

ROUGHLY EDITED TRANSCRIPT
CITY OF EUGENE
COUNCIL MEETING
SEPTEMBER 22, 2025
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>> HELLO, EVERYONE.

AND WELCOME TO THE SEPTEMBER 22,

2022 -- I'M SORRY, 22, 2025

EUGENE CITY COUNCIL MEETING.

THANK YOU FOR JOINING US IN THIS

HYBRID MEETING FORMAT.

ANYONE WISHING TO ACCESS

REMOTELY CAN WATCH THE LIVE

STREAM AND THE BROADCAST ON

COMCAST 21 OR ACCESS

INSTRUCTIONS ON THE CITY'S

PUBLIC WEBCAST AND MEETING

MATERIALS PAGE.

TONIGHT WILL INCLUDE A COMMENT
PERIOD.

IF YOU WISH TO SPEAK AND HAVE
NOT ALREADY DONE SO, PLEASE FILL
OUT A SPEAKER FORM.

WE WILL ACCEPT REQUEST TO SPEAK
FORMS UNTIL 7:35 AND THEY WILL
GENERATE THE RANDOM ORDER AND
CORRECTLY ENTER SPEAKER'S NAMES
INTO THE PUBLIC RECORD.

THE PUBLIC COMMENT PERIOD WILL
BE 90 MINUTES OR CONCLUDE BY
10:00 P.M., WHICHEVER OCCURS
FIRST.

IF THE NUMBER OF SPEAKERS
EXCEEDS THE TIME WE HAVE
ALLOTTED, WE ENCOURAGE SPEAKERS
TO CONSIDER ABBREVIATING THEIR
REMARKS SO THE MAXIMUM NUMBER OF
SPEAKERS CAN BE HEARD.

I WILL PROVIDE AN UPDATE WHEN WE
SEE THE TOTAL NUMBER OF

SPEAKERS.

THOSE JOINING REMOTELY, YOU ARE
WELCOME TO E-MAIL YOUR COMMENTS
TO CITY COUNCIL.

THAT IS TRUE OF ANYONE OFFERING
COMMENT.

COUNCIL MEETING RULES OF CONDUCT
APPLY TO ALL ATTENDEES IN THE
CHAMBER AND ALSO IN THE LOBBY.

AND INCLUDE NO FLAGS, SIGNS,
LOUD OR DISRUPTIVE LANGUAGE,
NOISE OR CONDUCT THAT OBSTRUCTS
THE BUSINESS OF THE COUNCIL.

PLEASE KEEP THE ROOM QUIET AND
RESPECTFUL OF ALL SPEAKERS.

ONLY THE INDIVIDUAL WHO IS SPEAK
AND GIVING THEIR COMMENT WILL BE
SPEAKING DURING EACH PUBLIC
COMMENT AND YOU ARE WELCOME TO
WAVE YOUR HANDS IN SILENT
SUPPORT.

WE ENCOURAGE THOSE WHO HAVE BEEN
ILL TO JOIN REMOTELY AND WE HAVE

MASKS AVAILABLE IN THE LOBBY.
IN CASE OF EMERGENCY, AND
AUTOMATIC DEFIBRILLATOR ARE IN
THE ROOM AND EXITS TO THE FRONT
AND BACK OF THE ROOM.

THE DOORS TO THE PATIO CAN BE
USED AS NEEDED.

WITH THAT, I CALL TO ORDER THE
SEPTEMBER 222025 MEETING OF THE
EUGENE CITY COUNCIL.

WE BEGIN THIS EVENING WITH A
LAND ACKNOWLEDGEMENT.

SINCE TIME IMMEMORIAL THE
KALAPUYA PEOPLE HAVE ENACTED
SUSTAINABLE LAND PRACTICES.

THIS IS A WAY OF INVITING
COMMUNITIES.

FOLLOWING TREATIES BETWEEN 1851
AND 1855, THE KALAPUYA PEOPLE
WERE FORCIBLY REMOVED TO THE
COAST RESERVATION IN WESTERN
OREGON.

AS WE CONSIDER THE IMPACTS OF

COLONIZATION, WE ACKNOWLEDGE THE
STRENGTH AND RESILIENCY OF
DISPLACED INDIGENOUS PEOPLE.

THE CITY OF EUGENE IS BUILT
WITHIN THE TRADITIONAL HOMELANDS
KNOWN AS KALAPUYA ALEHE.

THEY ARE PART OF THE GRAND RONDE
AND SILETZ.

THEY CONTINUE TO MAKE
CONTRIBUTIONS ACROSS THE LAND.

WE EXPRESS RESPECT FOR THE
POLITICAL SOVEREIGNTY OF TRIBAL
NATIONS AND PEOPLE WHO LIVE IN
THE STATE OF OREGON AND ACROSS
THE NATION.

THE FIRST ITEM ON TONIGHT'S
AGENDA IS COMMITTEE REPORTS AND
ITEMS OF INTEREST FROM COUNCIL.

SO I NOW OPEN THE FLOOR FOR
COMMITTEE REPORTS AND ITEMS OF
INTEREST.

AND WE'LL BEGIN WITH COUNCILOR
GROVES.

>> Groves: THANK YOU, CHAIR.

I'M CHAIR OF THE
INTERGOVERNMENTAL RELATIONS
COMMITTEE AND I HAVE A REPORT.
THE 2025 OREGON LEGISLATURE'S
SPECIAL SECTION IS ACTIVE WITH
HOUSE BILL 3991, AWAITING A
SENATE CHAMBER DISCUSSION AND
VOTE.

THE SENATE IS SCHEDULED TO HAVE
A QUORUM AND TAKE ACTION ON
SEPTEMBER 29.

THE HOUSE PASSED THE BILL THE ON
SEPTEMBER 1.

THE SENATE HAS DELAYED
DELIBERATING THE BILL TO MAKE
SURE ALL 18 DEMOCRATIC SENATORS
ARE PRESENT TO VOTE AND IT IS A
REVENUE BILL THAT REQUIRES A 3/A
MAJORITY IN EACH CHAMBER TO
PASS.

I'M ALSO THE CHAIR OF THE
METROPOLITAN POLICY COMMITTEE,

WHICH IS COMBINED LOCAL
GOVERNMENTS IN THE METRO AREA
AND WE DEAL WITH TRANSPORTATION
ISSUES.

WE ARE ON HOLD WAITING TO SEE
WHAT FUNDING WILL BE AVAILABLE
FOR THE NEXT YEAR.

THE OREGON LEGISLATURE WILL HOLD
LEGISLATIVE DAYS FROM SEPTEMBER
29 TO OCTOBER 1.

THE CITY'S IGR MANAGER WILL BE
IN SALEM MEETING WITH
LEGISLATIVE MEMBERS AND STAFF TO
LAY THE GROUND WORK FOR THE
UPCOMING SHORT SESSION IN
FEBRUARY 2026.

THE IGR COMMITTEE WILL BE
MEETING ON WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 1,
TO DISCUSS A DRAFT PRIORITIES
DOCUMENT REVISIONS TO THE
EXISTING STATE AND FEDERAL
POLICY DOCUMENT AND TO DISCUSS
UPDATING IGR ADMINISTRATIVE

PROCESSES.

THIS FALL AND EARLY WINTER THE
IGR COMMITTEE WILL BE DISCUSSING
AND PROVIDES INPUT ON THESE
ITEMS WITH REGULAR UPDATES TO
THE CITY COUNCIL VIA THE
COMMITTEE REPORTS PROCESS.

CURRENTLY MID JANUARY IS WHEN
THE PRIORITY AND POLICY DOCUMENT
IS SCHEDULED FOR CITY COUNCIL
DELIBERATION AND ACTION.

PLEASE LET YOUR IGR COMMITTEE
MEMBERS, WHICH INCLUDE MYSELF,
COUNCILORS EVANS, YEH, MAYOR
KNUDSON.

THAT COMPLETES THE IGR REPORT.

>> Mayor Knudson: AND COUNCILOR

YEH.

>> Yeh: THANK YOU.

I ATTENDED THE SHELDON McMURPHY
FOOT HOUSE ON THE BUTTE
PROJECTS.

A GRANT FROM THE NATIONAL

ENDOWMENT OF THE HUMANITIES THIS
AUDIO AND VISUAL WALKING TOUR
SHOWS SEVEN DIFFERENT STORIES
FROM THE SKINNER BUTTE AREA AND
THEY ARE HOPING TO ADD MORE.

SHORT HISTORIES INCLUDE A
DIVERSITY OF SUBJECTS AND PEOPLE
HIGH LIGHTING THE RICH HISTORY
OF EVEN THIS SMALL PART OF OUR
COMMUNITY.

LOCAL MUSEUMS PLAY A CRITICAL
ROLE IN COMMUNITIES.

ESPECIALLY NOW AS PARTS OF OUR
GOVERNMENT SEEK TO CONTROL OR
SANITIZE OUR PAST.

RECENT ACTIONS BY THE TRUMP
ADMINISTRATION SUCH AS EXECUTIVE
ORDERS TO REMOVE DIVISIVE AND
ANTI-AMERICAN NARRATIVES FROM
THE SMITHSONIAN AND NATIONAL
PARKS HAVE LED TO CANCELLATIONS,
REMOVALS AND ONGOING THREATS TO
EXHIBITS THAT ADDRESS RACE,

SLAVERY, GENDER, LGBTQ+ AND
INDIGENOUS HISTORIES.

MUSEUMS HAVE RESPONSIBILITY TO
SHARE HISTORY THAT HELPS THE
PUBLIC UNDERSTAND THE FULL
SOMETIMES UNCOMFORTABLE
COMPLEXITY OF THE PAST.

NOT JUST WHAT IS POPULAR OR EASY
TO DIGEST.

THAT INCLUDES HISTORIES OF
OPPRESSION, RESISTANCE,
COLONIZATION, MIGRATION AND
SOCIAL CHANGE.

THE BEST MUSEUMS MAKE SPACE FOR
MULTIPLE PERSPECTIVES,
ESPECIALLY THOSE HISTORICALLY
EXCLUDED AND ENCOURAGE CRITICAL
THINKING, NOT BLIND ACCEPTANCE.
UNFORTUNATELY INSTITUTIONS LIKE
THE SMJ HOUSE MUSEUM CANNOT
CONTINUE TO CREATE RESOURCES AND
PROGRAMMING LIKE THE FOOTNOTES
ON THE BUTTE IF THEY DON'T HAVE

LOCAL SUPPORT.

ESPECIALLY WITH HUGE BUDGET CUTS
TO THE NATIONAL ENDOWMENT TO THE
HUMANITIES THAT MAKE THESE
PROJECTS POSSIBLE.

THESE FEDERAL FUNDS SOURCES ARE
CRITICAL FOR SMALL OFTEN TIME
UNDERFUNDED INSTITUTIONS.

OUR MUSEUMS, OUR ARCHIVES, OUR
LIBRARIES TO BE GUARDIANS OF
TRUTH, TO PRESERVE INFORMATION,
UPLIFT SILENCED VOICES AND
PROVIDE CONTEXT THAT CHALLENGES
REVISIONISM, WE NEED TO BE THEIR
GUARDIANS.

YOU CAN ACCESS FOOTNOTES ON THE
BUTTE FROM SMJ WEBSITE OR
DOWNLOAD BLOOMBERG CONNECTS APP
ON YOUR PHONE AND HAVE ACCESS TO
THESE HISTORIES, THESE
RECORDINGS BY DIVERSE MEMBERS OF
OUR COMMUNITY AND THEY ARE BOTH
AT NO COST.

>> THANK YOU.

COUNCILOR ZELENA.

>> Zelenka: THANK YOU FOR SAYING
THAT, JENNIFER.

I AGREE.

I WAS AT THE PUBLIC SAFETY
COORDINATING COUNCIL LAST
THURSDAY ON THE 18th.

IT IS A DIVERSE GROUP OF
PROVIDERS OF PUBLIC SAFETY.

THE SYSTEMS IN LANE COUNTY ARE
IN BUDGET TROUBLE.

I ENTERED THE MEETING IN AN OKAY
MOOD AND LEFT DEPRESSED.

IN 21-23BIENNIM THEY CONTRIBUTED
\$2 MILLION, 23-25 \$5 MILLION,
25-27, THE GAP IS NOW OVER \$8
MILLION.

IF THAT GAP IS NOT CLOSED BY
EITHER OTHER REVENUE OR WHAT NOT
OR LEGISLATIVELY CLOSED, THERE
ARE SOME DIRE CONSEQUENCES TO
IT.

THE JAIL WILL CUT SIX FTE, THE
COUNTY JAIL AND REDUCE IT'S
ALTERNATIVES TO INCARCERATION
PROGRAM.

PAROLE AND PROBATION WILL HAVE A
35% REDUCTION IN STAFF.

THAT WILL MEAN THAT THEY ARE
LEAVING UNSUPERVISED PAROLEES IN
OUR COUNTY AND CUTS IN THE SEX
DEFENDER UNITS AND ADVOCACY
CAPACITY WILL BE REDUCED.

SPONSORS, A SERVICE TO RELEASE
PRISONS TO HOUSE THEM AND GIVE
THEM SERVICES TO EFFECTIVELY
REINTEGRATE INTO SOCIETY WILL
SEE 388 HIGH-RISK PEOPLE NOT
HAVING HOUSING WHEN THEY EXIT
PRISON.

AND 65% CUT TO CRITICAL NEEDS
FUNDING.

THAT WAS A DEPRESSING MEETING.
THOSE WERE PRETTY BIG NUMBERS
AND NOT A LOT OF SOLUTIONS BEING

TALKED ABOUT AT THE TABLE.

AND WITHOUT THAT, I THINK OUR
PUBLIC SAFETY SYSTEMS AND
CRIMINAL JUSTICE SYSTEMS ARE
GOING TO BE IN DIRE STRAITS IN
THE 25-27 BIENNIUM.

>> Mayor Knudson: COUNCILOR
KEATING.

>> Keating: THANK YOU, MAYOR.
I WANT TO THANK THE EUGENE AREA
CHAMBER OF CONFERENCE FOR THE
FOR THE TREES AT THE EUGENE
SCIENCE CENTER.

I APPRECIATED THE OPPORTUNITY TO
CONNECT WITH LOCAL LEADER.

I WANT TO THANK THE WHITAKER
COMMUNITY COUNCIL TO PRESENT
ALONGSIDE COUNCILOR LEECH AND TO
LEARN ABOUT LIVABILITY, ECONOMIC
AND COMMUNITY SAFETY CONCERNS
REVOLVING AROUND THE POTENTIAL
PORT OF COOS BAY, PROVIDING
TEMPORARY AND PERMANENT

CONSTRUCTION JOBS.

THE SOUTHEAST NEIGHBORS, THE
NEIGHBORHOOD ASSOCIATION FOR
HOSTING ANOTHER SUCCESSFUL
COMMUNITY PICNIC LAST SATURDAY.

IN ADDITION TO THE DOZENS OF
ORGANIZATIONS PRESENT INCLUDING
CITY OF EUGENE, EUGENE POLICE
DEPARTMENT, SCORES OF
NONPROFITS, AND OUR VERY OWN
COUNCILOR JENNIFER YEH IN
ATTENDANCE WITH COMMUNITY
SUPPORTED SHELTERS SO THANK YOU
FOR ATTENDING, PARTICIPATING AND
ALL YOU DO ON THAT FRONT.

FINALLY, I SPENT THE LAST FOUR
DAYS IN DURHAM, NORTH CAROLINA,
PARTICIPATING IN A MUNICIPAL
THINK TANK OF SORTS.

I PRESENTED ON A PANEL AND ENDED
MY TIME AT THIS SUMMIT BY GOING
DOOR TO DOOR ON SATURDAY IN
NORTH CAROLINA ENSURING THE

VOTERS WHO WERE UNFAIRLY AND
ARBITRARILY KICKED OFF THE VOTER
ROLLS HAD A PLAN TO REREGISTER
EITHER IN PERSON, ELECTRONICALLY
OR SNAIL MAIL.

A GOOD TIME IN HISTORY TO
UNDERScore AND APPRECIATE OUR
SYSTEM HERE IN OREGON,
ESPECIALLY OUR HISTORY MAKING
VOTE BY MAIL SYSTEM WHICH
ENCOURAGES MAXIMUM TURNOUT, HAS
A PAPER TRAIL THAT CAN'T BE
HACKED.

SO KUDOS AND PROPS EVERYWHERE I
GO AND AT THESE SUMMITS I LIKE
TO UNDERScore THE AWESOME VOTING
SYSTEM WE HAVE RIGHT HERE IN THE
BEAVER STATE.

THANKS SO MUCH, MAYOR.

>> Mayor Knudson: THANK YOU,
COUNCIL.

I WILL ADD JUST A FEW MORE
UPDATES THAT ARE THEMATICALLY

RELATED AND PROJECTS THIS WEEK
THAT MYSELF AND OTHER COUNCILORS
ARE PROUD TO BE A PART OF.
OUR POVERTY AND HOMELESSNESS
BOARD LAST THURSDAY THE 18th WE
HEARD AN UPDATE FROM OUR COUNTY
PARTNERS REGARDING CHANGES IN
TRAJECTORY WITH FEDERAL FUNDING
AS IT RELATES TO HEALTH AND
HUMAN SERVICES AND HOUSING
CAPACITY, SPECIFICALLY
ADDRESSING THE HOMELESS AND
HOUSING CONCERNS.
VERY HELPFUL PRESENTATION FROM
OUR COUNTY STAFF.
A LOT OF EXPERTISE COMING TO
THOSE ISSUE AREAS, CLEARLY
LAYING OUT THE CHALLENGES AHEAD
AS WE HAVE INCREDIBLE NEED
WITHIN THE ARENAS OF
HOMELESSNESS AND POVERTY AND
SIGNIFICANT SHIFT IN FUNDING
WITH THIS FEDERAL

ADMINISTRATION.

AN UPDATE AT THAT MEETING ON

9/18 THAT WAS VERY HELPFUL.

ALL PARTNERS IN THIS WORK WILL

BE CONTINUING TO DO OUR BEST TO

COORDINATE AND COMMUNICATE IN

WAYS THAT HELP SITUATE OUR

COMMUNITY TO BE RESILIENT AND

ALSO TO WEATHER WHAT LOOK TO BE

CHALLENGING TIMES AHEAD,

ESPECIALLY IN OUR COMMUNITY WHO

ALREADY HAVE THE MOST DIFFICULT

TIME ACCESSING SERVICES AND ARE

THE FARTHEST FROM CURRENTLY

STABLE EXPERIENCE WITHIN OUR

COMMUNITY.

TWO OTHER THINGS TO SHARE.

TWO OTHER UPDATES FROM LAST

WEEK.

ON THE SAME DAY, I HAD THE GREAT

FORTUNE TO HAVE A FULL CIRCLE

MOMENT WITH AFFORDABLE HOUSING

AND COMMUNITY LAND TRUST

PARTNERS IN THE OPENING OF THE
DOVE WEST PROJECT.

OUT IN NORTH AND WEST EUGENE
ACROSS FROM PRAIRIE MOUNTAIN
SCHOOL, WHICH IS A PROJECT OF 40
NEW HOMES AND COMBINATION OF
COMMUNITY LAND TRUST PROJECTS
AND ALSO MIDDLE HOUSING ACROSS
THESE 40 NEW HOMES IN THIS
NEIGHBORHOOD.

IT IS A FANTASTIC LOCATION FOR
NEW HOUSING WITH CLOSE ACCESS TO
PARKS AND SCHOOLS AND JOBS AND
TRANSPORTATION INFRASTRUCTURE.

ALSO REALLY INSPIRING TO LISTEN
TO THOSE PARTNERS DESCRIBE THE
OPPORTUNITY THAT EXISTS WITH
THESE NEW HOMES THAT ARE NOW ON
THE MARKET IN OUR COMMUNITY FOR
ABOUT \$200,000 LESS THAN MARKET
RATE HOUSING.

