PROTECT YOUR NEIGHBORS

Flock Surveillance Threatens Communities Nationwide

THE SURVEILLANCE NETWORK

Flock Safety operates nationwide surveillance tracking millions of Americans:

- **20 billion vehicle scans/month** across the US • **5,000+ communities** with automated license plate readers
- **4,800+ police departments** with network access • **1,000+ businesses** (Lowe's, Home Depot, malls) sharing feeds
- **Data shared with 50+ agencies** per installation • **Ring & Nest cameras** integrated into network • **30+ days retention**

THE ICE CONNECTION

Flock caught sharing data with ICE, violating sanctuary city policies:

- **July 2024:** SF Police shared Oakland Flock data with federal law enforcement
- **Dec 2024:** Richmond, CA paused Flock after discovering federal access
- **Jan 2025:** ICE, Secret Service, Navy confirmed to have Flock access
- **4,000+ warrantless immigration searches** using local police Flock systems

'Federal Assumption' clauses only work AFTER breaches occur. **Your neighbors' data will already be compromised.**

SECURITY BREACHES

- **March 2024:** Live camera feeds exposed online, police logins stolen by foreign spies
- **May 2024:** Major breach exposed customer info and vehicle tracking data
- **Ongoing:** Multiple unauthorized access incidents reported nationwide

YOUR CAMERA FEEDS IT

Ring + Flock Partnership (Oct 2024): Police can request your Ring footage through 'Community Requests.' Your address and email go to police, footage enters a network with 5,000+ agencies.

Cameras in network: Ring (Amazon) • Nest (Google) • Axon • FedEx, Lowe's, 1,000+ businesses

TAKE ACTION NOW

- ■ **Disable Ring sharing** (see page 2) ■ **Contact City Council** demanding contract rejection/termination
- ■ **Share this flyer** with neighbors ■ **Attend Council meetings** ■ **Check deflock.me** for local installations

FIND YOUR REPRESENTATIVES

Check if your city has Flock: Visit **deflock.me** for interactive installation map

Contact local government: Search '[Your City] city council contact' → Find your district → Email demanding:

• Reject/terminate Flock contracts • Protect sanctuary policies • Transparency on data sharing • No proven crime reduction

RESOURCES

National Organizations:

- EFF: eff.org
- ACLU: aclu.org
- DeFlock: deflock.me
- Fight for Future: fightforthefuture.org

Find Local Support:

- Search '[Your City] immigrant rights'
- Search '[Your City] privacy advocacy'
- Contact your local ACLU chapter
- Join community organizing groups

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PROTECT YOUR PRIVACY
How to Disable Camera Sharing

RING CAMERAS: Disable Community Requests

Ring partners with Flock. Police can request your footage. Opt out:

METHOD 1: Neighbors App
1. Open Neighbors by Ring app
2. Tap menu (■) top-left
3. Select 'Neighborhood Settings'
4. Tap 'Feed Settings'
5. Find 'Community Requests'
6. Uncheck the box
7. Tap 'Apply'

✓ **You're opted out!**

METHOD 2: Ring App
1. Open Ring app
2. Go to 'Control Center'
3. Select 'Public Safety'
4. Opt out of Community Requests

MAXIMUM PRIVACY:
End-to-End Encryption
1. Ring app → Control Center
2. 'Video Encryption'
3. 'Advanced Video Encryption'
4. Enable 'End-to-End Encryption'
5. Turn ON

Disables: Sharing/Alexa | Provides: Complete privacy

NEST CAMERAS: ■■ WARNING

You CANNOT fully opt out of Nest sharing with police. Google reserves right to share without warrant in 'emergencies.' No opt-out available. No end-to-end encryption. Cloud storage up to 60 days. You may not be notified.

If keeping Nest: ■ Disable cloud (local SD only) ■ Reduce retention ■ Limit placement ■ Delete regularly

BETTER: Switch to Privacy-Protecting Cameras

• **Arlo:** Warrant required, local storage • **Wyze:** Warrant required, affordable • **Eufy:** End-to-end encryption • **Apple HomeKit:** Default E2E encryption

COMPARISON

May Share Without Warrant	Protects Your Privacy
✗ Ring (if not opted out)	✓ Arlo
✗ Nest (Google)	✓ Wyze
✗ Amazon Cloud Cam	✓ Eufy
	✓ Apple HomeKit cameras

PRIVACY CHECKLIST

If you have Ring:
■ Community Requests disabled (Neighbors app)
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■ End-to-end encryption ON
■ Two-factor auth enabled
■ Unknown devices removed

If you have Nest:
■ Consider switching to Arlo/Wyze/Eufy
■ If keeping: Disable cloud, use local only
■ Minimize camera coverage
■ Delete footage regularly
■ Review access logs

Everyone:
■ Inform neighbors
■ Share this flyer
■ Email officials
■ Attend Council meetings
■ Check deflock.me
■ Join local organizing

KEY RESOURCES: eff.org (privacy tracking) • aclu.org (civil liberties) • deflock.me (installation map) • fightforthefuture.org • Search '[Your State] ACLU' for local chapter

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