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Honorable Tyisha Walker-Myers  
President of the Board of Alders  
165 Church Street  
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Dear President Walker-Myers,

The City maintains a robust network of cameras and plate-readers throughout the City serving as a force multiplier, assisting police in rapidly solving crime. Yale University Public Safety has recognized the benefits of expansion of the City's camera network and see the value in additional cameras adjacent to campus. They have identified funding within their budget to make a donation to the City to add 10 cameras now, and up to 30 cameras over the next three years which will allow greater coverage near campus but also will allow City dollars to extend further in other neighborhoods.

Yale Public Safety would contract through the City's vendor to procure these cameras which will be installed at locations reviewed and accepted by the Police Department in a manner approved and accepted by the City's IT Department. The cameras will come with 5 years of licenses and service agreements which match the life use of the hardware, will be installed on City infrastructure, connected to the City's enterprise camera servers and will be managed and controlled by the City.

The cameras will have view permissions that match the reciprocal view privileges shared between Yale Police and the City on other mutual interest cameras consistent with the data, investigative and crime analysis sharing as established through the 1992 joint MOU.

I urge your support of the acceptance of this donation.

Very truly yours,

Rebecca Bombero  
Deputy Chief Administrative Officer