SO THANK YOU TO ALL OF OUR
PARTNERS, DEB NORTHWEST AND THE

CITY OF EUGENE'S SUPPORT OF
THESE PROJECTS.

THE OTHER UPDATE IS ANOTHER
EXAMPLE OF, I THINK, INSPIRED
COMMUNITY PARTNERSHIP.

SEVERAL PEOPLE WITHIN THIS ROOM
AND COUNCILOR GROVES AND I HAD
AN OPPORTUNITY TO ATTEND THE
GRAND OPENING LAST TUESDAY, THE
16th, OF EVERYONE VILLAGES
RECUPERATION COTTAGES AND THE
NEW COMMUNITY HEALTH CLINIC AT
THAT SITE.

THIS PROJECT IS A PARTNERSHIP
AMONG EVERYONE VILLAGE AS ONE OF
OUR SHELTER SITES WITH
VOLUNTEERS IN MEDICINE WITH
PEACE HEALTH AND 4J SCHOOL
DISTRICT.

AND OUR C THE E PROGRAM AND WHAT
THIS PROJECT IS A COLLABORATION
TO CREATE A SITE-BASED COMMUNITY
CLINIC AND ALSO COTTAGES SO OUR

UNHOUSED NEIGHBORS WHO MIGHT
NEED MEDICAL CARE HAVE A
LOCATION FROM WHICH TO RECOVER
FROM WHATEVER EXPERIENCE THEY
NEEDED TO SEEK MEDICAL CARE OR
HOSPITAL SERVICES FOR.

IT IS TRULY A REMARKABLE EXAMPLE
OF COLLABORATION AND WHAT IS
POSSIBLE WHEN YOU HOLD A VISION
OVER TIME.

THE CITY OF EUGENE INVESTED
SIGNIFICANTLY IN THIS SITE
APPROACHING FIVE YEARS AGO WHEN
EVERYONE VILLAGE WAS FIRST BEING
ESTABLISHED.

A GRAPHIC PRESENT AT THAT EVENT
SHOWED SIX, SEVEN PHASES IN
INVESTMENT AND PARTNERSHIP
ACROSS OUR COMMUNITY.

REALLY INSPIRING.

I WAS INCREDIBLY GRATEFUL TO SEE
ALL THE WAYS PEOPLE ENGAGED AND
PARTNERED IN THAT WORK, HAVE

BEEN PRESENT OVER TIME AND
ACKNOWLEDGED FOR THAT
PARTNERSHIP.

A LOT OF DIFFERENT PERSPECTIVES
FROM PUBLIC SECTOR, PRIVATE
SECTOR, PHILANTHROPIC MODEL.

CONGRATULATIONS TO EVERYONE FOR
THAT GRAND OPENING AND THAT
WORK.

NOT SEEING ANY OTHER UPDATES
FROM COUNCIL, I WILL SAY THANK
YOU AND THAT CONCLUDES OUR FIRST
AGENDA ITEM THIS EVENING.

OUR SECOND AGENDA ITEM, CONSENT
CALENDAR 1, APPROVE OF CITY
COUNCIL MINUTES, APPROVAL OF
CITY COUNCIL TENTATIVE AGENDA, A
RESOLUTION REQUESTING THAT
JURISDICTION OVER PORTION OF
GILHAM ROAD BE TRANSFERRED TO
THE CITY OF EUGENE AND ORDINANCE
VACATING A PORTION OF LEO HARRIS
PARKWAY.

A RESOLUTION ADOPTING A POLICY
PROVIDING THAT THE AFFIRMATIVE
DEFENSE DESCRIBED IN ORS
166.370(3)(G) DOES NOT APPLY TO
THE POSSESSION OF FIREARMS IN
CITY BUILDINGS WHERE OFFICIAL
CITY MEETINGS ARE HELD.

THANK YOU, COUNCILOR ZELENKA.

>> DO YOU WANT ME TO PULL THE
ITEM OR ASK THE QUESTION?

>> Mayor Knudson: I'M
COMFORTABLE WITH THE QUESTION.
ITEM E, A RESOLUTION ADOPTING A
POLICY PROVIDING AFFIRMATIVE
DEFENSE.

THE WAY I UNDERSTAND THAT IS
THAT -- I'M UNCLEAR WHETHER IT
PROHIBITS BRINGING IN A
CONCEALED WEAPON BUT ELIMINATES
THE OFFENSE.

I'M NOT SURE I UNDERSTAND THE
DIFFERENCE.

IF SOMEONE WERE TO BRING A

WEAPON INTO THE BUILDING LIKE
GOVERNOR LITTLE IS BRINGING HIS
WEAPON TO HIS BUILDING IN
VIOLATION OF GOVERNMENT POLICY.
HOW DOES THIS WORK?

IS

>> THE STATUTE PROHIBITS THE
BRINGING A CONCEALED WEAPON OR
ANY WEAPON INTO ANY PUBLIC
BUILDING.

THEN IT LISTS OUT ABOUT 12, 13
AFFIRMATIVE DEFENSES TO THAT
PROHIBITION AND UNTIL THIS
LEGISLATION PASSED, ONE OF THOSE
AFFIRMATIVE DEFENSES WAS A
CONCEALED WEAPONS PERMIT.
SO THAT EFFECTIVELY ALLOWED
SOMEBODY WITH A CONCEALED
WEAPONS PERMIT TO BRING THE
WEAPON INTO A PUBLIC BUILDING
AND THE CITY AND NO LOCAL
GOVERNMENT HAD THE AUTHORITY TO
OVERRIDE THAT AFFIRMATIVE

DEFENSE.

SO IT IS JUST THE WAY THE
STATUTORY CONSTRUCTION IS.

IT PROHIBITS IT BUT GAVE AN
AFFIRMATIVE DEFENSE TO FOLKS
WITH CONCEALED WEAPONS.

THIS LEGISLATION SAID LOCAL
GOVERNMENT YOU MAY CHOOSE TO
ACTUALLY DISALLOW THAT
AFFIRMATIVE DEFENSE.

WHAT THAT MEANS IS THE
PROHIBITION IS WHAT WOULD APPLY,
BUT IT IS LIMITED TO THOSE
BUILDINGS IN WHICH OFFICIAL
MEETINGS ARE CONDUCTED.

>> Zelenka: LIKE THIS ONE.

SO IF SOMEONE CAME IN HERE WITH
A CONCEALED WEAPON, OUR FRIENDS
IN THE BACK IN BLUE WOULD ARREST
THAT PERSON AND THEN THEY WOULD
BE PROSECUTED AND IF THEY -- IF
THEY SAID, I HAVE AN AFFIRMATIVE
DEFENSE OF CONCEALED WEAPON,

THAT WOULD NOT APPLY AND THEY
COULD BE CONVICTED OF A CLASS A
MISDEMEANOR PUNISHABLE BY 365
DAYS IMPRISONMENT OR FINE IF
CONVICTED?

>> YES.

THEY WOULD BE PROSECUTED UNDER
THAT ORS FOR BRINGING A WEAPON
INTO A PUBLIC BUILDING.

>> THEY WOULD HAVE TO BE
ARRESTED?

>> ARRESTED AND PROSECUTED.

>> I'M CLEAR.

THANK YOU.

>> Mayor Knudson: NO ADDITIONAL
QUESTIONS -- SO SORRY, COUNCILOR
GROVES.

>> Groves: THAT BRINGS UP A
QUESTION I HAVE.

DO WE STILL NEED TO TAKE SOME
AFFIRMATIVE ACTION BEFORE THAT
WILL TAKE PLACE OR DOES IT
AUTOMATICALLY TAKE PLACE WITH

THE STATE IMPLEMENTING THIS?

>> NO.

YOU ARE REQUIRED.

WHAT THE STATE, WHAT THE

LEGISLATION SENATE BILL 243

ALLOWED WAS FOR COUNCIL, LOCAL

GOVERNMENTS TO ADOPT A POLICY

THAT SPECIFICALLY SAYS THAT THE

AFFIRMATIVE DEFENSE DOESN'T

APPLY WHICH IS WHY YOU HAVE THE

RESOLUTION SAYING IT' DOESN'T

APPLY.

THE OTHER THING, I'M SORRY, THE

OTHER THING IS IT WILL REQUIRE

US BEFORE WE COULD TAKE ANY

ACTION AND ENFORCEMENT TO POST

ON OUR WEBSITE THE BUILDINGS ON

WHICH THIS APPLIES TO AND WHICH

THE AFFIRMATIVE DEFENSE ISN'T

ALLOWED AND ALSO TO POST SIGNS

AT THE ENTRANCES SO THAT IT'S

VERY CLEAR WHAT BUILDINGS IT

APPLIES TO.

>> OKAY.

THANK YOU.

>> Mayor Knudson: THANK YOU
COUNCIL.

I WILL TURN TO COUNCIL VICE
PRESIDENT TO PUT A MOTION
FORWARD.

>> Leech: I MOVE TO PUT FORWARD
THE ITEMS ON CONSENT CALENDAR 1.

>> SECOND.

>> OH, I THOUGHT I HEARD A
SECOND.

>> THANK YOU.

DOUBLE CLARIFYING.

SECOND FROM COUNCILOR ZELENKA.
COUNCILOR GROVES.

AND THE MOTION PASSES WITH A
VOTE OF 6-1.

THANK YOU.

AND THAT CONCLUDES OUR SECOND
AGENDA ITEM.

THE LAST ITEM ON TONIGHT'S
AGENDA IS THE PUBLIC COMMENT

PERIOD.

PUBLIC COMMENT PERIOD IS AN
OPPORTUNITY FOR INDIVIDUALS TO
SPEAK TO THE CITY COUNCIL ON ANY
CITY RELATED ISSUES EXCEPT THOSE
ITEMS WHICH HAVE ALREADY BEEN
HEARD BY HEARINGS OFFICIAL.

STAFF, CAN YOU PLEASE SHARE A
LIST AND THE NUMBER OF SPEAKERS
SIGNED UP TO SPEAK BY 7:35 P.M.
AND ANNOUNCE THE FIRST SPEAKERS.

>> THANK YOU, MAYOR.

WE HAVE 45 SPEAKERS SIGNED UP.
IF YOU ARE ANNOUNCED AS THE NEXT
SPEAKER, PLEASE MOVE TO THE SEAT
IN THE FRONT ROW DESIGNATED FOR
THE NEXT SPEAKER.

WHEN IT IS YOUR TURN, PLEASE
COME TO THE PODIUM.

PLEASE LEAVE ANY BAGS WITH YOU
AT YOUR SEAT.

IF YOU HAVE DOCUMENTS TO GIVE
COUNCIL PLEASE PLACE THEM IN THE

BASKET NEAR THE PODIUM.

YOU WILL HAVE TWO AND A HALF
MINUTES TO SPEAK.

THE TIMER WILL FLASH RED WHEN
YOU HAVE 15 SECONDS REMAINING TO
SPEAK.

YOUR MICROPHONE WILL BE MUTED AT
THE TWO AND A HALF MINUTE MARK.
PLEASE NOTE THE USE OF PROFANITY
IS PROHIBITED AND ANY INSTANCES
WILL RESULT IN IMMEDIATE
TERMINATION OF SPEAKING
PRIVILEGES.

OUR FIRST SPEAKERS ARE LYNN
WOODRICH FOLLOWED BY BRITTANY
QUICKWARNER.

>> MY NAME IS LYNN WOODRICH, THE
ACTIVE BETHEL COMMUNITY
CO-CHAIR.

I HAVE LIVED IN BETHEL OVER 30
YEARS.

I LIVE IN WARD 8.

TWO WEEKS AGO I SENT YOU THE

LINK TO A HORRIFYING STORY ABOUT
STELLA JONES PURCHASING THE
SUPERFUND SITE IN SHERIDAN,
OREGON, AND STARTING UP THE SAME
POLLUTING BUSINESS.

I HOPE YOU READ IT BECAUSE YOU
AS ELECTED OFFICIALS SHOULD HELP
US WITH A SIMILAR FATE IN
EUGENE.

EPA ALLOWED THE NEW BUYER TO USE
THE SAME TOXIC CHEMICALS
INCLUDING PENTACHLOROPHENOL.
WE SHOULD PREVENT ANY SUCH
CALAMITY IN EUGENE.

THERE IS A PUBLIC HEARING ON
OCTOBER 14 FOR THE PUBLIC HEALTH
STANDARDS CODE AMENDMENT.

THE PROPOSED LAND USE WILL
REQUIRE PRIOR TO THE ISSUANCE OF
CITY PERMITS THE APPLICANT MUST
DEMONSTRATE THEY HAVE BEEN
ISSUED ALL NECESSARY LICENSES
FROM POLLUTION CONTROL AGENCIES

LIKE THE LANE REGIONAL
PROTECTION AGENCY AND OREGON
DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL
QUALITY, DEQ, OR THE APPLICANT
HAS APPLIED FOR THE NECESSARY
LICENSES AND PERMITS AND THE
LICENSES AND PERMITS ARE LIKELY
TO BE ISSUED.

WHO DECIDES IF IT IS LIKELY?
HOW IS THIS GOING TO PREVENT
BUSINESSES LIKE THE BIOFUELS
TRANSFER STATION AND FUEL TANK
FARM FROM LOCATING IN A
RESIDENTIAL AREA?

IT IS CRITICAL THE PUBLIC HEALTH
STANDARDS WITH TEETH BE
FINALIZED SOON SO THE COMMUNITY
CAN BENEFIT AND PUBLIC HEALTH
WILL NOT BE HARMED PRIOR TO
SELLING TO ANOTHER POLLUTING
BUSINESS.

EPA SAYS WHO CAN MAKE A
DIFFERENCE LAWMAKERS.

ASK THEM TO ALLOW MORE WEIGHT IN
REUSE DECISIONS.

EPA AND DEQ CAN ONLY REGULATE
WHAT THEY ARE GIVEN TO.

THE CITY COUNCIL COULD
ACCOMPLISH THE SUGGESTION
COUNCILOR LEECH MADE OF
NARROWING THE ZONE DESIGNATIONS
RIGHT AWAY.

THAT WOULD GIVE THE PLANNERS A
WAY TO DENY THE MOST HAZARDOUS
BUSINESSES THEN MAYBE WE COULD
HAVE THE LEGAL BUSINESS TO DENY
THE FUEL TANK FARM IN THE TRAIN
SONG NEIGHBORHOOD.

IT COULD HELP THE CITY IN THE
DISTRIBUTION CENTER BEFORE THE
COMPANY TOOK THE CITY TO THE
LAND USE BOARD OF APPEALS.

THANK YOU.

>> THANK YOU, LYNN.

OUR NEXT SPEAKERS ARE BRITTANY
QUICK WARNER FOLLOWED BY RICK

OSGOOD.

>> GOOD EVENING MAYOR AND

COUNCILORS.

MY NAME IS BRITTANY QUICK

WARNER.

I'M A RESIDENT OF WARD 5.

I'M HERE ON BEHALF OF DOWNTOWN

INCORPORATED, EUGENE CHAMBER OF

COMMERCE AND THE MERCHANTS TO

TALK ABOUT THE ISSUES IN OUR

CHAMBER CORE.

THIS IS NOT THE ONLY IN THE

COMMUNITY, BUT THE ONE I WANT TO

TALK ABOUT TONIGHT.

WE REPRESENT HUNDREDS OF PEOPLE

WHO LIVE AND WORK AND INVEST IN

THE DOWN TONE CORE.

IT IMPACTS THE ENTIRE COMMUNITY.

MANY OF THOSE COMMUNITY MEMBERS

HAVE COME BEFORE YOU, SENT

E-MAILS, HAD COFFEES, GONE ON

WALKS WITH YOU DOWNTOWN SHARING

IDEAS HOW WE MIGHT REVITALIZE

OUR DOWNTOWN AND RAISING SERIOUS CONCERNS ABOUT PUBLIC SAFETY AND LIVABILITY IN OUR CORE.

THESE REFLECT THE DAILY REALITY OF EMPLOYEES WALKING TO WORK, CUSTOMERS VISITING SHOPS AND RESTAURANTS, FAMILIES ATTENDING EVENTS AND RESIDENTS LIVING IN DOWNTOWN.

IT IS NOT ABOUT ONE INCIDENT OR WEEKEND, IT IS A BASIC ORDER OF SAFETY EVERY DAY OF THE WEEK.

I WANT TO ACKNOWLEDGE THE STEPS THAT HAVE BEEN TAKEN, THE INCIDENT COMMAND SYSTEM, THE CLEANUP, CO-RESPONDER METHOD THE CITY HAS IMPLEMENTED.

THEY ARE GREATLY APPRECIATED.

WE HAVE HEARD FROM A LOT OF BUSINESSES DOWNTOWN THEY ARE ACTUALLY REALLY HELPING.

TWO THINGS CAN BE TRUE RIGHT NOW, THEY ARE MAKING A

DIFFERENCE AND IT IS NOT ENOUGH.

WE ARE COMING FROM BEHIND AND WE
HAVE A LOT OF WORK TO DO TO MAKE
THIS FEEL LIKE A PLACE THAT
FOLKS FEEL SAFE.

RIGHT NOW IT REMAINS UNSTABLE
AND UNPREDICTABLE AND TOO OFTEN
REALLY PEOPLE ARE SAYING THAT IS
NOT WHERE THEY WANT TO BE.

UNTIL WE HEAR A CLEAR AND
CONSISTENT MESSAGE THIS DISORDER
IN THE PUBLIC COMMONS AND ACROSS
OUR COMMUNITY WILL NOT BE
TOLERATED WE WILL CONTINUE TO
SEE CONDITIONS UNDERMINE THE
CONFIDENCE IN THIS DOWNTOWN
AREAS.

TODAY THE CITY RELEASED A REPORT
FROM UNCOMMON BRIDGES HOW OUR
COMMUNITY WAS PROVIDING SERVICES
TO DOWNTOWN AND MAKE SUGGESTIONS
HOW WE MIGHT DO THAT BETTER TO
ALIGN WITH NATIONAL BEST

PRACTICES.

WE APPRECIATE THEY CALLED FOR
STRONGER PARTNERSHIPS BETWEEN
THE CITY AND BUSINESSES AND THE
UNIVERSITY AND THEY SAID SAFETY
AND CLEANLINESS WERE NOT THE
ONLY NEEDS WILL EITHER SUCCEED
OR FAIL AND HELP THE OTHER
EFFORTS DO THE SAME IF WE DON'T
FOCUS ON THEM.

I WANT TO BE APPRECIATIVE OF
THAT EFFORT.

DOWNTOWN IS OUR CITY'S FRONT
DOOR.

PEOPLE WHO LIVE AND WORK HERE
AND INVEST THEIR LIVELIHOODS ARE
ON THE FRONTLINES AND WANT TO
WORK WITH YOU NOT AGAINST YOU TO
CREATE A SAFER MORE ENJOYABLE
COMMUNITY.

>> OUR NEXT SPEAKERS ARE RICK
OSGOOD FOLLOWED BY JUSTIN BURNS.

>> MY NAME IS RICK OSGOOD.

I LIVE IN NORTH EUGENE.

I WOULD LIKE TO EXPRESS MY
OPPOSITION TO THE FLOCK SECURITY
SYSTEM.

I WANT TO LEARN ABOUT THE
SECURITY SO I QUERIED A FLOCK
CAMERA TO PERFORM RESEARCH THEY
CONTAIN NUMEROUS BASIC SECURITY
AS A RESULT CAMERA MODELS I
TESTED INCLUDE A SINGLE LARGE
BUTTON ON THE BACK AND PRESSING
IT THREE TIMES WILL ALLOW YOU TO
CONNECT OVER WIFI WITH A VERY
INSECURE PASSWORD.

YOU CAN VIEW THE CAMERA FEED,
SHUT DOWN THE CAMERA AND
ESSENTIALLY TAKE CONTROL OF THE
DEVICE.

THESE FINDINGS HAVE CONVINCED ME
THAT FLOCK DOES NOT PRIORITIZE
SECURITY.

