCUSSION

This donation will provide funding for Wilshire Area to purchase and install Automated License Plate Recognition (ALPR) camera equipment in and around neighborhoods that have been victim of the rise of residential burglaries. Approval of this donation will benefit the Department and Wilshire Area community by facilitating the implementation of several new technology initiatives in support of crime reduction, crime determent, situational awareness, and officer safety. In addition, the Department will benefit from the donation as it will support the Department as a national leader in policing technology. Below is a list of items to be donated, along with their estimated value.

Items	Value
Five Flock Safety ALPR cameras and five- year warranty	\$ 28,499.45
Bureau of Street Lighting permit, pole degradation, and installation	4,750.00
Reserve for maintenance	1,750.55
Total	\$ 35,000.00

The Los Angeles Police Foundation is an independent, not-for-profit organization that provides critical resources and vital support to the Los Angeles Police Department (LAPD). From essential equipment and state-of-the-art technology to specialized training and innovative programs that would otherwise be unfunded, the Foundation provides funding that directly improves public safety, impacts officer readiness, and enhances the quality of life of all members of the community. As the largest source of private support for the LAPD, the Foundation is passionately dedicated to ensuring that Los Angeles remains America's safest major city. Since being established in 1998, the Foundation has invested tens of millions of dollars in hundreds of LAPD initiatives that promote excellence, expand capabilities, strengthen neighborhoods and create opportunities for at-risk youth. These actions are grounded in the beliefs that a safe city is a strong city and that together we can make a difference.

The donation has been submitted in accordance with Section 5.467 et seq. of the Los Angeles Administrative Code, which provides for the receipt and acceptance of donations to the Department.

If you have any questions, please contact Captain Michael Rippe, Wilshire Area, at (213) 473-0558.

Respectfully,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Jim McDonnell". The signature is stylized and cursive.

JIM McDONNELL
Chief of Police

Attachments



APPROVED DONATION

633 W. 5th Street, Suite 960, Los Angeles, CA 90017

Phone (213) 489-4636 FAX (213) 489-4697

email: jacqui@supportlapd.org

10/1/2025

LAPF Grant # 2025-123

Grant Application Received: September 29, 2025

Grant received from: Wilshire Division

Contact: Captain Michael Rippe

Phone: (213) 473-0558

Grant Name: Wilshire ALPR Cameras

Grant Amount: \$35,000.00

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INTRADEPARTMENTAL CORRESPONDENCE

September 16, 2025
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TO: Director, Office of Constitutional Policing and Policy

FROM: Commanding Officer, Wilshire Area

SUBJECT: LOS ANGELES POLICE FOUNDATION GRANT REQUEST
-- RESTRICTED ACCOUNT

NAME OF REQUEST: Automated License Plate Recognition (ALPR)

It is requested that Wilshire Area be approved for the dispersal of privately donated funds from the Los Angeles Police Foundation (LAPF), in the amount of \$35,000.00. Approval will allow the Department to purchase and install Automated License Plate Recognition (ALPR) camera equipment in and around neighborhoods that have been victim of the rise of residential burglaries.

Approval of this grant benefits the Department and Wilshire Area community by facilitating the implementation of several new technology initiatives in support of crime reduction, crime determent, situational awareness, and officer safety. In addition, the Department overall will benefit from the donation as it will support the Department as a national leader in policing technology.

Category / Items	Amount
Five Flock Safety ALPR cameras and five-year warranty.	\$28,499.45
Bureau of Street Lighting permit, pole degradation, and installation.	\$4,750
Reserve for maintenance	\$1,750.55
Total	\$35,000.00

After the five-year warranty, additional funding will be identified in the event the cameras become inoperable or require additional service.

The five ALPR cameras will be installed at the following locations:

- S. Orlando Avenue/Maryland Drive
- Maryland Drive/S. Sweetzer Avenue
- Maryland Drive/S. La Jolla Avenue
- W. 4th Street/S. Orlando Avenue
- W. 4th Street/S. Sweetzer Avenue

Innovation Management Division advised that the technology meets the Department and City standards. Innovation Management Division personnel may be reached for further questions regarding the equipment.

Director, Office of Constitutional Policing and Policy

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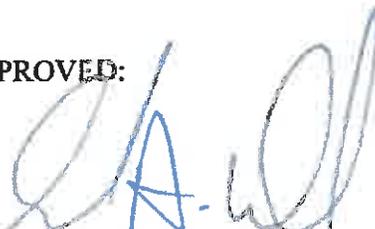
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If you have any questions, please contact Captain III Michael Rippe, Commanding Officer, Wilshire Area, at (213) 473-0558.



MICHAEL RIPPE, Captain
Commanding Officer
Wilshire Area

APPROVED:



GERALD WOODYARD, Deputy Chief
Commanding Officer
Operations-West Bureau

APPROVED:



EMADA E. TINGIRIDES, Assistant Chief
Director, Office of Operations

Attachments