Date: January 25, 2024

ORDINANCE NO. 12-23-23-01

AMENDED ORDINANCE BANNING LICENSE PLATE READERS IN CAMDEN COUNTY, MISSOURI.

WHEREAS, the County Commission of Camden County Missouri has received numerous complaints about cameras, otherwise known as Automated License Plate Readers and the potential of unwarranted/inappropriate monitoring of its citizens freedom of movement and travel in violation of their right of privacy, unreasonable search and seizure and other constitutionally protect rights; and

WHEREAS, the County Commission of Camden County Missouri passed Ordinance 12-12-23-01 to prevent the use of Static Automated License Plate Readers in the areas of the County which it controls; and

WHEREAS, the County Commission of Camden County Missouri desires to Amend Ordinance 12-12-23-01 to prevent the use of all Automated License Plate Readers in all areas of the County;

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNTY COMMISSION OF CAMDEN COUNTY, MISSOURI AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION 1. DEFINITIONS. For purposes of the within Ordinance, the following definitions shall be applied, although the following definitions shall not be considered exclusive definitions:

- 1. <u>AUTOMATED LICENSE PLATE READERS:</u> As used in this Ordinance, "Automated License Plate Readers" means a system of one or more high-speed cameras combined with computer software and/or algorithms to convert images of license plates into computer-readable data.
- 2. **EFFECTIVE DATE:** The Effective date of this Ordinance is the date signed below.
- 3. <u>APPLICABLE RESTRICTED AREAS:</u> All roadways, parking lots and other public areas within Camden County, Missouri.

SECTION 2. RESTRICTION OF USE:

The use of any and all Automated License Plate Readers shall be prohibited in all Applicable Restricted Areas of Camden County, Missouri. Any Automated License Plate Readers currently in violation of this Ordinance shall be immediately removed. If identification of ownership is listed on any such device, the listed owner shall be notified to remove said device. Any device not removed within 30 days of notification to remove said device may be removed by Order of the Camden County Commission.

PASSED, APPROVED AND ADOPTED by the Camden County Commission of Camden County, Missouri, on the 25th day of January, 2024.



CAMDEN COUNTY, MISSOURI

ke Skelton, Presiding Commissioner

James Gohagan, 1st District Commissioner

Don Williams, 2nd District Commissioner

Attest:

Approved as to Form:

Rowland Todd, County

Jeffrey F. Green, County Counselor

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