THE CITY OF EUGENE IS TRUSTING
THE SAME COMPANY WITH SENSITIVE

INFORMATION OF THE COMINGS AND
GOING OF EVERY ADULT AND
TEENAGER IN EUGENE.

IF FLOCK FIXES THESE PROBLEMS
THE IDEA THAT THE TREASURE TROVE
WILL NOT BE TARGETED BY NET
ACTORS AND NEVER LEAK IS NAIVE.

HOW MANY PEOPLE IN THIS ROOM ARE
VICTIMS OF A DATA BREACH?

COUNCILORS, DO ANY OF THESE
E-MAIL ADDRESSES SOUND FAMILIAR?

THEY ARE ALL BREACHES.

FOUR BREACHES.

EIGHT BREACHES.

12 BREACHES.

20 BREACHES.

YOU TRUSTED PRIVATE COMPANIES
WITH YOUR DATA AND THEY FAILED
TO PROTECT IT.

YOUR PERSONAL INFORMATION
INCLUDING PASSWORDS, DATE OF
BIRTH, PHYSICAL ADDRESS AND NOW
ARE ALL EXPOSED FOREVER.

IMAGINE IF ANY RANDOM PERSON CAN
TYPE YOUR LICENSE PLATE NUMBER
AND GET A LIST OF EVERYWHERE YOU
HAVE BEEN FOR THE LAST 30 DAYS
BECAUSE FLOCK WAS BREACHED.
WHAT MIGHT THAT REVEAL ABOUT
YOU?

I SPENT NINE YEARS AS A SECURITY
CONSULTANT LEGALLY HACKING INTO
COMPANIES.

THERE IS NOTHING THAT THE
PREVENT A HACKER.

THE ONLY WAY TO PROTECT THIS
INFORMATION IS NOT TO COLLECT IT
IN THE FIRST PLACE.

THE ONLY WAY TO PROTECT ALL OF
OUR INFORMATION IS FOR THE CITY
TO NOT COLLECT IT IN THE FIRST
PLACE.

WE CAN'T OPT OUT.

THE RESPONSIBILITY IS ON YOU.

SO PLEASE CANCEL THE FLOCK
CONTRACT AND TAKE STEPS TO

PROTECT ALL OF US FROM THIS
CONSTITUTIONAL MASS SURVEILLANCE
BY FLOCK OR ANY SIMILAR ENTITY.

>> NEXT SPEAKERS JUSTIN BURNS
AND JOE MARDARANA.

>> GOOD EVENING MAYOR AND CITY
COUNCIL.

IT'S CRAZY I HAVE TO SAY THIS,
JUST GOOGLE FASCISM.

A SYSTEM OF GOVERNMENT MARKED BY
CENTRALIZATION OF AUTHORITY
UNDER A DICTATOR, A CAPITALIST
COMPANY SUBJECT TO STRINGENT
GOVERNMENT CONTROLS AND
TYPICALLY A POLICY BELLIGERENT
NATIONALISM AND RACISM.

YOU KNOW, THERE'S PEOPLE THAT I
WORK WITH THAT DON'T EVEN KNOW
WHAT FASCISM IS.

THEY THINK IT IS A BAD NAME FROM
THE FAR LEFT.

AGAIN, AT WORK, I WAS ASKED A
YOUNG MAN IN HIS -- ABOUT 19,

20, ASKED HIM WHO OUR ENEMIES

WERE IN WORLD WAR II.

SADLY, HE DIDN'T KNOW.

I WISH HE DID.

I HAD TO TELL HIM IT WAS

GERMANY, JAPAN AND ITALY.

THOSE WERE THE AXIS OF EVIL, THE

MAIN ONES.

I ALSO HAD TO TELL HIM THAT I

WAS VERY PROUD OF BOTH MY

GRANDFATHERS WHO SERVED IN WORLD

WAR II TO FIGHT FASCISM.

IT IS INSANE THAT WORD FASCISM

IS BEING DESCRIBED AS A WOKE

WORD.

I MEAN, YOU KNOW, IT IS 2025.

THERE'S A LOT OF PEOPLE IN ECHO

CHAMBERS READING THEIR OWN

DIFFERENT NEWS SITES AND

THINKING WHAT IS.

YOU KNOW, SO THIS CHARLIE KIRK

ASSASSINATION, YOU KNOW, HE WAS

OUT THERE, HE WASN'T A GOOD GUY.

I THINK HE WAS PRETTY NOT GOOD
GUY.

HE WAS RACIST, HOMOPHOBIC,
TRANSPHOBIC, HE WAS THERE TO
DIVIDE PEOPLE.

DO I WISH HE DIED?

NO.

I DON'T WISH HE DID, ESPECIALLY
BECAUSE NOW THE U.S. GOVERNMENT
UNDER DONALD TRUMP, I MEAN, I
CALL IT A REGIME, THEY USED THAT
ASSASSINATION TO TRY TO DIVIDE
US.

I MEAN, HOW SCARY IS THAT?

WOULD REAGAN HAVE DONE THAT?

WOULD NIXON HAVE DONE THAT?

WOULD THEY HAVE OPENLY CALLED
FOR PEOPLE TO ATTACK OTHERS?

I DON'T THINK SO.

SO WITH THE FLOCK CAMERAS, WE
NEED TO GET THEM OFF.

WE NEED TO GET RID OF THEM AND
RELEASE THE EPSTEIN LIST.

>> THANK YOU, JUSTIN.

OUR NEXT SPEAKERS ARE JOE
MARTANRANA FOLLOWED BY ATHENA
AGUIA.

>> I'M JO.

I'M A STUDENT AT U OF O.

I KNOW THERE IS A WORK SESSION
PLANNED FOR FLOCK AND THAT IS
GOOD, BUT WHAT IS REALLY
IMPORTANT TO KEEP IN MIND WHEN
TALKING ABOUT WHETHER OR NOT WE
ARE GOING TO GET RID OF FLOCK IS
THE VALUES THIS CITY HOLDS.

I KNOW YOU KNOW THE HORRIFIC
THINGS FLOCK HAS BEEN USED FOR.
I HAVE HEARD PEOPLE TELL YOU THE
STORIES.

SO WHEN TALKING ABOUT FLOCK, YOU
HAVE TO CONSIDER WHETHER OR NOT
PUNISHING WOMEN FOR SEEKING
REPRODUCTIVE CARE AND ABORTIONS
FITS THIS CITY'S VALUES.

TARGETING IMMIGRANT COMMUNITY

MEMBERS AND TAKING THEM FROM
THEIR HOME FITS THIS CITY'S
VALUES.

IF PUNISHING TRANS PEOPLE FOR
SEEKING GENDER AFFIRMING CARE
FITS OUR VALUES.

I CHOSE TO MOVE TO OREGON
BECAUSE IT WAS A SAFE STATE TO
HAVE REPRODUCTIVE AND GENDER
CARE.

FLOCK IS A THREAT.

SAY NO TO FLOCK.

SURVEILLANCE ISN'T SAFETY.

CHOOSE TO KEEP US SAFE.

>> OUR NEXT SPEAKERS ARE ATHENA
AGUIAR.

>> MY NAME IS ATHENA AGUIAR.

WE NEED TO BRING BACK CAHOOTS
AND I WAS LIKE THEY ALREADY
DECIDED THAT.

HE SAID, NO, IT IS NOT HAPPENING
FAST ENOUGH.

LOOK AT THE AGENDA, IT IS

UNACCEPTABLE.

THERE IS THE LICENSE PLATE

READER THING.

YAY.

I FORGOT WHAT THIS AMENDMENT TO

THE BUDGET COMMITTEE THING SAID

THAT ALLEN WROTE.

MAYBE YOU ALSO FORGOT IT.

IT SAYS TO BRING BACK THE

COMMITMENT TO BRING BACK RESULTS

BEFORE THE END OF OCTOBER.

NOW I UNDERSTAND WHY JACOB IS SO

PRESSED BECAUSE THAT IS NEXT

MONTH.

AND THERE ISN'T SOMETHING ON THE

AGENDA THAT I CAN SEE.

ALSO IT SAYS, POTENTIALLY

REALLOCATING EXISTING COMMUNITY

SAFETY PAYROLL TAX FUNDS.

I WANT YOU TO REMEMBER THAT,

TOO.

THANKS SO MUCH FOR YOUR TIME.

>> OUR NEXT SPEAKERS ARE JESSE

GANDY FOLLOWED BY DAVID EIGLE.

>> WARD 1, GREETINGS.

IN FEBRUARY OF 1890 THE CITY
COUNCIL MOVED TO EXTEND THE CITY
STREETS ON COUNTY ROADBEDS BY
PASSING ORDINANCE NUMBER 109
CONTAINS 10 SURVEYS PROVIDED BY
THE CITY SURVEYOR TO THE CITY
COUNCIL, 10-20.

NUMBER 15 IS A VIEWING OF EIGHTH
AVENUE ON THE WEST SIDE OF THE
PUBLIC SQUARE AT PARK STREET.
THIS SURVEY HEADS WEST 30 FEET
SHORT OF A MILE TO REACH THE
WESTERN CITY LIMITS AT POLK
STREET.

ACCORDING TO THIS PIECE OF
EUGENE MUNICIPAL CODE EIGHTH
AVENUE WAS UNDER CITY
JURISDICTION.

MY PROPERTY IS HALFWAY, LAWRENCE
AND EIGHTH.

THE LOCATION OF THE RIGHT-OF-WAY

OF EIGHTH THAT INFORMS MY
PROPERTY'S BOUNDARIES.

THE OFFICE OF THE CITY SURVEYORS
SAY THEY HAVE A COUNTY ROAD WITH
60 FOOT WIDTH UNTIL MARCH 13,
2016 WHEN A JURISDICTIONAL
TRANSFER TOOK PLACE AND THE CITY
WIDENED THE NEWLY MINTED EIGHTH
AVENUE BY SIX FEET.

I REQUESTED THE RECORDS.

THE SURVEYOR I HIRED WAS NOT
PROVIDED THESE RECORDS AND TOLD
REPEATEDLY EIGHT AVENUE
BOUNDARY'S IS 66 FEET.

A SECOND SURVEYOR WAS GIVEN
SECRET FILES NOT AVAILABLE TO
THE PUBLIC.

WITH BIAS, THE CITY SURVEYOR'S
OFFICE GAVE DIFFERING
INFORMATION TO TWO DIFFERENT
LICENSED PROFESSIONALS ABOUT THE
EXACT SAME PROPERTY AND
ULTIMATELY TESTIFIED IN COURT AS

TO THE VALIDITY OF THEIR COUNTY
ROAD AND EMINENT DOMAIN THEORY.
THEY STILL REFUSED TO PROVIDE
THE RECORDS THEIR BELIEF IS
BASED ON AND I'M HOPING YOU CAN
HELP TRACK THESE DOCUMENTS DOWN.
WE ALL WANT TO REFER TO OUR
EXPERTS, ESPECIALLY PUBLICLY
FUNDED CIVIL SERVANTS, BUT THAT
TRUST IS ABUSED WHEN THESE
OFFICIALS ARE ALLOWED TO PROCEED
IN UNCHECKED BEHAVIOR.
THE ACTIONS AND INACTIONS OF THE
CITY SURVEY INVESTOR IS THAT
THEY CAN FABRICATE HISTORY AND
ENACT PROCEDURES OF EMINENT
DOMAIN ON BEHALF OF THE CITY
WHEN AND WHERE IT SUITS THEIR
PURPOSE AND BENEFITS THEIR
FRIENDS IN THE PRIVATE SECTOR
ALL APPARENTLY WITH NO NEED OF
DOCUMENTATION.
IF THOSE RECORDS DO EXIST, I

WOULD ASK THAT YOU HELP ME FIND
THEM.

THANK YOU.

>> NEXT SPEAKERS ARE DAVID EIGLE
AND CAROLINA --

>> DAVID EIGLE, WARD 1.

I WAS PLEASED TO SEE MICHAEL
SCHULZ DISHONESTY CAUGHT UP WITH
HIM.

THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES AT
NORTHWEST GAVE HIM A ONE WAY
TICKET ON A STREETCAR NAMED
DISGRACE.

I RECENTLY SENT COPIES OF THE
EUGENE MORNING REGISTER TO THE
MEMBERS OF THE CITY COUNCIL.

THE REVEREND DIRECTOR OF ST.
MARY'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH ACTING
ON THE SCHOOL BOARD EXPOSED
THEIR ACTIONS.

THIS WAS NOT HIDDEN HISTORY.
IT WAS REPORTED ON THE FRONT
PAGE OF THE LOCAL PAPER YET THE

U OF O DUNN REPORT A SMEAR PIECE
FALSELY PRESENTED AS HISTORY,
DESCRIBES THE REVEREND JENNINGS
AS AN ACTIVE KLANSMAN.

THIS LIE, ONE OF MANY, INCLUDED
IN THE U OF O REPORT WAS
REPEATED IN THE LANE COUNTY
HISTORY MUSEUM'S DISGRACEFUL
CHANGE TO EXHIBIT WHEN JENNIFER
YEH WAS THE DIRECTOR BEFORE HER
BEING BOOTED OUT.

THEY MISLED THE PUBLIC IN
BELIEVING THIS WAS THE RIGHTS OF
PAST WRONGS SUPPORTED BY THE
CITY GOVERNMENT.

NEITHER HAS TAKEN REDEMPTIVE
ACTION TO SET THE RECORD
STRAIGHT.

THERE ARE MANY INDIVIDUALS
INVOLVED IN PROMOTION OF FALSE
HISTORY.

CONFRONTED WITH COLD HARD FACTS
THE BOARD MEMBERS ENGAGED IN

COMPLETELY UNJUSTIFIED FALSE
INFLAMMATORY PERSONAL ATTACKS ON
MYSELF.

THESE ATTACKS HAVE ONLY SERVED
TO EMBARRASS THEM.

I AM SICK AND TIRED OF
NON-NATIVE EUGENIANS AND
OREGONIANS COMING HERE AND
PROMOTING LIES ABOUT OUR
HISTORY.

I WILL BE SUBMITTING ACTION
REQUEST.

I'M ASKING FOR YOUR SUPPORT.

THANK YOU.

>> NEXT SPEAKER IS CAROLINA

JACKSON AND DYLAN --

>> MY NAME IS CAROLINA GONZALEZ
JACKSON.

I'M A PROUD MOTHER AND RESIDENT
AND I'M HERE FRONT LOADING MY
SUPPORT FOR THE LIBRARIES.

AS A TAX PAYER AND CONSTITUENT,
I WANT TO ASK YOU ALL TO VOTE IN

SUPPORT OF FULL FOR OUR
LIBRARIES.

THE LIBRARIES HAVE A SPECIAL
PLACE IN MY HEART NOT ONLY
BECAUSE THEY ARE IMPORTANT, ME,
AS A COMMUNITY MEMBER WHEN I
MOVED HERE, I COULDN'T WORK FOR
THE FIRST YEAR BECAUSE I WAS
DOING MY PAPERWORK AND MY
HUSBAND WORKED MINIMUM WAGE.
THE ONLY ACCESS TO CULTURE AND A
SAFE SPACE WAS THE LIBRARY.
THAT IS WHERE MY BABIES WENT TO
STORY TIME.
I STUDIED FOR MY CITIZENSHIP
EXAM.
I WENT ON THE WEEKENDS WHEN WE
HAD NO MONEY TO DO ANYTHING
ELSE.
WE HAD ACCESS TO MUSEUM AND ALL
OF THE THINGS.
GENTLEMAN WAS TALKING ABOUT
SURVEYING.

MY FRIEND JOHN WAS ABLE TO FIND
THE LIMITS OF HIS HOUSE
BORROWING A METAL DETECTOR FROM
THE LIBRARY.

WE BORROWED ROUTERS DURING COVID
FOR MY KIDS TO BE HOME-SCHOOLED.

THE LIBRARIES HAVE HELPED ME BE
AN ACTIVE MEMBER OF THIS
COMMUNITY, IMPROVE MY ENGLISH
AND RESOURCES THAT GET PAID
THROUGH OUR TAXPAYERS LIKE ME.

WE NEED YOUR SUPPORT.

WE MOVED HERE 15 YEARS AGO.

I MOVED HERE 15 YEARS AGO.

MY HUSBAND IS FROM EUGENE.

SINCE WE MOVED IT IS THE
LIBRARIES.

I WANT NOT ONLY FURTHER PLEASE
ASKING TO SUPPORT THEM IN FULL,
BUT START LOOKING AT WHAT WE
COULD HAVE DONE IF 15 YEARS AGO
WE WORK IN A SYSTEM WHERE WE
COULD HAVE OUR LIBRARIES FULLY

FUNDED.

IT IS A SPECIAL PLACE.

YESTERDAY I THE PROM LA MAJOR
LEAGUES I SPOKE ABOUT THE
IMPORTANCE OF COMMUNITY.

OUR LIBRARIES ENVISION THAT.
HEALTHY INCLUSIVE COMMUNITIES
FOR ALL.

I USED TO BE A CASE MANAGER AND
HR PROFESSIONAL, MY WORK IS
CENTERED AROUND PEOPLE, EQUITY
AND INCLUSION.

LIBRARIES REFLECT THOSE VALUES
AND DESERVE OUR FULL SUPPORT.

I WANT TO INVITE YOU TO THINK
ABOUT THAT AND REALLY NOT PINCH
PENNIES AND TRY TO CUT WHAT THEY
ARE PROPOSING BECAUSE IT IS
AMAZING AND IT IS IMPORTANT.

THEY ARE NEVER FULLY FUNDED.

IN MY LAST FEW SECONDS I WANT TO
PRESENT AN ISSUE, THE LACK OF
TRANSPARENCY AROUND FLOCK --

>> THANK YOU.

OUR NEXT SPEAKERS ARE DYLAN AND
MIKE McFARLAND.

>>> DO WE HAVE AS DYLAN?

MAYBE DYLAN IS IN THE LOBBY?

NO.

OUR NEXT SPEAKER IS MIKE
McFARLAND AND WE WILL CALL FOR
DYLAN ONE MORE TIME AFTER MIKE.

>> HELLO.

MY NAME IS MIKE McFARLAND.

I MAINTAIN A FAMILY HOME IN
WARD6 6

I WORK AS A COMMUNICATIONS
CONSULT FOR THE FIRE DEPARTMENT.

I'M HERE TO SPEAK FOR THE NEED
FOR FIRE AND EMS RESOURCES AND
WHY A FIRE DISTRICT IS THE RIGHT
PATH FORWARD.

OVER THE LAST 20 YEARS OUR
CITY'S GROWTH HAS FAR OUTPACED
OUR EMERGENCY RESPONSE.

IN THE 1980s FIRE CREWS COULD

REACH 90% OF THE CALLS IN FOUR MINUTES.

IN 2003 THAT AVERAGE STRETCHED TO FIVE MINUTES AND TODAY WE ARE OVER SEVEN MINUTES.

THOSE EXTRA MINUTES ARE CRITICAL.

IN THE CASE OF A CARDIAC ARREST IT COULD MEAN LIFE OR DEATH.

AT THE SAME TIME, OUR COMMUNITY HAS GROWN UPWARD AS WELL AS OUTWARD.

NEW HIGHRISE HOUSING PARTICULARLY IN THE UNIVERSITY AREA ADDS NEW VERTICAL CHALLENGES.

NATIONAL STANDARDS SAY THAT IT TAKES 43 FIREFIGHTERS TO SAFELY MANAGE ONE HIGH RISE FIRE.

RIGHT NOW A SINGLE MULTI-STORY EMERGENCY WOULD REQUIRE EVERY FIREFIGHTER IN EUGENE AND WE WOULD STILL FALL SHORT OF THAT

STANDARD.

THE DEMAND ON OUR SYSTEM IS
RELENTLESS.

