

City of Eden Prairie Police Department Automated License Plate Reader (ALPR) Biennial Audit Results Report July 11, 2023

At the request of the City of Eden Prairie Police Department (EPPD), LOGIS has conducted the biennial audit of their Automated License Plate Reader (ALPR) Systems pursuant to Minnesota Statute §13.824 Subd. 6.

Minnesota Statute §13.824 data elements include:

- Data Collection, Classification and Use Restrictions
- Destruction of Data
- Sharing Among Law Enforcement Agencies
- Log of Use Required
- Biennial Audit
- Authorization to Access Data
- Notification to the Bureau of Criminal Apprehension (BCA)

After analysis of the statutory requirements and evaluation of the City of Eden Prairie Police Department's management and use of Automated License Plate Reader technology, LOGIS has found the City of Eden Prairie Police Department in compliance with Minnesota Statute §13.824 based on the following findings:







Control #	Statute Subd.	Control Objective	Testing Procedure	Testing Result
1	§13.824 Subd.	Data collection;	Reviewed EPPD Automated License Plate	No exceptions found
	2	classification; use	Recognition System Policy Directive 6.07	
		restrictions	section on Data Storage.	
			EPPD provided screen prints of sample	
			license plate reads from the Motorola and	
			BOSS ALPR systems showing proper	
			limited collection of data.	
		4	EPPD provided screen print of license	
			plate data files being pulled only from	
			state of Minnesota.	
			EPPD provided screen print of the	
			Motorola ALPR system requiring the	
			requester and case number be entered	
			when searching the plate read database.	
			EPPD provided evidence for the BOSS	
			ALPR system showing that each plate	
			search is audited and documented.	2
			Interviewed EPPD staff and officers	
			responsible for ALPR system	
			administration.	

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2	§13.824 Subd. 3	Destruction of data required	Reviewed EPPD Automated License Plate Recognition System Policy Directive 6.07 section on Data Storage.	No exceptions found
	1		EPPD provided screen prints from BOSS and Motorola ALPR systems showing retention settings set to 60 days.	
3	§13.824 Subd. 4	Sharing among law enforcement agencies	Reviewed EPPD Automated License Plate Recognition System Policy Directive 6.07 section on Release of Data. EPPD provided screen print of BOSS ALPR system requiring the requester and case number be entered when searching the plate read database. Interviewed EPPD staff and officers responsible for ALPR system	No exceptions found
4	§13.824 Subd. 5	Log of use required	administration. EPPD provided the most recent public logs of use.	No exceptions found
5	§13.824 Subd. 6	Biennial audit	Reviewed EPPD Automated License Plate Recognition System Policy Directive 6.07 section on Records Review.	No exceptions found
			Reviewed MN Legislative Reference Library for past audits.	

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6	§13.824 Subd. 7	Authorization to	Reviewed EPPD Automated License	No exceptions found
		access data	Plate Recognition System Policy	
			Directive 6.07 section on Accessing of	
			Data.	
			Reviewed City of Eden Prairie:	
			Information Security Incident Response	
			Plan	
			EPPD provided screen print from BOSS	
			and Motorola ALPR System showing	
			role-based access controls.	
			Interviewed EPPD staff and officers	
			responsible for ALPR system	
			administration.	
7	§13.824 Subd. 8	Notification to	Reviewed EPPD Automated License	No exceptions found
		Bureau of Criminal	Plate Recognition System Policy	
		Apprehension	Directive 6.07 section on Procedure	
			Overview.	
			Reviewed EPPD License Plate Reader	
			listing on Bureau of Criminal	
			Apprehension website.	

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The findings in the Automated License Plate Reader Audit are impartial and based on information and documentation provided by the City of Eden Prairie Police Department and examined by LOGIS information security staff and management. It demonstrates that the security, public accountability and administration of the EPPD ALPR program is in compliance with MN Statute §13.824.

Local Government Information Systems (LOGIS) attested this audit on July 11, 2023:

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Respectfully submitted to the following:

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