Village of Greenwich
Police Committee
March 17, 2026

The Village of Greenwich held a Police Committee Meeting on Tuesday, March 17, 2026, at 5:00 pm, at 45 Main Street, Greenwich, Ohio 44837.

The meeting was not called to order and the roll call was never called.

The Police Chief, Pat Fox, began talking about the Flock cameras. The Chief stated that the cameras were going to cost $3500.00 per camera. The Chief stated that he would like to place the cameras at or near Dollar General and South Central School. The Chief stated that though these sites were outside of the Village limits, they were close enough to add important information the Police were in need of.

The Chief stated that other places that had these cameras were Willard and New London. The Chief continued by giving some of the information these cameras would provide including information that had led to finding a stolen car in Crestline. The Chief added that these cameras could clock a speeding car upwards of 100 miles per hour.

The Chief stated that Flock had never gotten back with him so he felt it was a mute point.

The Chief said he would like to get an app that would allow the information he felt we needed.

Council member Beverly asked if there was a cost for this app and then asked if that cost needed to be cleared with Council. There was some conversation on how expenditures would be passed with Council.

The Chief said there was no contract so he felt there should be no Council vote on whether or not the app was approved by Council.

Fiscal Officer, Binger, suggested that legal council should be asked about the procedure of approving the purchase of the app.

The meeting was to be about the Flock cameras. The Chief suggested that since the Flock representative did not show up he could not proceed with that conversation.

Council member Beverly asked the purpose of the cameras and how many would be needed. She also asked about the cost. The Chief restated the $3500.00 per camera cost and stated that he thought we would need 2 to 4.

Council member Beverly asked if there was any push back on these cameras or if the Chief was aware of any Litigation regarding the use of these cameras. The Chief stated that he was not aware of any Litigation to these cameras.

Council member Stephens asked the Chief if the speed cameras were legal. The Chief stated that they were. Stephens asked if the speed cameras that we had recorded speed. Chief, no. Stephens asked if citations could be issued due to the speed recording of these cameras. Chief, no.

The Chief explained that there were cameras that could issue tickets but that Greenwich did not have those.

The Chief stated that the Flock cameras that he would like are visible to motorists and there is no need for signage about the cameras.

The Chief said that the new antenna that was being put up on the water tower was supposed to work with the radios the Police have. He said that he was waiting until the antenna was completed to make sure.

The Chief said the Police radios were 8 to 10 years old. If new radios would need to be purchased the cost was $3000.00 to $4000.00 per radio and that was too expensive. The new antenna is supposed to make the radios work better. Then there was discussion about buying radios on a tiered level so that the Officer on duty could have a new radio.

The discussion continued that a tiered radio purchase could allow a couple to be bought per year to keep replenishing the radios and potentially cameras so that the whole cost would not be necessary at one time.

Council member Beverly asked the Chief if he would be willing to put a proposal together with the items he would like so that they could be reviewed and have a purchase plan implemented.

Meeting adjourned:

Approved by the Park Committee of the Village of Greenwich.

Randy Wilson, Chairman