SPRINGFIELD FIRE RESPONDS TO
MORE THAN 130 CALLS A DAY AND
THREE OUT OF FOUR ARE MEDICAL.
WE RUN OUT OF AMBULANCES DAILY
AND WHEN THAT HAPPENS FIRE CREWS
MUST COVER EMERGENCY MEDICAL
EMERGENCIES AND START LIFE
SAVING CARE.

AND WHILE THAT SAVES LIVES, IT
ALSO LEAVES US WITH LESS
RESOURCES FOR THE NEXT CALL.

A FIRE DISTRICT OFFERS STABLE,
DEDICATED FUNDING AND LOCAL
CONTROL WE NEED TO MEET THESE
GROWING CHALLENGES.

IT WOULD ALLOW US TO MANAGE
RESOURCES AT A TRUE SCALE OF
DEMAND, IMPROVE STAFFING AND
STRENGTHEN OUR ABILITY TO
PREPARE FOR DISASTERS LIKE

WILDFIRE AND HIGHRISE INCIDENTS.
MOST IMPORTANTLY IT CREATES A
STRUCTURE WHERE FIRE AND EMS ARE
PRIORITIZED NOT COMPETING WITH
THE LIBRARY, PARKS AND ANIMAL
SERVICES FOR FUNDING.

>> THANK YOU, MIKE.

YOUR TIME HAS CONCLUDED.
ONE LAST CALL FOR DYLAN CEANCE.
OUR NEXT SPEAKERS ARE LAURA --
FOLLOWED BY BRIAN THOMPSON.

>> GOOD EVENING CITY COUNCIL.

I'M LAURA -- FROM WARD 2.

-- NATIONAL PARTNERS INVOLVED IN
COMMUNITY BASED VIOLENCE
INTERVENTION, RECENTLY DID A TED
TALK ON ACTIONABLE HOPE.

HE WAS A PART OF THE TEAM THAT
BROKERED THE FIRST PEACE TALKS
IN L.A. IN RESPONSE TO GANG
VIOLENCE BACK IN THE 90s AND HE
SAYS PUBLIC SAFETY IS A SHARED
STRATEGY THAT REQUIRES AN

ECOSYSTEM OF PROGRAMS THAT
RESIDENTS TRUST.

-- HAVE BEEN AN ESSENTIAL
PARTNER IN REDUCING HARM IN OUR
COMMUNITY FOR DECADES.

WE HAVE HEARD AND UNDERSTAND
THAT FOLKS ARE STRUGGLING TO
ASSESS AND QUANTIFY THIS WORK
AND WE KNOW YOU ALL HAVE BEEN
BEWILDERED BY A LACK OF DATA AND
COMMUNICATION FROM THE PROGRAM'S
PARENT AGENCY.

NOW WE HAVE FORMED OUR OWN
ORIENTATION, WE ARE' PROMISE YOU
THE COLLABORATION YOU DESERVE,
TO STEWARD THE CITY'S MONEY TO A
SHARED GOAL OF COMMUNITY, SAFETY
AND STABILITY IN TIMES OF
CRISIS.

IN THE 2025 EUGENE SURVEY FOUR
OUT OF FIVE COMMUNITY CONCERNS,
HOMELESSNESS, HOUSING, PUBLIC
SAFETY AND LIVABILITY ARE DEEPLY

IMPACTED BY CAHOOTS WHO TOOK 45%
OF CALLS FROM POLICE FROM 2016
TO 2020.

WE REPRESENT A PARTNERSHIP THAT
SAVES MONEY AND IMPACTS PEOPLES
LIVES IN WAYS THAT DESERVE TO BE
MOVING FORWARD.

WE WORK WITH RESEARCH PARTNERS
RIGHT HERE IN EUGENE WHO HAVE
BEEN COMMITTED TO THIS ISSUE FOR
SOME YEARS NOW AND ARE
THOROUGHLY INVESTED IN HELPING
EUGENE AND NAMING THE WORTH AND
IMPACT OF CAHOOTS LIKE SERVICES.

AS CAHOOTS WORKERS, SOME OF US
HAVE BEEN WORKING WITH THESE
AMAZING RESEARCHERS DESPITE THE
CHALLENGES AND WE KNOW THE
RESEARCH WILL HELP US ASSESS
DIVERSION RATES, COST SAVINGS
AND FUNDING, IMPACT AS A POINT
OF REFERRAL FOR HOUSING,
RECOVERY AND OTHER RESOURCES.

WBCC IS READY NOW.

WE ASK YOU TO HELP US FUND A
PILOT TO GET CAHOOTS BACK TO
WORK.

WE CAN'T LEARN ANYTHING WITHOUT
THE VANS ON THE ROAD.

I HAVE TENDERED MY RESIGNATION
AT WHITE BIRDS AFTER 10 YEARS.

I'M WHOLLY DEVOTED TO WBCC AND
HONORING THIS MODEL, MOVING IT
FORWARD FOR ANOTHER 37 YEARS.

OUR BOOTS ARE POLISHED, OUR
HANDS EXTENDED TOWARD THE PEOPLE
WHO NEED US AND WANT US BACK.

LET'S BREAK THROUGH THE BARRIER
AND FUND A PILOT FOR WBCC.

>> BRIAN THOMPSON FOLLOWED BY
KEN WILLIS.

>> MY NAME IS BRIAN THOMPSON, I
LIVE IN WARD 2.

I FIND IT ESPECIALLY APROPOS
THAT COUNCILMAN ZELENKA WAS
NOTING OUR PUBLIC SAFETY

INFRASTRUCTURE IS GOING TO BE
UNDERFUNDED DUE TO FEDERAL
SHORTCOMINGS.

AND I FIND IT INTERESTING THIS
IS A MOMENT WHEN WE ARE CHOOSING
TO INSTALL A NEW EXPENSIVE AND
UNPROVEN SURVEILLANCE SYSTEM
THAT IS GOING TO BE PULLING
RESOURCES IN THE LONG TERM FROM
SOME OF THOSE INCREDIBLY
VALUABLE PROGRAMS THAT HE
MENTIONED.

I BRING THIS UP IN LIGHT OF THE
NEW FLOCK SYSTEM.

BECAUSE SURVEILLANCE IS NOT
PUBLIC SAFETY.

SURVEILLANCE HAS NEVER MADE US
SAFER WHETHER IT WAS CCTV,
AUTOMATED LICENSE PLATE READERS
OR EVEN CHEST MOUNTED CAMERAS ON
OFFICERS.

SURVEILLANCE IS A TOOL OF LAW
ENFORCEMENT.

IT IS A TOOL FOR PUNISHING
PEOPLE AFTER THE FACT.
SURVEILLANCE IS NOT A DETERRENT
AND IT DOES NOT ADDRESS THE ROOT
CAUSES OF CRIME.
IT DOES NOT ADDRESS POVERTY.
IT DOES NOT BUILD HOUSES FOR OUR
UNHOUSED NEIGHBORS.
IT DOES NOT PROVIDE MEDICAL CARE
FOR THE PEOPLE WHO NEED IT OR
MENTAL HEALTH CARE FOR THE
PEOPLE WHO NEED IT OR ADDICTION
SERVICES FOR PEOPLE WHO NEED IT.
SURVEILLANCE EXISTS TO PUNISH
AND IT EXISTS TO PUNISH DISSENT.
SHUT DOWN FLOCK NOW.
IT'S CURRENTLY SURVEILLING US
UNLAWFULLY EVERY DAY, EVERY ONE
OF US IN THIS BUILDING.
THANK YOU VERY MUCH.
>> THANK YOU, BRIAN.
OUR NEXT SPEAKERS ARE KEN WILLIS
FOLLOWED BY TYLER HICKSON.

>> GOOD EVENING, LADIES AND
GENTLEMEN.

MY NAME IS KEN WILLIS.

I AM FROM WARD 5 AND I HAVE A
STORY THE TELL YOU.

I'M A PARENT OF AN AUTISTIC
CHILD.

IQ OF 53, CATASTROPHICALLY
AUTISTIC, VERY SMALL LIFE
ENJOYMENT SHE HAS.

ONE OF THE THINGS WE HAVE AS A
FAMILY ARE EVENING WALKS.

SHE GETS OUT OF THE HOUSE, GETS
TO SPEND TIME OUTSIDE WHICH IS A
BIG DEAL FOR HER.

LO AND BEHOLD HOW EXCITED WHEN
WE WALKED OUT OF OUR
NEIGHBORHOOD AND THERE IS A
FLOCK CAMERA LOOKING AT US.

HERE IS A FUN LITTLE FACT ABOUT
FLOCK.

THEY HAVE A GATE SOFTWARE SO
ANYONE WHO IS DRUNK IN ONE WITH

A STRANGE WALK IS NOTED IN THE
SYSTEM AND POLICE ARE CALLED
OUT.

I HAVE A KID WHO WALKS WITH AN
ATYPICAL GAIT.

WE DEAL WITH EMOTIONAL IS,
TRUNCATED SOCIAL ENVIRONMENTS
AND YOU HAVE MADE IT WORSE
BECAUSE MY WIFE DOESN'T WANT TO
TAKE HER OUT ON A WALK BECAUSE
WE ARE AFRAID THAT SHE IS
WALKING IN A WAY THAT MIGHT BE
PERCEIVED AS INTOXICATION.

WE DON'T FEEL SAFE.

WE FEEL MARGINALIZED.

WE FEEL SHOVED INTO OUR
NEIGHBORHOOD.

I LOVE IN A COURT SO I CANNOT
COME OR GO WITHOUT FLOCK, A
PRIVATE SECURITY COMPANY IN
ATLANTA, GEORGIA, KNOWING WHAT
I'M DOING.

I'M THRILLED YOU HAVE TO IMAGINE

HOW THRILLED I AM AT THIS.

SO WE CAN'T GO ANYWHERE WITH AN
AUTISTIC KID OTHER THAN A WALK
IN THE EVENING AND YOU HAVE
TAKEN THAT AWAY FROM US.

TO THE CITY MANAGER AND SKINNER,
THANKS SO MUCH.

THAT'S MY TIME.

>> OUR NEXT SPEAKERS ARE TILLER
HICKSON AND DANNY ESPINOZA.

>> THERE WE GO.

I WANTED TO THANK COUNCIL MEMBER
KEATING FOR THE SUPPORT FOR THE
PUBLIC LIBRARIES.

I REALLY APPRECIATE IT.

I'M TYLER HICKSON, WARD 3, LIVE
HERE IN EUGENE.

I'M ORIGINALLY FROM AUSTIN,
TEXAS, A PLACE I DON'T HAVE HIGH
REGARD FOR.

I MOVED AWAY FROM THERE BECAUSE
I DIDN'T LIKE IT.

I DIDN'T LIKE A LOT OF THE

PUBLIC TRANSIT.

I DIDN'T LIKE -- I MEAN,

ALLERGIES ARE WORST THERE IF YOU

BELIEVE IT.

TERRIBLE HEAT.

YOU KNOW, LACK OF REPRESENTATION

BECAUSE ONE TIME WE TRIED TO BAN

PLASTIC BAGS AND THE STATE CAME

AND OVERTURNED IT.

I'M NOT A BIG FAN OF LIVING IN

AUSTIN, TEXAS.

I AM INCREDIBLY EMBARRASSED THAT

AUSTIN, TEXAS, BANNED FLOCK

CAMERAS AND THE PLACE THAT I

MOVED HAS NOT.

I AM EMBARRASSED.

THIS IS NOT -- I'M GETTING

SECOND HAND EMBARRASSMENT HERE.

LIKE, WE PAY FOR IT, TOO.

WE ARE PAYING FOR THIS.

I DON'T THINK THAT MANY -- I

DON'T KNOW THAT IT WAS VOTED ON.

I'M PRETTY SURE IT WAS NOT VOTED

ON.

WE COULD PUT IT TO A VOTE,

MAYBE.

I DON'T THINK THAT ANYONE WOULD

LIKE THAT.

I JUST DON'T KNOW WHY WE ARE

TALKING ABOUT THIS.

THIS FEELS LIKE SUCH AN EASY

DONE DEAL THING.

I WAS EXPECTING, YOU KNOW, WHEN

I CAME TO START GETTING MORE

INVOLVED IN POLITICS WE WOULD BE

TALKING ABOUT MORE SUBSTANTIAL

THINGS.

THIS IS -- IT FEELS LIKE IT'S AN

EASY WIN FOR YOU GUYS.

YOU DON'T SUPPORT MASS

SURVEILLANCE.

AND THIS IS OBVIOUSLY MASS

SURVEILLANCE.

IT IS VERY CLEAR.

IT IS VERY OBVIOUS, EVEN IF YOU

DON'T KNOW ANYTHING ABOUT IT AND

THE PEOPLE WHO DO KEEP SAYING IT
IS MASS SURVEILLANCE.

ANYWAY, THANK YOU.

>> THANK YOU, TYLER.

NEXT SPEAKERS DANNY ESPINOZA
FOLLOWED BY PETE GOLDLIST.

>> HELLO, I'M DANNY.

I HAVE A FEW WORDS TO SAY ABOUT
FLOCK.

THERE IS NO UNSUPERVISED DATA
COLLECTION HAPPENING IN THIS
COUNTRY.

THERE IS A DELIBERATE
EXPLOITATION AROUND A LOOPHOLE
AROUND OUR FOURTH AMENDMENT
RIGHT.

THERE IS NO WARRANT, IT IS
SIMPLY MASS COLLECTION AND
PRESUMPTION OF GUILT.

I HAVE THE RIGHT TO WALK MY DOG,
RIDE MY BIKE WITHOUT FEELING
LIKE I'M LIVING IN A GEORGE
ORWELL NOVEL 1984 AND BIG

BROTHER IS WATCHING ME.

THE FLOCK CAMERAS ARE PARTNERED
WITH 49 STATES AND POLICE
AGENCIES WHO CAN ACCESS YOUR
DATA WITHOUT WARRANT OR ACTIVE
INVESTIGATION.

THERE IS NO SUCH OVERSIGHT TO
WHAT THE POLICE CAN DO WITH THAT
DATA.

THERE'S MULTIPLE HEADLINES OF
POLICE IN WICHITA COUNTY IN
KANSAS WHO USE FLOCK
SURVEILLANCE CAMERAS TO STOCK
HIS EX-WIFE OR MAYBE THE TEXAS
SHERIFF'S OFFICE WHO ARRESTED A
WOMAN AFTER SHE SOUGHT PRENATAL
CARE OUT OF STATE TO GET AN
ABORTION.

OR HOW U.S. CUSTOMS AND
IMMIGRATION IS USING IT TO STALK
MARGINALIZED GROUPS AND ARREST
THEM AND CONDUCT THINGS WITHOUT
WARRANTS AND WITHOUT

ACCOUNTABILITY.

IS THAT WHAT THE CITY OF EUGENE
WANTS TO BE?

DO WE WANT TO BE THE NEXT
HEADLINE SAYING MISUSE OF THIS
INFORMATION, THIS DATA, OUR
PERSONAL INFORMATION, YOUR
PERSONAL INFORMATION?

TO JUSTIFY AND SAY THAT THESE
CAMERAS ARE ANY CITIES AND THE
EUGENE PUBLIC WEBSITE SAYS THESE
CAMERAS ARE IN PLACES AND PUBLIC
SPACES WHERE THERE IS NO
REASONABLE EXPECTATION FOR
PRIVACY, YET THERE IS NO
REASONABLE ISSUE FOR PROBABLE
CAUSE EITHER TO COLLECT THIS
DATA IN THE PRESUMPTION OF
GUILT.

THE EUGENE COUNTY STATES THAT
SIMILAR LICENSE PLATE READERS
ARE ACCESSIBLE WITH THE DMV.
TO THAT I SAY THE DMV NEVER

ABUSED THEIR POWER TO STOCK
PEOPLE.

THERE IS A GRANT GIVEN THAT IS
\$391,000 GIVEN TO OREGON TO
COMBAT MARKET AND CAR THEFT,
WHICH IS WHAT THIS GRANT IS
GIVEN FOR, TO PAY FOR FLOCK.

HOW ABOUT WE USE IT TO PROPERLY
STAFF THE DMV THAT ALREADY HAS
ACCESS TO AUTOMATIC LICENSE
PLATE READING THAT FLOCK IS USED
FOR.

>> THANK YOU, DANNY, YOUR TIME
IS COMPLETED.

PETE GOLDLIST FOLLOWED BY DANNY
PATCH.

>> HI THERE.

I LIVE IN WARD 1.

I SERVE ON THE CITY'S PUBLIC ART
COMMITTEE.

I WANT TO EXPRESS MY
APPRECIATION THAT THE CITY
COUNCIL SEEMS TO NOW POSSIBLE BE

ENGAGED WITH RETHINKING THE
UNCONSTITUTIONAL AND LAWSUIT
READY AGREEMENT THAT OUR CURRENT
CITY MANAGER SIGNED WITH THE
FLOCK CORPORATION.

IT SHOULD BE PAINFULLY OBVIOUS
TO ALL OF US IT WOULD HAVE SAVED
US ALL A LOT OF GRIEF IF WE HAD
A CITY MANAGER WHO GAVE THIS
THOUGHTFUL K BEFORE WE ENTERED
INTO THIS AGREEMENT WITH A
PREDATORY PRIVATE COMPANY LIKE
THE FLOCK COMPANY.

NOW WE ARE HIRING FOR THAT JOB,
I HOPE THE CITY COUNCIL WILL
SEEK OUT A CANDIDATE WHO WILL
THINK TWICE WHEN EPD COMES TO
THEM SEEKING OUT MORE ADVANCED,
EVER MORE INTRUSIVE, EVER MORE
MILITARY GRADE TOOLS TO SURVEIL,
TRACK, AND IMPOSE CONTROL ON
YOUR CONSTITUENTS AS THEY GO
ABOUT THEIR BUSINESS ON THE MEAN

STREETS OF EUGENE.

I HOPE THE COUNCIL WILL FIND AND
INTERVIEW A CANDIDATE WITH THE
JUDGMENT TO KNOW THEY ARE
ULTIMATELY SERVING -- WHO THEY
ARE ULTIMATELY SERVING IN THIS
POSITION.

IT IS NOT SUPPOSED TO BE THE
POLICE DEPARTMENT.

IT IS SUPPOSED TO BE THE PEOPLE
OF THIS COMMUNITY.

I HOPE THE COUNCIL WILL SEARCH
FOR SOMEONE WITH MORAL BEARING
AND SOUND JUDGMENT NEXT TIME
PRESENTED WITH A PIECE OF PAPER
AND GROTESQUE AS THE HORRIBLE,
NO GOOD, VERY BAD CONTRACT WITH
FLOCK AND THIS CITY MANAGER
WOULD GIVE THAT THE
CONSIDERATION IT DESERVES.

I HOPE THE CITY COUNCIL WILL
LOOK FOR A CANDIDATE THAT WILL
HAVE THE HUMILITY TO SEEK INPUT

FROM THOUGHTFUL AND INFORMED AND
REASONABLE PEOPLE IN THIS
COMMUNITY THAT WILL BE AFFECTED
BY THE NEXT AGREEMENT.

THEY HAVE BEEN SHOWING UP FOR
THESE MEETINGS.

CLEARLY THEY WANT TO SHARE THEIR
EXPERIENCE AND EXPERTISE AND
NONE ARE SEEKING TO PROFIT FROM
SHARING WHAT THEY KNOW WITH YOU.

WOULDN'T IT BE LESS EMBARRASSING
IF WE HIRED A CITY MANAGER TO
GIVE THE PEOPLE ENOUGH
CONSIDERATION TO RUN THESE
THINGS BY US FIRST.

I URGE YOU TO LOOK FOR THAT
PERSON AND IMPRESS THIS IS WHAT
YOU EXPECT FROM THEM.

WOULDN'T IT BE NICE IF WE DID
THIS THE EASY WAY NEXT TIME.

THANK YOU.

>> THANK YOU, PETE.

DANNY PATCH FOLLOWED BY ANNIE

PERKINS.

>> JUST A SIDE QUESTION.

