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Mr. Peter Pacheco
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Ms. Deborah Yoshimura
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Re: Investigation into the Redflex Traffic Systems Contract with the City of Albuquerque

Dear Mr. Pacheco and Ms. Yoshimura:

On January 23, 2014, the Chicago Tribune reported on certain allegations having surfaced in a suit by an ex-employee of Redflex Group that the company may have engaged in misconduct leading up to its contracts with various municipalities. A contract was initiated between Redflex and the City of Albuquerque in approximately 2005.

Redflex has formally commented that it is unaware of any unethical conduct related to its account with Albuquerque, and that it is committed to transparency and honesty in its business practices here. Currently there is nothing to suggest otherwise.

Notwithstanding, I am formally asking for a thorough and detailed investigation of the procurement process leading up to the initial Redflex Traffic Systems contract. Specifically, as to whether there were any irregularities such as those described by the Chicago Tribune article or otherwise.

If you have any questions, please contact me. Thank you.

Very truly,

Dan Lewis
City Councilor, District 5

cc: City Councilors