I WOULD LIKE TO KNOW WHAT
HAPPENED TO THE MONEY THAT WAS
RAISED THIS SUMMER ABOUT THE
FIRE SERVICE FEE, THE CITY
LITTLE RALLY YOU HAD AND YOU
RAISED SOMETHING SHORT OF
\$15,000.

WHAT HAPPENED TO THAT MONEY?
WHERE DID IT GO?

SO ANYWAY, I THINK WE ARE
HITTING OURSELVES AGAINST THE
WALL HERE.

WE ARE DEALING WITH A CITY
COUNCIL THAT HAS ALREADY
APPROVED THE SURVEILLANCE.
THEY ARE THE ONES THAT HELPED
PUT IT UP.

WHY ARE WE BEGGING THEM TO
CHANGE THEIR MIND?

I THINK IT IS TIME TO CHANGE
THEM.

IT IS TIME TO GET RID OF THESE
PEOPLE THAT ARE TRAITORS AND
STABBING US IN THE BACK.
IN A VERY SHORT TIME YOU HAVE
SPENT TENS UPON MILLIONS OF
DOLLARS FOR YOURSELVES AND LET'S
MAKE THIS REALLY CLEAR, YOU
BOUGHT THIS BROKEN TOILET FOR
YOURSELVES NOT US.
YOU STEAL OUR VOTE ON BE ABLE TO
VOTE ON OPERATING LEVIES.
SO WE NO LONGER HAVE A VOICE
THAT DEALS WITH OUR VOTE, OUR
FUNDAMENTAL RIGHT AS AN
AMERICAN.
YOU TALK ABOUT DEMOCRACY.
WHAT A HYPOCRITE YOU ARE.
A BLATANT HYPOCRITE, MADAM
MAYOR.
AND NOW YOU ARE WATCHING US.
YOU ARE NOT JUST WATCHING US,
YOU ARE RECORDING US.
YOU ARE RECORDING US.

YOU ARE JUST -- AND THEN YOU
TAKE OUR CITY STREETS, YOU STEAL
OUR LANES AND YOU CREATE THESE
CHAOS OF TRAFFIC NIGHTMARES AND
IT DESTROYS OUR BUSINESS.

IT DESTROYS OUR WAY OF CONDUCTS
AND HOLDS UP OUR EMERGENCY
SERVICES AS YOU JUST HEARD.

THESE PEOPLE ARE BROKEN.

WE NEED TO REPLACE THEM.

THEY ARE NOT SERVING US.

THEY ARE A BUNCH OF
SELF-SERVING, SELF-DEALING
ENRICHMENT FIENDS.

AND ALL THEY ARE DOING IS
STEALING OUR MONEY AND OUR VOTE
AND NOW THEY ARE RECORDING OUR
MOVEMENTS.

IT IS TIME TO GET RID OF THESE
FOOLS.

IT IS TIME TO REPLACE THEM.

STOP BEGGING THEM FOR SOMETHING
THEY'VE ALREADY DECIDED TO DO.

THEY PUT THE CAMERAS UP.

THESE ARE THE PEOPLE THAT DID
IT.

WELL, THEY OKAYED IT, RUBBER
STAMP.

WE LIKE WATCHING YOU OTHERWISE
YOU WOULD HAVE FOUGHT LIKE HELL
AND NOT HAVE DONE IT.

YOU KNOW, START TELLING THE
TRUTH FOR ONCE, MADAM MAYOR.

I ASKED YOU POINT BLANK AND YOU
LIED THIS SUMMER.

YOU LIED TO A WHOLE GROUP OF
NEIGHBORHOOD ASSOCIATIONS AND IT
WAS SO PATHETICALLY.

>> THANK YOU, YOUR TIME IS UP.

>> HI.

MY NAME IS ANNIE.

I LIVE IN SPRINGFIELD

TECHNICALLY, BUT MY LIFE AND MY
WORK AND EVERYTHING I DO IS IN
EUGENE AND I'M FROM EUGENE.

I'M STANDING HERE TONIGHT

BECAUSE I'M AFRAID OF THE PATH
OUR COUNTRY IS GOING DOWN AND I
DON'T THINK YOU ALL QUITE SEE
IT.

I DON'T THINK POLICE CHIEF
SKINNER SEES IT.

I WANT TO PAINT THE IMAGE OF
EUGENE, OREGON, WITHIN THE
BROADER STROKES AMERICA IS
MAKING IN 2025.

POLICE RAZE UNHOUSED
ENCAMPMENTS, SEIZE BELONGINGS
DOWN TO CLOSE WHILE MAJOR
TELEVISION NETWORKS CALL FOR
THEIR MURDER.

WE DEFUNDED CAHOOTS, COME AND
HUMANITY.

OUR PRESIDENT LABELED
TRANSGENDER INDIVIDUALS AS
TERRORISTS AND ASKED FOR REMOVAL
OF THOSE WHO SPEAK ILL OF THEM.
PEOPLE WHO WERE DETAINED IN
ALLIGATOR ALCATRAZ HAVE SIMPLY

VANISHED.

THE SUPREME COURT IS ROLLING
BACK SAME SEX MARRIAGE AND IN
JEANNE YOU PATROL OUR STREETS
AND MAKE A SPECTACLE OF THOSE
THEY DETAIN AT A FEDERAL
BUILDING.

WE ARE NOT MEASURING THE DAMAGE
OF THIS ADMINISTRATION IN YEARS,
BUT MONTHS.

FLOCK SAFETY IN OUR CITY IS NOT
A COINCIDENCE, IT IS THE NEXT
LOGICAL STEP IN A FASCISTIC
REGIMES.

THE CRACK DOWN ON SPEECH,
NOSTALGIA FOR MYTHICAL PEER
PATHS ARE STRAIGHT OUT OF NAZI
PLAYBOOK.

FLOCK SAFETY WORKS WITH I.C.E.
BY SIGNING A CONTRACT WITH
I.C.E., YOU HAVE NOT ONLY LET
NAZIS IN THE CITY OF EUGENE.
THIS IS A GOOGLE SEARCH, NOT

THEORY OR SPECULATION.

I URGE YOU TO REMEMBER YOUR
HISTORY AND I BEG YOU TO CONNECT
THE DOTS YOURSELVES SO PEOPLE
LIKE US DON'T HAVE TO DO IT FOR
YOU.

DON'T BE COMPLICIT.

THERE ARE A LOT OF PEOPLE HERE
TONIGHT, AND THAT SEEMS TO BE
THE THEME THESE DAYS AND IF WE
DON'T GET TO EVERYBODY TONIGHT,
I WOULD REQUEST THAT WE GIVE
EVERYBODY MORE TIME TO SPEAK.

THANK YOU.

>> THANK YOU ANNIE.

OUR NEXT SPEAKERS ARE MELANIE
HOLMES FOLLOWED BY JEFFREY
GORDON.

>> HELLO.

GOOD EVENING CITY COUNCIL
MEMBERS.

MY NAME IS MELANIE HOLMES, WARD
3 AND A PARAMEDIC.

LAST YEAR DURING A DIFFICULT
PREGNANCY I WAS TOLD LIGHT DUTY
I WOULD RECEIVE THE SAME LIGHT
DUTY PAYMENT THAT EVERY PREGNANT
FIREFIGHTERS.

DESPITE SUPPORT FROM MY PEERS,
AND OUR FIRE CHIEF THE CITY OF
EUGENE DENIED ME THAT
ACCOMMODATION.

I HAD TO USE MY FORCED LEAVE OR
WORK LONGER.

FORMING A FIRE DISTRICT WOULD
GIVE EUGENE SPRINGFIELD FIRE
AUTONOMY TO MAKE DECISIONS FOR
FIREFIGHTERS, PARAMEDICS AND
EMTs.

I FEEL LIKE A BOARD FOCUSED ON
IMPROVING OUR WORKING
ENVIRONMENT WOULD NOT HAVE ACTED
IN THIS MANNER.

BEYOND MY PERSONAL EXPERIENCE I
WANT TO EXPRESS HOW STRAINED OUR
SYSTEM IS ON MEDIC UNITS WE ARE

SO BUSY WE RUN OUT OF AMBULANCES
TO RESPOND TO EMERGENCIES IN
EUGENE, SPRINGFIELD AND RURAL
AREAS.

WE ARE UNDERSTAFFED AND
STRETCHED THIN.

I URGE YOU TO SUPPORT THE
CREATION OF A FIRE DISTRICT TO
BETTER CARE FOR OUR
FIREFIGHTERS, PAIRED MEDICS AND
EMTs AND THE PEOPLE WE SERVE.
OUR NEXT SPEAKERS ARE JEFFREY
GORDON FOLLOWED BY KY FIRESIDE.

>> GOOD EVENING.

MY NAME IS DR. JEFFREY GORDON.
I LIVE IN WARD 7 AND WORK AS A
LICENSED PSYCHOLOGIST.

BRIEFLY I WANT TO SAY YOU NEED
TO REINSTATE CAHOOTS SERVICES
ASAP.

THERE IS A MENTAL HEALTH CRISIS
IN OREGON AND LIVES ARE ON THE
LINE.

I ASK YOU BAN THE FLOCK CAMERAS
FEDERAL AGENCIES AND POLICE
DEPARTMENTS HAVE BEEN EMPOWERED
TO PERSECUTE IMMIGRANTS, WOMEN
SEEKING ABORTION, UNHOUSED AND
ACTIVISTS.

THE FLOCK PRESENCE WILL INVITE A
LAWSUIT FROM THE CONTRACTION
LDC.

END THE CONTRACT NOW IF YOU GIVE
A DAMN ABOUT PROTECTING THE
VULNERABLE MEMBERS OF OUR
COMMUNITY.

AND WHEN IT COMES TO YOUR WORK
SESSION, DO NOT TRUST A WORD
THAT THE FLOCK CORPORATE
REPRESENTATIVE SAYS AND DO NOT
TAKE CHIEF SKINNER ANY EPD
REPRESENTATIVE AT THEIR WORD
BECAUSE THEY HAVE ALREADY LIED
TO THE PUBLIC ABOUT THE
CAPABILITIES OF THE SPY SYSTEM
AND CIRCUMVENTED THE AUTHORITY

OF THE CITY COUNCIL IN GETTING
IT INSTALLED.

WELL, ACCEPT FOR COUNCILOR
GROVES AND THE CITY MANAGER,
THEY KNEW IT WAS HAPPENING.

FINALLY, I WOULD ALSO ASK CITY
COUNCIL TO ISSUE POLICY
PROHIBITING ANY ECONOMIC TIES
WITH THE STATE OF ISRAEL AND
ISRAELI COMPANIES.

THERE IS A HOLOCAUST HAPPENING
IN PALESTINE.

EVERY RELEVANT INTERNATIONAL
BODY, HUMAN RIGHTS GROUP HAS
DECLARED A GENOCIDE IS
HAPPENING.

IF EUGENE IS A CITY OF PEACE IT
SHOULD PUT ITS MONEY WHERE ITS
MOUTH IS.

>> NEXT SPEAKERS ARE KY FIRESIDE
AND ELLY URBANSIC.

>> Mayor Knudson: JUST A BRIEF
REMINDER TO THE ROOM, WHEN THE

SPEAKER IS AT THE PODIUM, THEY
SHOULD BE THE ONLY PERSON
SPEAKING.

>> TONIGHT I WANT TO PREFACE I
AM NOT ACCUSING ANYONE OF
ANYTHING.

I AM JUST ASKING SOME QUESTIONS.
MAYBE SOME OF THESE QUESTIONS
ARE THINGS YOU CAN ASK DURING
YOUR WORK SESSION ON FLOCK.

WHAT IS EPD DOING WITH SO MANY
SEARCHS EACH MONTH?

SOME AGENCIES PUBLISH HOW MANY
SEARCHS THEY DO?

RENO, NEVADA, 118, OLYMPIA,
WASHINGTON, 117.

WHEN I CHECKED EPD IT WAS 1,300.

TODAY IT IS DOWN TO 900.

WHY IS THE PER CAPITA SEARCH
VOLUME SO HIGH?

THERE ARE QUESTIONS ABOUT THE
INDIVIDUALS DOING SEARCHS.

WE HAVE THE AUDIT LOGS.

WE HAVE ONE USER WHO SEARCHED
FLOCK'S DATABASE 11 DAYS IN A
ROW.

IS IT NORMAL FOR AN OFFICER TO
WORK 11 DAYS IN A ROW?

WE HAVE MULTIPLE PEOPLE
SEARCHING FOR MORE THAN SIX DAYS
A ROW.

ONE USER MADE 186 SEARCHS SINCE
JULY 1.

HOW IS ONE PERSON MAKING AS MANY
SEARCHS AS AN ENTIRE COUNTY?

DON'T WE HAVE A BUDGET ISSUE?

IF IT IS NOT OVERTIME, ARE
PEOPLE SHARING LOG IN INFO,
ASKED TO WORK OFF THE CLOCK,
SEARCHING ON THEIR OWN TIME.

THE SO-CALLED TRANSPARENCY
PORTAL LISTS 60 CAMERAS.

WHY THE THE DISCREPANCY?

I DID A RIDE ALONG WITH ANOTHER
JURISDICTION.

THEY HAD THE FLOCK CAMERA ON

THEIR DASH BOARDS.

EVERY SINGLE CAR WAS RECORDED
EVEN IN A DRIVEWAY, IN THEIR OWN
HOME.

IF THERE WAS TRUE TRANSPARENCY
WE WOULD KNOW ANSWERS TO MANY OF
THESE QUESTIONS.

MY LAST QUESTION, THOUGH, IS
THIS.

WHY ARE WE THE ONES DOING ALL
THIS RESEARCH?

SOME OVERSIGHT BODY SHOULD BE
DOING THIS.

AS WE REPEATED TO YOU OVER AND
OVER, THIS SYSTEM IS DESIGNED TO
EVADE OVERSIGHT.

THERE ARE PLACES I WOULD RATHER
BE RIGHT NOW AND THINGS I WOULD
RATHER BE DOING, BUT THIS IS SO
IMPORTANT BECAUSE WE ARE ON THE
EDGE OF GIVING UP A HUGE LIBERTY
HERE BY ALLOWING THIS.

YOU DO NOT HAVE TO BE SURVEILLED

EVERYWHERE YOU GO.

THAT IS NOT A QUALITY OF LIVING

IN A FREE AND JUST SOCIETY.

THANK YOU.

>> THANK YOU, KY.

OUR NEXT SPEAKERS ARE ELLY

FOLLOWED BY CHRIS CASE.

>> HELLO.

MY NAME IS ELLY URBANSIC.

I'M WARD 3 AND WOULD LIKE TO

EXPRESS MY CONCERNS ABOUT THE

FLOCK SURVEILLANCE SYSTEM.

THE HARM COULD BE MITIGATED OR

ELIMINATED BY RESPONSIBLE USE BY

THE CITY OF EUGENE AND THIS

UNDERSTANDS THE HARMS MANY OF US

ARE DEEPLY CONCERNED ABOUT.

THE DECISION TO INSTALL THE

SYSTEM HAS BEEN MADE IN

RETROACTIVE POLITICAL ACTION.

IN RECENT MONTHS STUDENTS MY AGE

AND YOUNGER HAVE BEEN CONFRONTED

IN THEIR HOMES BY RIOT POLICE

FOR NONVIOLENT ACTIONS THEY
ENGAGED IN EARLIER.

INDIVIDUALS WHO HAVE BEEN
MEDICALLY TRANSITIONS FOR YEARS
OR DECADES ARE FACING A MASSIVE
WAVE OF STATE SCRUTINY AND
CRIMINALIZATION.

ALONG WITH THOSE SEEKING
PRENATAL CARE.

THOSE VISIBLY DISABLED ARE LEFT
OUT OF COMMUNITY.

IMMIGRANT FAMILIES WHO FOLLOW
EVERY HURDLE TO BE HERE ARE
RIPPED APART.

THE HARM IN THE FLOCK SYSTEM
DOES NOT LAY IN THE CITY OF
EUGENE'S LACK OF THOUGHT.

IT LIES IN THE VERY COLLECTION
OF THIS DATA.

EVERY SECOND OF THESE CAMERAS
ROLLING CREATES TANGIBLE DANGER
TO THE MARGINALIZED RESIDENTS OF
EUGENE.

MOST CRUCIALLY OF ALL, NO MATTER
HOW THIS DATA IS USED IT ON
GOING COLLECTION IS HARMING TO
PEOPLE OF EUGENE.

I SHOULD NOT HAVE TO WONDER IF
IT IS SAFE FOR MY IMMIGRANT
LOVED ONES TO BE SEEN IN PUBLIC
WITH ME AFTER I PARTICIPATED IN
PEACEFUL PROTEST OR CIVIL
DISOBEDIENCE.

THIS CHILLING EFFECT, THIS FEAR
IS REAL HARM.

I IMPORE YOU IN YOUR UPCOMING
WORK SESSION TO END THE CONTRACT
WITH FLOCK IMMEDIATELY.

THANK YOU.

>> MY NAME IS CHRIS CASE.

I'M A RESIDENT OF WARD 7.

STATEWIDE EXECUTIVE OFFICERS FOR
SEO513 AND LOCAL MEMBER OF PSL
EUGENE.

I'M HERE TO DEMAND THE FLOCK
CONTRACT BE CANCELED AND

FURTHERMORE POINT OUT THE
HYPOCRISY OF A BODY OF PEOPLE
WHO WILL TALK ABOUT THE MOST
MARGINALIZED MEMBERS OF OUR
COMMUNITY AND DIRECTLY INSTALL
THINGS THAT WOULD MAKE THEIR
LIVES WORST.

IT IS HYPOCRITICAL READING A
LAND ACKNOWLEDGEMENT IN THE
CITY, STATE AND COUNTRY MAKING
MONEY OF A GENOCIDE IN GAZA
RIGHT NOW.

CITY COUNCILORS SERVE AT THE
PLEASURE OF YOUR CONSTITUENTS.

I SEE THAT, YOU KNOW, THEY MAY
SEEM LIKE A SMUG THING TO LAUGH
ABOUT TO SOME MEMBERS OF THE
CITY COUNCIL, BUT IT IS TRUE.

WE HAVE THE POWER TO CHANGE WHO
IS ON THE CITY COUNCIL AND MAKE
SURE IT REPRESENTS THE VALUES OF
THE PEOPLE IN THIS COMMUNITY.

I THINK WE ARE GOING TO START

DOING THAT AS SOON AS WE GET
SOME NEW CITY PLANNERS IN CHARGE
AND PEOPLE WHO GIVE A DAMN ABOUT
WHAT GOES ON IN THIS CITY.

TO REITERATE, FLOCK NEEDS TO GO
AND SOME OF THE RESOURCES HAVE
BEEN SQUANDERED AND SOME PEOPLE
HAVE DONE THINGS IN THE DEAD OF
NIGHT BY MAKING DEALS WITH
COMMISSIONER SKINNER, SOME
PEOPLE NEED TO GO AS WELL.

>> HEY, EVERYBODY.

MY NAME IS CHLOE LONGWORTH, I
USE SHE/THEY PRONOUNS.

AND I'M A RESIDENT OF WARD 7.

ARE YOU ALL TIRED OF HEARING
ABOUT FLOCK.

RETIRING IT.

DONE THIS TWICE THIS MONTH.

SAT THROUGH 90 MINUTES LAST TIME
OF CONSTANT TALK ABOUT HOW FLOCK
NEEDS TO GO.

MAKES ME A LITTLE SLEEPY, I

DON'T KNOW ABOUT YOU ALL, BUT IT
IS PRETTY CLEAR THAT THE PEOPLE
WANT FLOCK GONE.

THIS ISN'T JUST LIKE A ONE OFF
GROUP OF PEOPLE.

THIS IS THE MAJORITY OF THE
PEOPLE COMING HERE.

THIS IS THE MAJORITY OF THE
PEOPLE THAT WANT TO SAY ANYTHING
TO SPEAK UP AND REPRESENT THE
CITY THAT THEY LIVE IN.

WE SPEAK TO OUR REPRESENTATIVES
SAYING HEY, THIS IS HOW WE
UNANIMOUSLY FEEL.

AND WE GET NOTHING BACK FROM
Y'ALL.

AND IT IS SICKENING.

IT IS SO TIRING TO LIVE IN A
CITY WHERE I AM SCREAMING FOR MY
RIGHTS AND FIGHTING LIKE WHO
KNOWS WHAT FOR MY RIGHTS EVERY
DAY.

AND HEARING NOTHING BACK.

AND IT IS MAKING ME TIRED.

BUT I'M GOING TO KEEP SHOWING
UP.

I'M GOING TO KEEP TELLING Y'ALL
TO GET RID OF THOSE FLOCK
CAMERAS AS LONG AS WE HAVE THEM
AND I KNOW THERE ARE A LOT OF
PEOPLE BEHIND ME THAT FEEL THE
SAME WAY.

WE ARE TIRED, BUT WE ARE NOT
DEFEATED AND WE WILL KEEP COMING
BACK AND WE WILL KEEP DEMANDING
OUR PROTECTION FROM THE
DYSTOPIAN NIGHTMARE THAT WE LIVE
IN.

>> THANK YOU CHLOE.

OUR NEXT SPEAKERS ARE KEVIN
RUSSELL, FOLLOWED BY FIONA
GLEDHILL.

>> KEVIN RUSSELL, WARD 7.

FLOCK CAMERAS ARE ILLEGAL IN THE
UNITED STATES CONSTITUTION
AMENDMENT FOUR THE BILL OF

RIGHTS, QUOTE, THE RIGHT OF THE
PEOPLE TO BE SECURE IN THEIR
PERSONS, HOUSES, PAPERS AND
EFFECTS AGAINST UNREASONABLE
SEARCHS AND SEIZURES SHALL NOT
BE VIOLATED.

NO WARRANT SHALL ISSUE BUT UPON
PROBABLE CAUSE, SUPPORTED BY
OATH OR AFFIRMATION AND
PARTICULARLY DESCRIBING THE
PLACE TO BE SEARCHED AND THE
PERSONS OR THINGS TO BE SEIZED.

NO, WE'RE NOT TAKING PEOPLE TO
JAIL, BUT ARE WE SECURE?

NO.

IN OUR PERSONS?

EVERYWHERE WE GO, THERE'S FLOCK
CAMERAS.

UNREASONABLE.

IT'S UNREASONABLE.

SEARCHS AND SEIZURES, YES, YOU
SEIZE PEOPLE BY KNOWING WHERE
EVERYONE IS ALL THE TIME.

YOU HAVE BEEN SEIZED HERE.

YOU HAVE BEEN SEIZED THERE.

SEIZED EVERYWHERE.

YOU KNOW, AND WITH THE FEDERAL

POWERS THAT BE, YOU KNOW, IT'S

NOT GOING TO BE LONG BEFORE

PEOPLE ARE EXECUTED, TORTURED,

IMPRISONED.

YEAH.

THIS IS THE RESULT OF FLOCK

CAMERAS.

THE END RESULT, THEY ARE

ILLEGAL.

THEY HAVE TO GO.

THAT'S ALL.

>> THANK YOU, KEVIN.

OUR NEXT SPEAKERS ARE FIONA

GLEDHILL, FOLLOWED BY JOSH

EASTERLAND.

>> GOOD EVENING.

I HEAR THE WORD TIRED SO MANY

TIMES.

I ALSO AM HERE AFTER FOUR TIRING

YEARS OF TRYING TO GET HONEST
INFORMATION OR APPROPRIATE
RESPONSE OR ACTUALLY A RESPONSE
OF ANY KIND AT ALL REGARDING AN
ACCURATE ACCOUNTING OF THE
PUBLIC RIGHT-OF-WAY AND SIDEWALK
LOCATION ADJOINING THE DOWNTOWN
CITY STREETS AT EIGHTH AND
LAWRENCE WHERE I OWN AND OPERATE
PROPERTY.

WITHOUT EXAGGERATION, I HAVE
SENT HUNDREDS OF E-MAILS TO ALL
OF YOU WOULD REPLY AND PHONE
CALLS.

THESE POLITE CALLS BEGGING FOR
THE HOPE OF THE CURRENT AND
FORMER MAYORS, AMONG ALL OF YOU.

IN 2021 I REACHED OUT FOR HELP
DELINEATING THE CITY STREET ON
EIGHTH AND MY PRIVATE PROPERTY
ABUTTING IT.

IN 2023 I RECEIVED A FIRST
REPLY.

IN 2024 CITY SURVEYOR AND AN
ENGINEER AND PUBLIC WORKS
DIRECTOR PROVIDED A REPORT AND
ACTION ITEM SUMMARY WITH A
RECOMMENDATION TO TRANSFER A
PIECE OF PUBLIC LAND TO ME BY
COUNCIL VOTE AFTER PRESENTATION
AND REVIEW.

WEEKS LATER, JIM COLTON
TESTIFIED UNDER PENALTY OF
PERJURY IN THE LANE COUNTY COURT
THAT SAME TRANSFER AND DEED HE
HAD WRITTEN UNDER THE CITY
ATTORNEY'S GUIDANCE, FROM WHAT
MY UNDERSTANDING IS, THAT WAS
REPRESENTED THE LAND THAT WAS
VACATED WAS INVALID AND ILLEGAL.
HE SWORE THAT I OWNED ANOTHER
THREE FEET SOUTH FORCED UPON MY
PREDECESSOR AND BY AN UNRECORDED
ACT OF PROPOSED EMINENT DOMAIN.
NO EVIDENCE OF SUCH A HIGHLY
LIMITED AND PRECIOUS

CONSTITUTIONALLY POWER HAS BEEN
RECORDED NOR ANY RECORD OF THE
JUST COMPENSATION BY OREGON AND
THE UNITED STATES CONSTITUTION
WAS EVER PRESENTED TO ME.

MR. ROME, THE CITY RECORDER
NEVER RESPONDED TO MY QUESTION.

THE EUGENE CITY SURVEY INVESTOR
HAS EMPOWERED A PRIVATE PART TO
ACQUIRE LAND ILLEGALLY AND MORE
IMPORTANTLY UNCONSTITUTIONALLY.

THERE HAS BEEN NO PUBLIC RECORD
PRESENTED IN SUPPORT OF THESE
ACTIONS.

THE CITY RECORDER HAS NOT
RECORDED EVIDENCE OF DOCUMENT
ORDINANCE, RECORDINGS OF ANY
KIND TO SUPPORT THIS WHOLLY
ILLEGAL THEORY AND WILDLY
INAPPROPRIATE ACTION AND REFUSED
TO LOOK AT THE WANTON LAWS AND
DISSEMINATED UN --

>> THANK YOU, FIONA.

OUR NEXT SPEAKERS ARE JOSH
EASTERLAND FOLLOWED BY SOFIA
WEAR.

>> HOWDY CITY COUNCILORS.

I HOPE YOU HAD A NICE SUMMER
BREAK.

I'M JOSH EASTERLAND, WARD 8,
TRYING TO DECRIMINALIZE GROWING
AND USING PSYCHEDELIC.
PRACTICES WITH PLANTS HAVE LONG
EXISTED AND CONSIDERED TO BE
SACRED TO HUMAN CULTURES AND
INTERRELATIONSHIPS WITH NATURE
FOR THOUSANDS OF YEARS AND
CONTINUE TO BE ENHANCED AND
IMPROVED TO THIS DAY BY
RELIGIOUS AND SPIRITUAL LEADERS,
PRACTICING PROFESSIONALS,
MENTORS AND HEALERS THROUGHOUT
THE WORLD MANY OF WHOM HAVE BEEN
FORCED UNDERGROUND AND WHEREAS
SEEKING TO IMPROVE THEIR HEALTH
AND WELL BEING, AND THE HEALTH

AND WELL BEING OF OTHERS THROUGH
THE USE OF THESE PLANTS AND MUST
USE THEM IN FEAR OF ARREST AND
PROSECUTION AND WHEREAS THE --
PLANT PRACTICES OF CERTAIN
GROUPS ARE EXPLICITLY PROTECTED
UNDER THE DOCTRINE OF RELIGIOUS
FREEDOM.

THE USE OF AYAHUASCA, BY TWO
CHURCHES.

AND WHEREAS THE UNITED NATIONS
CONSIDERS THESE PLANT MATERIALS
USED FOR RITUAL PURPOSES AS
EXCLUDED FROM SCHEDULE 1
SUBSTANCES AND WHEREAS THESE
PLANTS CONTAINING IBOGAINE, FOR
EXAMPLE, HAVE BEEN SHOWN TO
ALLEVIATE TREMENDOUS RESISTANCE
CASES OF OPIATE ADDICTION.

IN ADDITION IT IS REPORTED TO BE
BENEFICIAL FOR ADDICTION THERAPY
SPECIFIC TO RELATED TO SPECIFIC
WORK RELATED PTSD ENCOUNTERED BY

EMTs, POLICE OFFICERS AND
FIREFIGHTERS AS WELL AS MILITARY
VETERANS.

AND WHEREAS THESE PLANTS OR
COMBINATIONS OF PLANTS SUCH AS
AYAHUASCA, CONTAIN DMT, A
NATURALLY OCCURRING COMPOUND IN
THE BODY IS LISTED AS A SCHEDULE
1 SUBSTANCE CAN LEAD TO
EXPERIENCES THAT ARE REPORTED AS
MYSTICAL OR SIMILAR TO
NEAR-DEATH EXPERIENCES AND THAT
CAN BE DEMONSTRABLY IN PERSONAL
AND SPIRITUAL GROWTH AND I'LL
STOP THERE.

SEE YOU GUYS NEXT TIME.

>> THANK YOU, JOSH.

NEXT SPEAKER SOFIA WEAR FOLLOWED
BY CAROL CRUMB.

>> OKAY.

HELLO.

I LIVE AND WORK IN EUGENE.

I'M A FORMER RESIDENT.

I ALSO WAS AT THE SPRINGFIELD
CITY COUNCIL MEETING A LOT OF
PEOPLE WERE SPEAKING AROUND
FLOCK AND THEY STILL APPARENTLY
WERE INSTALLED TODAY.

IT IS NOT OKAY A THIRD PARTY NOT
THE CITY OR THE POLICE
DEPARTMENT HAS ACCESS TO THIS
DATA.

THIS IS ALL OF US AND I MEAN,
LIKE, IT BASICALLY IT THREATENS
THE RIGHTS OF EVERYONE, OUR
PRIVACY, CONSTITUTIONAL RIGHTS,
CHILDREN'S FACES AND BEHAVIOR
LIKE PARENTS DON'T HAVE THE
ABILITY TO PROTECT THEIR OWN
CHILDREN.

LIKE, AND ALSO, LIKE, VULNERABLE
GROUPS.

THAT COULD BE ANYONE.

AND OUR LOVED ONES.

I IDENTIFY AS A WOMAN.

LIKE, IF I EVER NEEDED TO SEEK

ABORTION, THAT COULD BE
CRIMINALIZED TRANS PEOPLE,
IMMIGRANTS.

A LAND ACKNOWLEDGEMENT.

WE ARE ACKNOWLEDGING PEOPLE WERE
DISPLACED OFF THIS LAND.

I'M A WHITE PERSON.

MY FAMILY ARE IMMIGRANTS TO THIS
LAND AND I MEAN, LIKE, HOUSELESS
PEOPLE.

SO JUST, LIKE, VULNERABLE
GROUPS.

THAT IS A LOT OF PEOPLE AND,
LIKE, IT IS LIKE REAL DANGER.

AND FLOCK CAMERAS ARE EASILY
HACKED.

SOMEBODY ELSE SPOKE STRONGLY TO
THAT.

THE POLICE DEPARTMENTS THERE
HAVE BEEN MANY INSTANCES OF
RACIAL PROFILING.

LOOK IT UP ONLINE.

IT IS FALSELY FINDING PEOPLE.

THESE VIOLATIONS ARE NOT AN OKAY
TRADEOFF.

IT IS DRAGNET POLICING,
PREEMPTIVE POLICES.

WHAT HAPPENED TO INNOCENT UNTIL
PROVEN GUILTY.

IT IS EVERYONE.

THERE IS A STUDY BY FLOCK CITING
ITS SUCCESS.

THIS IS REFUTED BY THE ACADEMIC
WHO WORKED ON IT AND IT WAS DONE
BY FLOCK EMPLOYEES.

IT IS A FOR-PROFIT COMPANY.

IT IS NOT ABOUT JUSTICE.

IT IS TO MAKE MONEY.

THESE CAMERAS ARE GOING UP
WITHOUT PUBLIC KNOWLEDGE AND
CONSENT, LIKE, I MEAN, I --

THERE'S JUST LIKE BASICALLY
PEOPLE HAVE BEEN ADVOCATING
AGAINST THEM AND IT'S GOING ON
AHEAD.

THAT IS NOT OKAY.

AND THERE'S SO MUCH MORE TO SAY.

LIKE, IT DOESN'T SAVE MONEY.

IT TAKES UP MORE ENERGY.

WE HAVE CLIMATE CHANGE.

LIKE, WE NEED WATER, AI, THIS IS

ALL EXPANDING WITHOUT OUR

EXTENT.

THIS IS OUR LIFE.

THANK YOU, SOFIA.

CAROL CRUMB FOLLOWED BY MY YEAH

BARLUV.

>> I'M CAROL CRUMB A RESIDENT OF

WARD 2.

MY COMMENTS ARE NOT ASSOCIATED

WITH MY EMPLOYER.

SAFETY IN OUR COMMUNITY IS A

VALUE THAT I'M SURE WE ALL

SHARE.

HOWEVER, SHOULD SAFETY COME AT

THE RISK OF OUR PRIVACY, OF

FREEDOM FROM MASS SURVEILLANCE?

SURVEILLANCE DOES NOT EQUATE TO

SAFETY AND I'M URGING YOU ALL TO

VOID THE FLOCK CONTRACT.

WHEN OUR COUNTRY IS DESCENDING
IN FASCISM, EXPANDING TOOLS OF
MASS SURVEILLANCE IS A BAD IDEA.

I URGE YOU TO THINK OF THE
CHALLENGES OUR IMMIGRANT
NEIGHBORS, BIPOC, DISABLED,
QUEER, TRANS NEIGHBORS ARE
FACING IN THIS POLITICAL CLIMATE
AND HOW THE FLOCK CAMERAS ARE
USED AS A TOOL TO FURTHER HARM
US.

I ENCOURAGE YOU TO VOID THE
CONTRACT TO HELP IMPROVE
COMMUNITY SATE.

>> THANK YOU.

>> GOOD EVENING.

I WAS HERE TO TALK ABOUT FLOCK
CAMERAS.

MY NAME IS MAYA BARLOVE, I'M
FROM WARD 2.

I WANT TO GIVE ONE DETAIL ABOUT
HOW THESE FLOCK CAMERAS HAVE

BEEN USED IN OTHER STATES.

BECAUSE I HEARD THAT SENATOR RON
WYDEN GOT ASSURANCES FROM FLOCK
CAMERAS THAT THEY WOULD BLOCK
ANY REQUEST FROM OUT OF STATE
AGENCIES THAT MENTIONED
IMMIGRATION OR ABORTION.

UNFORTUNATELY, THAT IS NOT
REALLY GOING TO WORK VERY WELL
BECAUSE IT RELIES ON THE
AGENCIES THAT ARE MAKING THE
REQUESTS, GIVING THE REASON
HONESTLY WHY THEY ARE MAKING
THAT REQUEST.

AND IT WAS FOUND, FOR EXAMPLE,
IN COLORADO THAT WHAT THEY WOULD
DO IS ONE OF THE ACCOUNTS THAT
HAD ACCESS TO A LOCAL FLOCK
SYSTEM, A POLICE OFFICER WOULD
SHARE HIS PASSWORD WITH THE ETF.
AND THE ETF WOULD MAKE THESE
REQUESTS ON BEHALF OF I.C.E.
SO THIS WHOLE THING WAS

HAPPENING WITHOUT ANYONE KNOWING
UNTIL IT WAS ALREADY REPORTED IN
THE NEWS.

VERY SIMILARLY, THERE WAS AN
INCIDENT IN ILLINOIS THAT
HAPPENED THE SAME WAY, THIS TIME
IT HAPPENED WITH ABORTION.

A SHERIFF IN TEXAS HAD REQUESTED
THIS INFORMATION.

SO JUST GETTING ASSURANCES THAT
THEY WON'T USE THIS INFORMATION
IMPROPERLY, IT IS NAIVE TO HOPE
THE BAD ACTORS THAT WE ARE
TRYING TO KEEP THIS INFORMATION
AWAY FROM WILL BE HONEST AND
TRANSPARENT WHY THEY ARE TRYING
TO GET THIS INFORMATION.

AND IT IS SCARY INFORMATION.

I MEAN, YOU KNOW, WHERE EVERYONE
HAS BEEN, WHERE EVERYONE IS.

WHERE THEY HAVE GONE, WHAT THEY
ARE DOING.

IT IS NOT HARD TO THINK OF THE

MISUSE.

IF YOU WANT IT NOT TO BE
MISUSED, THE ONLY SAFE WAY TO
KEEP THAT INFORMATION OUT OF THE
WRONG HANDS IS TO NOT PUT IT ALL
IN ONE PLACE, COLLECT ALL THIS
INFORMATION ALL THE TIME, PUT A
LITTLE BOW TIE ON IT.

AND, OF COURSE, THEY HAVE ALSO
STARTED OFFERING SERVICES FOR
PREDICTIVE ALGORITHMS.

NOW THAT SHOULD BE OBVIOUSLY
SCARY, NOT JUST WITHOUT A
WARRANT, NOT JUST WITHOUT
PROBABLE CAUSE BUT TO GENERATE
PROBABLE CAUSE ON ANYONE SINCE
THEY ARE SURVEILLING EVERYONE.

THAT'S CLEARLY NOT OKAY.

THANK YOU FOR LISTENING.

>> THANK YOU, MAYA.

>> APPRECIATE IT.

THANK YOU CITY COUNCIL AND
MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC FOR

ADDRESSING THE EVENING.

MY NAME IS STEPHANE STRECK AND
JUST LIKE EVERY SINGLE PERSON
WHO HAS SPOKEN, I'M AGAINST THE
FLOCK CAMERAS.

IT IS IMPORTANT TO NOTE THAT
FASCISM IS NOT A RIGHT WING OR
LEFT WING IDEOLOGY.

IT IS SIMPLY THE CORPORATIZATION
OF THE STATE.

TURNING OVER THE STATE FUNCTION
OF SECURITY AND LAW ENFORCEMENT
TO THE HANDS OF A PRIVATE
CORPORATION IS LITERALLY THE
TEXTBOOK DEFINITION FOR FASCISM,
WHICH YOU'VE SIGNED ON TO.

REGARDLESS OF THAT, YOU CAN JUST
PLEASE FEEL FREE TO IGNORE
EVERYTHING I HAVE TO SAY, AS
USUAL, AND PLEASE JUST IMAGINE
THAT WE ALL HERE HAVE JUST ABOUT
TWO MINUTES LEFT TO LIVE.

NOW, THIS SUMMER, UNFORTUNATELY,

THERE WERE ABOUT FOUR, MAYBE
FIVE DEATHS, I BELIEVE, WHICH
HAPPENED JUST NOT TOO FAR AWAY
IN THIS RIVER WHICH IS RIGHT
NEXT TO THIS BUILDING.

AND IT BOTHERS ME BECAUSE THIS
HAPPENS EVERY SINGLE YEAR THAT
GOOD PEOPLE IN THIS COMMUNITY
DIE BECAUSE NOBODY HAS THE
COMMON SENSE AND DECENCY TO SAY
THAT THIS MUST STOP.

THERE WAS A LOWHEAD DAMN THAT IS
NOT VISIBLE, ESPECIALLY IF YOU
ARE NEW TO TOWN, HERE FOR THE
SUMMER, WANTING TO GET OUT OF
THE HEAT.

THE CENTRAL WATER FEATURE OF
THIS TOWN IS SOMETHING THAT MOST
PEOPLE WOULD CONSIDER A SAFE
OPTION.

IT OUGHT TO BE MAINTAINED AND
MANAGED IN A RESPONSIBLE WAY AND
THIS HAS NOT HAPPENED.

ONE OF THESE PEOPLE WHO DIED
THIS SUMMER WAS A BOY I BELIEVE
ABOUT 12 YEARS OLD.
WHAT DO YOU THINK HE HAD TO LOOK
BACK ON IN THOSE COUPLE OF
MINUTES AT THE END OF HIS LIFE?
AS BLACK AND DARK AS THE SKY OUT
THERE TODAY AND NOTHING HAS BEEN
SAID ABOUT HOW TO PREVENT THIS
FROM HAPPENING NEXT SUMMER.
NOT EVEN 30 DAYS LATER, A MAN
PROBABLY ABOUT 50 YEARS OLD WITH
RAFTING EXPERIENCE DIED
BASICALLY IN THE SAME LOCATION.
NOW, THIS IS SOMETHING THAT
ACTUALLY TAKES THE CITY COUNCIL
TO MAKE A SOLUTION HAPPEN.
DON'T INSULT PEOPLE BY TALKING
ABOUT A CONVERSATION, A
DISCUSSION OR A REVIEW BOARD.
FIX IT.
THANK YOU.
>> THANK YOU, STEPHANE.

OUR NEXT SPEAKERS ARE DAN ALLRED
FOLLOWED BY HUNTER HUTCHENS.

>> GOOD EVENING, I SERVE AS VICE
PRESIDENT FOR IFF LOCAL 851.

I'M HERE TO TALK ABOUT THE
CURRENT STATE OF YOUR FIRE
DEPARTMENT.

IN 2003 I TOOK AN OATH TO
PROTECT THE LIVES AND PROPERTY
OF THE CITIZENS OF EUGENE.

I TAKE THAT OATH SERIOUSLY.

IT GUIDES EVERY DECISION I MAKE,
BUT WITH EACH PASSING YEAR IT IS
BECOMING MORE DIFFICULT TO
UPHOLD.

LOOKING AROUND THIS ROOM I SEE
LEADERS WHO CARE ABOUT THIS
CITY.

MY FELLOW FIREFIGHTERS AND I ARE
HERE BECAUSE OUR EMERGENCY
RESPONSE SYSTEM IS REACHING A
BREAKING POINT THAT PUTS OUR
SAFETY AND COMMUNITY AT RISK.

WHEN I BEGAN MY CAREER MORE THAN
20 YEARS AGO THE JOB LOOKED VERY
DIFFERENT.

ON A TYPICAL SHIFT WE WOULD
RESPOND TO THREE TO 10 CALLS AND
LOOK AT FIRE PROTECTION SYSTEMS
AND RESPOND QUICKLY AND
EFFECTIVELY.

TODAY MOST ENGINES RESPOND TO
TWICE AS MANY CALLS.

TRAINING IS NO LONGER
CONSISTENT, IT IS RUSHED AND
INTERRUPTED.

CALLS ARE MORE COMPLEX AND TOO
OFTEN I HAVE NO IDEA WHERE THE
CLOSEST MEDIC UNIT IS COMING
FROM.

SOMETIMES I'M FORCED TO MAKE
IMPOSSIBLE CHOICES TO PULL A
MEDIC OFF A FIRE ENGINE.

IT PUTS THE FIRE ENGINE OUT OF
SERVICE WHICH MEANS SLOWER
RESPONSE TIMES FOR THE SERVICE

AREA.

RESPONSE TIMES ARE INCREASING.

WE OFTEN HAVE LESS THAN 10
MINUTES TO CONTAIN A FIRE BEFORE
IT COMES TOO DANGEROUS, LESS
TIME IF SOMEONE IS TRAPPED
INSIDE.

THIS IS LIFE AND DEATH.

SINCE 1981 CALLS FOR SERVICE
HAVE INCREASED BY MORE THAN
1,000%.

LET ME SAY THAT AGAIN.

1,000%.

NOT A SINGLE UNIT HAS BEEN ADDED
TO THE CITY OF EUGENE.

I'M NOT HERE TO POINT FINGERS.

I'M HERE TO FIND SOLUTIONS.

CREATING A FIRE DISTRICT WILL
PUT US ON A PATH OF
SUSTAINABILITY AND LONG-TERM
IMPROVEMENTS.

THE SPRINGFIELD FIRE DEPARTMENT
WAS THE FIRST STEP BUT RIGHT NOW

OUR BUDGET IS VULNERABLE.

YEAR AFTER YEAR THE DEMANDS ARE
NOT.

THE COMMUNITY DESERVES BETTER.

EUGENE SPRINGFIELD FIRE

FUNCTIONS LIKE A REGIONAL FIRE
DEPARTMENT.

IT IS TIME TO FUND IT LIKE ONE.

WE NEED MORE UNITS, BETTER
COVERAGE, FASTER RESPONSE TIMES
AND GUARANTEED FUNDING ONLY A
FIRE DISTRICT WILL BRING.

IN CLOSING, EVERY OATH I HAVE
EVER TAKEN WAS ABOUT PROTECTING
PEOPLE.

WE NEED YOUR HELP, YOUR
LEADERSHIP, WE NEED A FIRE
DISTRICT.

>> HUNTER HUTCHENS FOLLOWED BY
JO JO BRESLIN.

>> MY NAME IS HUNTER HUTCHINS,
WARD 1.

ACROSS THE ALLEY IS A COMMERCIAL

PROPERTY THAT INSTALLED A LOUD
REFRIGERATION MACHINE THAT RUNS
ON AND OFF ALL DAY AND ALL
NIGHT.

IT INTERRUPTS MY SLEEP, WHEN I
AM TRYING TO RECORD AUDIO,
TRYING TO CONCENTRATE OR RELAX.
WITH MY DOUBLE PAINED WINDOWS
CLOSED THIS NOISE IS HEARD.

I CONTACTED CODE ENFORCEMENT AND
IN MY DISCUSSION WITH THE
INSPECTOR IS THERE ARE 60
DECIBELS.

I GOT THE IDEA THERE ISN'T A
CODE.

THEY MEASURED 58 DECIBEL A THE
PROPERTY LINE, AFTER MIDNIGHT,
TOO.

I PUT A PROGRAM ON MY PHONE TO
MEASURE NOISE WHICH THE
INSPECTOR REMINDED ME IT IS NOT
THAT ACCURATE, BUT GIVES A
GENERAL IDEA.

THERE IS A 43 DECIBELS TO 60
DECIBELS AFTER MIDNIGHT ALL
NIGHT LONG.

53 DECIBELS IS 100 TIMES LOUDER
THAN 43 DECIBELS.

I REMIND YOU THE INSPECTOR
MEASURED 58 DECEMBER PELL BELLS
OUTSIDE MY BEDROOM AND THIS IS
BELOW THE CODE LIMIT OF 60
DECIBELS.

I ASK FOR A STANDARD ON NOISE.
IN THIS CASE IT IS CONCERNING AN
INDUSTRIAL MACHINE IN A
RESIDENTIAL AREA.

YOU COULD SAY PROPERTIES
ADJOINING COULD NOT EXCEED 50
DECIBELS OR A TIME DIFFERENTIAL,
FOR INSTANCE, YOU COULD BETWEEN
CERTAIN HOURS MUST NOT EXCEED 45
DECIBELS AND IN BUSINESS HOURS
THERE WILD BE MORE NOISE, IN
NIGHT TIME PEOPLE RELAX IN THEIR
HOMES AND NEED TO SLEEP SO THE

STANDARDS -- IF YOU ARE
INTERESTED IN THESE SPECIFIC
DETAILS OF MY SITUATION, I CAN
FURNISH A LETTER TO CITY COUNCIL
FOR THAT.

>> THANK YOU, HUNTER.

OUR NEXT SPEAKERS ARE JOJO.

>> I'M A RESIDENT OF WARD 2.

BE RELATIVELY SHORT AND TO THE
POINT.

WANTED TO TALK ABOUT THE FLOCK
CAMPAIGN, MAINLY ABOUT YOUR GUYS
UPCOMING WORK SESSION.

I WANT TO STRESS THE POINT YOU
HAVE SUBJECT MATTER EXPERTS THAT
ARE NOT JUST THE EUGENE POLICE
DEPARTMENT.

IT SEEMS LIKE BETWEEN CHIEF
SKINNER AND EPD THEY HAVE A
WILLFUL IGNORANCE OR GENERAL
MISUNDERSTANDING OF THE FACTS
BEHIND THE FLOCK SYSTEM.

I THINK IT WOULD BE CRUCIALLY

BENEFICIAL TO HAVE OTHER VOICES
IN THAT SESSION.

I ALSO WANT TO TAKE A MOMENT TO
TALK ON CAHOOTS.

AS IT WAS MENTIONED, THE IDEA
WAS TO HAVE CAHOOTS HERE BEFORE
THE END OF THE YEAR.

IT WOULD BE ENTIRELY BENEFICIAL
TO GET THEIR SERVICES BACK ON
THE STREET TO GET PEOPLE SUPPORT
ESPECIALLY WE HEARD WE ARE NOT
HAVING THAT BETWEEN EMS AT THE
MOMENT AND THE CRISIS WE ARE
SEEKING OR THAT WE ARE IN, WE
SHOULD NOT BE SEEKING.

THANK YOU VERY MUCH.

>> CAMERON STRINGFIELD FOLLOWED
BY CHUCK ARFORD.

>> GOOD EVENING.

MY NAME IS CAMERON STRINGFIELD.

I LIVE IN WARD 7 ORGANIZER WITH
A PARTY FOR SOCIALISM AND
LIBERATION.

I WANT TO THANK YOU FOR
SCHEDULING A WORK SESSION TO
ADDRESS THE FLOCK SYSTEM.
THERE IS NO PUBLIC COMMENT AT
THIS UPCOMING WORK SESSION SO
CHANCES ARE CITY OFFICIALS WILL
BE GOING BACK AND FORTH WITH
QUESTIONS TO EPD AND THE VENDOR
FLOCK ABOUT THE SYSTEM AND
MAKING CONCLUSIONS FROM THAT.
I WOULD LIKE YOU TO TAKE
EVERYTHING EPD AND FLOCK SAYS
WITH A BIG GRAIN OF SALT.
IT IS IN THEIR INTEREST TO
PRESENT FLOCK AS A TOOL TO FIGHT
CRIME.
FLOCK IS NOT LIKELY TO ADMIT THE
VULNERABLES OR ABUSES TO THEIR
SYSTEM THAT HAVE OCCURRED.
NEITHER IS EPD.
CITY COUNCILORS SHOULD REACH OUT
TO EYES OFF EUGENE, THE CLDC AND
THE ACLU AND TAKE THEIR ANALYSIS

TO THAT MEETING.

I WOULD LIKE TO MAKE CLEAR WHAT

I HAVE HEARD FROM DOZENS OF

PEOPLE SPEAKING HERE AND

HUNDREDS OF PEOPLE IN EUGENE.

WE WILL NOT ACCEPT ATTEMPTS TO

MAKE FLOCK SAFER.

IT IS INHERENTLY DANGEROUS AND

INTRUSIVE SYSTEM THAT IS PEDDLED

BY A SHADY CORPORATION THAT

SELLS OUR DATA TO WHOEVER PAYS

GOOD PUN FOR IT.

WE ARE DEMANDING THE CONTRACT BE

TERMINATED, THE CAMERAS

UNINSTALLED AND THIS SITUATION

TO NOT HAPPEN AGAIN.

SHOULD THEY CONTINUE TO STAY UP

AND ROLLING, WE WILL CONTINUE TO

SHOW UP TO PROTEST, COMBAT THE

PROPAGANDA AND EDUCATE THE

PEOPLE OF THE DANGER OF THIS

SYSTEM UNTIL IT IS GONE.

WE ARE A PROUD ACTIVIST TOWN

THAT WILL NOT BACK DOWN.

IN THE CITY SURVEY WRAPPED UP
RECENTLY IT WAS REVEALED 36% OF
RESPONDENTS HAVE CONFIDENCE IN
CITY COUNCIL.

30% RATED THE VALUE FOR THEIR
CITY TAX DOLLARS AND FEES IS
GOOD.

AFTER THE LOSS OF CAHOOTS, THE
BUDGET NIGHTMARE IN MAY AND THE
SILENCE ON I.C.E. KIDNAPPINGS
AND DHS ON RESIDENTS AND THE
FECKLESSNESS IN THE POLITICIAN
COMMISSION, THE FLOCK HAS BEEN A
SLAP TO THE FACE OF EUGENE.

YOU DESTROYED TRUST THAT BUILDS
A WEDGE BETWEEN GOVERNMENT AND
COMMUNITY THAT WILL ONLY RESULT
IN MORE RESISTANCE.

YOU HAVE A CHANCE TO REVERSE
COURSE AND THAT CAN BEGIN WITH
TERMINATING THE CONTRACT WITH
FLOCK.

YOU CAN DO IT.

I WOULD SAY WE ONLY HAVE ABOUT

10 MORE PEOPLE IN THIS ROOM.

IF WE GET TO THE END OF PUBLIC

COMMENT, PLEASE EXTEND IT.

>> THANK YOU, CAMERON.

OUR NEXT SPEAKERS ARE CHUCK

ARFORD FOLLOWED BY JACOB TRUE.

ALL RIGHT.

OUR NEXT SPEAKER IS JACOB TRUE.

>> JACOB TRUE HERE.

I LOVE IN WARD 1 AND YOU ALL

HAVE SEEN ME A FEW TIMES BEFORE.

CAHOOTS SERVICES SAVE MONEY.

CAHOOTS HELP FOLKS IN CRISIS

BEFORE SITUATIONS ESCALATE.

ONE WAY TO SUM THAT UP IS

CAHOOTS ARE PREVENTATIVE

MEDICINE.

CAHOOTS IS NATIONALLY

RECOGNIZED.

THE NEW YORK CITY MAYOR

DEMOCRATIC NOMINEE IS CALLING

OUT EUGENE AS THE CAHOOTS SYSTEM

WE HAD LIKE A YEAR AGO AS A
MODEL THEY WANT TO FOLLOW.

HOW OFTEN IS NEW YORK CITY
CALLING OUT EUGENE AS THE
SHINING CITY ON THE HILL THAT
THEY WANT TO FOLLOW?

NEVERTHELESS, EUGENE HAS BEEN
WITHOUT CAHOOTS SINCE APRIL,
FIVE MONTHS AND COUNTING.

BREAKS MY HEART WE ARE STILL
HERE TRYING TO CONVINCE YOU
CAHOOTS SERVICES ARE WORTH
BRINGING BACK.

YOU CAN FIX THIS.

YOU CAN BRING CAHOOTS SERVICES
BACK.

IF YOU NEED ADDITIONAL RESEARCH
ON WHETHER CAHOOTS IS
WORTHWHILE, YOU CAN ISSUE A
PROGRAM WITH THE WORKERS WAITING
TO SERVE THE COMMUNITY.

THIS COULD EXPAND THE RESEARCH

ALREADY DONE BY THE YOUR OF
OREGON AND BRIDE THE WIDENING
SERVICE GAP SUFFERED BY OUR
COMMUNITY.

AT THE RECENT CITY CLUB MEETING
VETERAN CAHOOTS MEMBERS,
INCLUDING LAUREN, LAID OUT HOW
WBCC IS READY TO GO ON THE
STREETS TO FUNCTION AS A 513C
ORGANIZATION, ROBUST EXTERNAL
CONTROLS AND COMPLIANCE, A FULLY
STAFFED BOARD, PAYROLL CONTROLS,
THE LIST GOES ON.

DANDY COHARE TALKS ABOUT IN
DETAIL.

THE ONLY THING MISSING IS ACTION
FROM COUNCIL.

I HOPE YOU SEIZE THE OPPORTUNITY
TO FULFILL THE PROMISE THAT 30
YEARS OF CAHOOTS SERVICE HAS
DONE FOR OUR COMMUNITY AND HOPE
TO HAVE ANOTHER 37 YEARS IN THE
COMMUNITY.

I'D LIKE TO CALL ON Y'ALL TO
SCHEDULE A WORK SESSION ON
GETTING FULL CAHOOTS SERVICE
BACK, TALKED ABOUT THAT BEFORE,
AND IN THAT SESSION EMPOWER A
BRIDGE PILOT PROGRAM TO ADD TO
THE OVERWHELMING EVIDENCE OF
CAHOOTS SERVICES EFFECTIVENESS
AND EFFICIENCY.

FULFILL THE RECOMMENDATION THAT
YOU ALL PASSED AT THE CITY
BUDGET TO HAVE A PLAN IN PLACE
BY THE END OF OCTOBER.

YOU HAVE ONE UNFILLED CITY
COUNCIL WORK SESSION COMING UP.
WAIT, TWO.

SO EITHER ONE.

>> THANK YOU, JACOB.

ONE LAST CALL FOR CHUCK ARFORD.

OUR NEXT SPEAKERS ARE ROBERT
PARISH FOLLOWED BY MISTY BOWMAN.

>> GOOD EVENING.

MY NAME IS ROBERT PARRISH.

25-YEAR RESIDENT OF EUGENE NOW
IN WARD 7.

I HAVE BEEN WORKING ON CAHOOTS
FOR 21 YEARS.

I HAVE TENDERED MY RESIGNATION
TO WHITE BIRD FOR MISMANAGEMENT
OF CAHOOTS.

I'M WITH WBCC TO BRING CAHOOTS
BACK TO EUGENE AND WE WAIT FOR
AN RFP.

IN OUR CITY BETWEEN 2016 AND
2020, CAHOOTS DID 45% OF THE
WELFARE CHECKS FOR THE CITY OF
EUGENE APPROPRIATE NOT NEEDING
THE POLICE.

AS WE ARE THE LEAST EXPENSIVE
PUBLIC SAFETY RESPONSE, ONE OF
OUR DELIVERABLES IS THAT EVERY
CALL YOU SEND ME TO AND MY
CO-WORKERS TO MEANS THAT AN
OFFICER OR A PARAMEDIC OR A
FIREFIGHTER IS AVAILABLE TO
RESPOND TO SOMETHING OF HIGHER

PRIORITY.

EVEN IN MAJOR CITIES, 40% OF
POLICE RESPONSES DON'T RESULT IN
ANY ENFORCEMENT OR ANY CRIME
PREVENTION.

NO TICKET.

NO ARREST.

IT IS LESS EXPENSIVE TO SEND
ALTERNATIVE RESPONSE TO THOSE
CALLS.

IF YOU ARE DEALING WITH BUDGET
CRISES, THIS IS ONE WAY TO MAKE
SURE THAT THE POLICE, THE FIRE
DEPARTMENT, THE AMBULANCES ARE
MORE AVAILABLE.

WE DON'T COST THAT MUCH AND WE
TAKE A LOT OF THE CALLS, WE TAKE
A FAIR CHUNK OF THE WORKLOAD.

THE MOST COMMON CALL FOR POLICE
OFFICERS RIGHT NOW IS CRIMINAL
TRESPASSING.

IT IS WHAT IS COMING IN.

THE VAST MAJORITY OF THOSE CALLS

ARE APPROPRIATE FOR CAHOOTS-LIKE
SERVICE.

I WILL HIGHLIGHT THE CITY OF
SALEM HAS SLIGHTLY MORE
POPULATION THAN EUGENE YET THEY
SPEND ROUGHLY \$20 MILLION A YEAR
LESS THAN WE DO IN EUGENE ON OUR
POLICE.

IT IS ABOUT \$65 MILLION A YEAR
RATHER THAN \$87 MILLION A YEAR.
SALEM WANTS MORE OFFICERS, BUT
THEY ONLY HAVE 25 FEWER THAN WE
DO.

THE MORE APPROPRIATE ALLOCATION
MAY BE SOMEWHERE WITHIN THAT \$20
MILLION DIFFERENCE.

PARTICULARLY, AS YOU ARE LOOKING
AT BUDGET SHORT FALLS.

I WILL LEAVE YOU WITH THIS, WBCC
HAS A DOZEN FORMER CAHOOTS
PEOPLE TO BRING BACK SERVICES.
THEY ARE LOVED BY THE COMMUNITY
AND COST SAVING.

OUR DELIVERABLES MAKE OFFICERS,
PARAMEDICS AND FIREFIGHTERS MORE
AVAILABLE FOR HIGHER PRIORITY
CALLS.

WE NEED THE CITY COUNCIL TO
RELEASE THE RFP SO WE CAN GO OFF
TO WORK.

OUR CUT OFF IS 9:25.

I WILL CALL FOR TWO MORE
SPEAKERS, MISTY BOWMAN AND OUR
FINAL SPEAKER WILL BE ELIJAH
WILINSKI.

>> MY NAME IS MISTY BOWMAN, WARD
7, DARK SKY OREGON ADVOCATE.

FIRSTLY, I WOULD LIKE TO ASK
EVERYONE TO TURN OFF YOUR PORCH
LIGHT AND IT IS IMPORTANT NIGHT
FOR BIRD MY GRADUATION.

ANY AMOUNT OF BLUE LIGHT CAN
LEAD BIRDS ASTRAY.

BUGS ARE AFFECTED AS WELL.

COUNCILOR KEATING, I REMEMBER AT
THE FORMER MAYOR LAST PUBLIC

COMMENT YOU TALKED ABOUT HER
AMAZING INSECT COLLECTION.

SHE SHARED HER COLLECTION WITH
CHILDREN.

WHEN I GOOGLED EUGENE BUG CLUB
WAS AN ARTICLE OF HER SHARING
HER LOVE OF ENTOMOLOGY AT A
SUMMER CAMP WITH CHILDREN.

IMAGINE IF ONE OF THOSE CHILDREN
WERE INSPIRED TO HAVE A LOVE ON
INSECT AND FOUND OUT EVERY NIGHT
IN EUGENE INSECTS ARE DYING
ENEMAS.

A THIRD OF THEM WHO ARE IN A
LIGHT FIXTURE, THEY DIE.

I WAS BORN OUTSIDE OF THE BOSTON
METRO AREA AND DIDN'T KNOW THE
STARS FOR THE FIRST 10 YEARS OF
MY LIFE.

MY FAMILY MOVED TO RURAL NEW
HAMPSHIRE AND MY FIRST NIGHT
THERE MY MOMS ME I LOOKED UP AT
THE SKY AND SAID, OH, THAT'S

WHAT STARS LOOK LIKE.

I CAN ONLY IMAGINE A CHILD BORN
AND RAISED IN EUGENE WOULD HAVE
THE SAME REACTION.

THE COST FOR OUR CHILDREN AREN'T
JUST HOBBIES AND A PRETTY NIGHT
SKY.

A STUDY FROM THE NATIONAL
INSTITUTE OF MENTAL HEALTH
PUBLISHED IN 2020 SHOWED
ADOLESCENTS IN AREAS WITH LIGHT
POLLUTION GOT 20 MINUTES LESS
SLEEP AND HIGHER RATES OF MOOD
DISORDERS, DEPRESSION AND MOOD
DISORDER, CONDITIONS THAT CAN
FOLLOW A PERSON THE REST OF
THEIR LIFE.

I ENCOURAGE THE CITY COUNCIL TO
CHANGE THE ORDINANCE TO THE NEW
ORDINANCE, FIVE PRINCIPLES OF
OUTDOOR.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR TIME.

THANK YOU, MISTY.

IS THERE AN ELIJAH WELINSKI?

OUR NEXT SPEAKER WILL BE RICH
LOCK.

>> I DIDN'T THINK THIS WAS GOING
TO HAPPEN.

I'M RICH LOCK.

WARD 7 BUSINESS OWNER AND THE
FOUNDER AND PRESIDENT OF THE
EUGENE BUSINESS ALLIANCE.

I DO WANT TO BRING UP THIS
MORNING WHEN I WAS EATING MY
CHEERIOS AND THE BREAKFAST TABLE
I WAS LISTEN TO A MORNING SHOW
AND HEARD A GLIMPSE OF THE
ABYSMAL EUGENE SURVEY AGAIN.

I'LL READ IT UNTIL IT IS
COMPLETE SO I HAVE A BETTER
COMMENT.

I'D LIKE TO TALK ABOUT WARD 7,
WARD 1, AND EAST WARD 8.
AND THE EFFECT THAT THE
HOMELESSNESS AND THE UNLAWFUL
ACTS THAT ARE HAPPENING EVERY

DAY AROUND OUR BUSINESSES AND
HOMES IN THESE NEIGHBORHOODS IS
HAVING.

THESE RESIDENTS ARE CONTINUING
TO BEAR THE MESSES AND THE
NONPROFITS ARE -- THEY ARE BEING
MADE BY THE NONPROFITS
CUSTOMERS.

I BELIEVE THAT THE NONPROFITS
SHOULD HAVE A SUBSTANTIAL LEVY
AGAINST THEM TO CLEAN UP ALL OF
THE MESSES FROM THEIR CUSTOMERS.

I WOULD LIKE TO BRING IT A
LITTLE CLOSER TO HOME RIGHT NOW
AND TALK ABOUT WILLOW CREEK,
SOUTH OF 18th STREET.

I'VE MENTIONED SEVERAL TIMES IN
THIS MEETING THAT THERE SHOULD
BE NO PARKING, NO CAMPING ALONG
WILLOW CREEK.

WILLOW CREEK IS PLAGUED, IT IS,
I CALLED IT HERE BEFORE AN
UNSANCTIONED CAR CAMPING SPOT.

ANYWHERE FROM SIX TO EIGHT EVERY
EVENING AND THEY DO NOTHING BY
LEAVE MESSES.

ESPECIALLY IN THE WILLOW CREEK
WATERSHED.

THERE AT THE CORNER.

IT IS JUST PILED FULL OF TOILET
PAPER, POOP, YOU NAME IT.

IT IS RIGHT THERE.

AND I DON'T BELIEVE AS A
COMMUNITY WE ARE BEING GOOD HERE
AND NOW STEWARDS OF THAT
WATERSHED.

PLEASE, PUT IN THE NO CAMPING
SIGNS.

>> THANK YOU, RICHARD.

MAYOR, THAT IS THE END OF PUBLIC
COMMENT.

>> Mayor Knudson: THANK YOU,
STAFF.

I'LL NOW CLOSE THE PUBLIC
COMMENT PERIOD.

ARE THERE ANY COMMENTS FROM CITY

COUNCIL?

>> I'D LIKE TO MOVE TO EXTEND
THE PUBLIC COMMENT TO ALLOW THE
LAST THREE PEOPLE TO SPEAK.

>> Mayor Knudson: THERE IS
MOTION TO EXTEND FOR THE LAST
THREE PEOPLE TO SPEAK.

IS THERE A SECOND?

>> I WILL SECOND.

>> WE HAVE A MOTION AND A SECOND
TO EXTEND PUBLIC COMMENT FOR THE
LAST THREE SPEAKERS.

COUNCILOR KEATING.

>> Keating: I WANT TO BE
CONSISTENT WITH THE AMOUNT OF
TIME WE LET PEOPLE SPEAK.
EITHER WAY, IT IS SUCH A SMALL
NUMBER, MAYOR, I THINK THAT I
WOULD MAKE AN EXCEPTION RIGHT
NOW, BUT I WOULD URGE COUNCIL TO
ADHERE TO A CONSISTENCY AROUND
OUR 90-MINUTE TIME MARK.
CONSIDERING THERE ARE THREE

FOLKS REMAINS IF THEY ARE HERE.
IT WOULD BE A DISSERVICE NOT TO
HEAR THEM WHILE AT THE SAME TIME
RECOGNIZES IN THE FUTURE I DO
THINK SOME CONSISTENCY IS
WELCOMED.

SO I WILL VOTE IN FAVOR, BUT I
JUST WANTED TO SHARE MY
PERSPECTIVE.

I GUESS IT IS AN INCONSISTENT
REQUEST, ISN'T IT?

>> Mayor Knudson: THANK YOU
COUNCILOR.

ANY OTHER DISCUSSION BEFORE WE
TAKE A VOTE.

SEEING NONE, TAKE A VOTE TO
EXTEND FOR THE LAST THREE PUBLIC
COMMENTS THIS EVENING.

AND THAT PASSES BY A VOTE OF
7-0.

SO WE WILL EXTEND COMMENT FOR
THE REMAINING THREE SPEAKERS
THIS EVENING.

>> OH, ALL RIGHT.

OUR FINAL THREE SPEAKERS I'LL
NAME ALL THREE, JESSICA LANE,
ANDREW -- AND BAILEY GILLMOR.

>> HELLO.

I'M HERE TO TELL YOU THAT I'M
SCARED FOR MY SAFETY BECAUSE
ACCORDING TO DONALD TRUMP I'M A
DOMESTIC TERRORIST BECAUSE I
VOLUNTEER AGAINST I.C.E.

KIDNAPPINGS, SPEAKS OUT ON
ATTACKS AND ADVOCATING FOR
BODILY AUTONOMY.

WE ARE LIVING IN TWISTED REALITY
WHERE THE PRESIDENT OF THE
UNITED STATES IS MAKING EMPATHY
AND WELL BEING FOR OTHERS A
TERRORIST ACT.

THE HERITAGE FOUNDATION HAS MADE
A RECOMMENDATION TRANS
INDIVIDUALS BE DOMESTIC
TERRORISTS.

WOMEN ARE BEING TARGETED WITH

HOMICIDE CHARGES FOR OBTAINING
ABORTIONS AND IN SOME CASES
HAVING MISCARRIAGES.

IMMIGRANTS ARE BEING KIDNAPPED,
HELD IN CONCENTRATION CAMPS AND
SHIPPED TO COUNTRIES THEY ARE
NOT FROM.

THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT IS
ATTACKING THE PEOPLE THEY ARE
SUPPOSED TO PROTECT.

THEY ARE USING THE FLOCK CAMERAS
TO AID.

THERE IS NOT TIME TO WASTE TO
DECIDE WHETHER OR NOT TO SHUT
DOWN THIS SYSTEM.

YOU ARE OUR NEXT LINE OF
DEFENSE.

THERE WAS NEVER ANY
CONSIDERATION FOR INSTALLING THE
CAMERAS IN THE FIRST PLACE SO
WHY ARE YOU MAKING IT SO
DIFFICULT TO TAKE THEM DOWN EVEN
TEMPORARILY DURING FURTHER

INVESTIGATION.

YOU HAVE HEARD EXTENSIVE
JUSTIFIABLE UNANIMOUS REASONING
TO CANCEL THIS CONTRACT.

WHAT MORE DO YOU NEED?

PLEASE DON'T BE COMPLICIT.

PLEASE DO YOUR JOB AND KEEP
EUGENE SAFE IN THE MIDST OF THIS
AUTHORITARIAN CRACK DOWN ON OUR
MOST VULNERABLE AND DO SO BY
CANCELING THE FLOCK CONTRACT.

THANK YOU AND THANK YOU
EXTENDING THE TIME.

ANDREW CIMARRON FOLLOWED BY
BAILEY GILMORE.

>> GOOD EVENING MAYOR, CITY
COUNCIL, MY NAME IS ANDREW
CIMARRON AND I RESIDE IN RIVER
ROAD NEIGHBORHOOD.

I'M COMING TO SPEAK OUT AGAINST
THE USE OF THE FLOCK CAMERA
SYSTEM.

THE CITY SHOULD IMMEDIATELY HALT

USE OF THE SYSTEM UNTIL THE WORK
SESSION COMES UP.

POTENTIALLY, THAT IS A MOTION
YOU COULD INTRODUCE TONIGHT.

I THINK IT'S PRUDENT AND
DOESN'T, YOU KNOW, WE CAN HAVE
THE SYSTEM PAUSED UNTIL AGAIN
FURTHER INVESTIGATION CAN BE
MADE ABOUT WHAT ABOUT IT AND
CLEARLY MUCH OF THE COMMUNITY
DOES NOT WANT THIS SYSTEM IN.

IT WAS NOT A TRANSPARENT PROCESS
AND, YOU KNOW, AS A PREVIOUS
COMMENTER MENTIONED, THERE HAVE
BEEN A LOT OF SEARCHES AND
QUERIES INTO THE SYSTEM AND I'M
WILLING TO SPECULATE PART OF
THAT IS THE EUGENE POLICE
DEPARTMENT IS LOOKING IN
COLLABORATION WITH FLOCK TO KIND
OF SELL THE CITIZENS ON HOW
GREAT THE SYSTEM IS AND I SEE
SINCLAIR OWNED AND ALIGNED

AFFILIATES HERE LOCALLY IN OUR
COMMUNITY THAT ARE PUTTING OUT
THESE PRESS RELEASES ABOUT THE
AI SYSTEM AND HOW IT'S
PURPORTEDLY USED TO COMBAT
CRIME, BUT THESE PRESS RELEASES
ARE NOT SAYING ANYTHING ABOUT
DUE PROCESS OR THE
CONSTITUTIONALITY OR ANYTHING
LIKE THAT.

AND IT CONCERNS ME VERY MUCH.
SO I WOULD IMPLORE YOU TO SHUT
OFF THE CAMERAS UNTIL THE WORK
SESSION AND HOPEFULLY MAKE A
DECISION TO REMOVE THESE CAMERAS
OUT OF OUR COMMUNITY FOR GOOD
AND CANCEL THE CONTRACT WITH
FLOCK.

THANK YOU.

>> THANK YOU, ANDREW.

ONE LAST CALL FOR BAILEY
GILLMOR.

>> HELLO, COUNCIL.

THANK YOU FOR EXTENDING THE
TIME.

I WILL BE BRIEF AS THE LAST
SPEAKER.

MY NAME IS BAILEY GILLMOR AND I
LIVE IN WARD 1.

I'M GLAD WE GOT TO HEAR FROM THE
LAST TWO SPEAKERS AS WELL.

YOU HEARD SOME REALLY SERIOUS
CONCERNS AS YOU HAVE HEARD
THROUGHOUT THE NIGHT AND AT
OTHER COUNCIL MEETINGS.

I WANT TO ECHO THE CALLS TO STOP
THE DATA COLLECTION WITH FLOCK
IMMEDIATELY.

THIS IS SOMETHING THAT NEEDS TO
BE SHUT DOWN RIGHT AWAY.

IT IS COLLECTING DATA EVERY
MINUTE.

IT NEEDS TO BE SHUT DOWN BEFORE
YOU MAKE A DETERMINATION.

THANK YOU.

>> THANK YOU, BAILEY.

MAYOR, THAT WAS OUR FINAL
SPEAKER.

>> Mayor Knudson: THANK YOU,
STAFF.

THE PUBLIC COMMENT PERIOD IS NOW
CLOSED.

CITY COUNCIL, ANY OTHER COMMENTS
THIS EVENING IN RESPONSE?
COUNCILOR KEATING.

>> Keating: THANK YOU, MAYOR.
MY PHONE HAS DIED OR I WOULD
HAVE IT UP VERBATIM AND MY
EIGHTH GRADE TEACHER WOULD BE
SORELY DISPLEASED THAT I DON'T
REMEMBER THE FIRST AMENDMENT.
CONGRESS SHOULD MAKE NO LAWS
PROHIBITS THE FREEDOM OF THE
SPEECH THEREOF.
I SO APPRECIATE YOU EXERCISING
YOUR FIRST AMENDMENT RIGHT
TONIGHT.
THANK YOU.
I'M DEEPLY TROUBLED BY SOME OF

THE THINGS I'M HEARING.

QUOTE PALPABLE DISDAIN,
DYSTOPIAN NIGHTMARE, OUR COUNTRY
DESCENDING INTO FASCISM, EVEN
BEING CALLED A SELF-SERVING AND
SELF-ENRICHING FIEND.

LOOK, I HEAR YOU.

I EMPATHIZE AND I RECOGNIZE THIS
MOMENT IN HISTORY AND THE FEARS
AND TREPIDATIONS REVOLVING
AROUND A SURVEILLANCE STATE.

I LOOK FORWARD WITH YOUR HELP
GETTING US THERE AND RECOGNIZES
MY COLLEAGUES WILLINGNESS TO
ADVANCE A CRITICALLY IMPORTANT
WORK SESSION POLL, I LOOK
FORWARD TO THE WORK ON OCTOBER
8th.

I LOOK FORWARD TO HEARING WHAT
OFFRAMPS THERE ARE IN REGARDS TO
NOT RENEWING.

I LOOK FORWARD TO WHAT OFFRAMPS
THERE MIGHT BE IN REGARDS TO THE

CURRENT CONTRACT AND IS IT
VIOLATING ANY EXISTING CITY
POLICY?

I LOOK FORWARD TO LEARNING IF
THERE HAVE BEEN ANY COMPLAINTS
TO INDEPENDENT CITY OF EUGENE'S
POLICE AUDITOR PROGRAM.

I DON'T KNOW, BUT WE HAVE AN
INDEPENDENT POLICE AUDITOR THAT
I ENCOURAGE YOU TO USE SAID
INDEPENDENT POLICE AUDITOR IF
YOU HAVE NOT YET.

THANK YOU.

SHIFTING BRIEFLY, MAYOR, TO THE
CAHOOTIANS IN THE ROOM, THANK
YOU.

I HAVE SHARED WITH THE MAYOR AND
THE CITY MANAGER AND ASSISTANT
CITY MANAGER MY ENTHUSIASM FOR
SOMETHING I PICKED UP IN DURHAM
THIS LAST FEW DAYS.

A PROGRAM CALLED HEART, THE
HOLISTIC EMPATHETIC SYSTEMATIC

RESPONSE TEAM.

YOU CAN LEARN MORE AT

HEARTFORTHIS.ORG.

IT IS NORTH CAROLINA'S MODEL OF

CAHOOTS, BUT THERE ARE UNIQUE

DIFFERENCES AND CHALLENGES THEY

HAVE TAKEN ON AND I HOPE YOU

WILL FIND, OBVIOUSLY, I HAVE 22

SECONDS LEFT.

I HOPE YOU WILL FIND THE PROGRAM

THAT IS HAPPENING IN DURHAM AND

PROGRAMMING ALL OVER THE UNITED

STATES MODELLED AFTER CAHOOTS AS

A WAY TO BRING BACK A CAHOOTS

2.0 AND WCC THANK YOU FOR

LEADING THAT CHARGE.

MAYOR, COUNCIL, THANK YOU FOR

THE TIME TONIGHT AND THANK YOU

FOR COMING OUT AND EXPRESSING

YOUR FIRST AMENDMENT RIGHT.

>> Mayor Knudson: ANY OTHER

COMMENTS?

SEEING NONE, I WILL ECHO THE

APPRECIATION FOR PEOPLE WHO CAME
OUT AND REACHED OUT TO EXPRESS
PREFERENCES AND PERSPECTIVES AND
CONCERNS AND REITERATE SOMETHING
YOU ARE ALL AWARE OF, BUT IT IS
IMPORTANT TO SAY.

THESE MEETINGS AND LISTENING TO
PUBLIC COMMENT IS NOT THE ONLY
WORK THAT YOUR MAYOR AND THIS
BODY ARE DOING TO RESPOND TO
CONCERNS IN THE COMMUNITY.

I WANT TO REITERATE MY
APPRECIATION FOR PEOPLE BEING
HERE THIS EVENING AND SHARING
THEIR PERSPECTIVE AND THE
APPRECIATION FOR THE UPCOMING
WORK SESSION.

I WILL CLOSE THE SEPTEMBER 22,
2025 COUNCIL MEETING AND WE ARE
ADJOURNED.