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Assistant City Attorneys

September 12, 2007

To the Honorable Common Council  
of the City of Milwaukee  
Room 205 - City Hall

Re: Communication from Attorney Laurie A. Eggert, Eggert Law Office, S.C.  
for legal fees for Police Officers Clarence Pratt, John Spence, Robert  
Kendziorski, Joan Mueller, Ayman Khatib, Bryon Downey and William  
Schroeder; C.I. File No. 05-S-90 EC 2148

Dear Council Members:


Returned herewith is a document filed by Attorney Laurie Eggert for attorney's fees for representing Police Officers Clarence Pratt, John Spence, Robert Kendziorski, Joan Mueller, Ayman Khatib, Bryon Downey and William Schroeder. The claim is in the amount of \$572.00 for 5.20 hours of service billed at the rate of \$110.00 per hour. We ask that this matter be introduced and referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Legislation.

We have reviewed this claim and advise that in our opinion, the time spent was reasonable. Legal representation was occasioned by the filing of a citizen's complaint against the officers with the Fire and Police Commission. The complaint was dismissed by the Commission.

As we have advised you under similar circumstances in the past, the Common Council has discretion to reject this claim or to pay it in whole or in part. Sec. 895.35, Stats., Bablitch and Bablitch v. Lincoln County, 82 Wis. 2d 574 (1978).

Very truly yours,

  
GRANT F. LANGLEY  
City Attorney

  
JAN A. SMOKOWICZ  
Assistant City Attorney

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MILWAUKEE POLICE DEPARTMENT

MEMORANDUM

April 15, 2005

TO: P.O. CLARENCE PRATT  
DISTRICT: FIVE

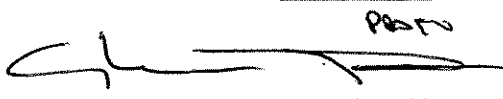
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Is this information correct? YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO \_\_\_\_\_

Did you receive legal representation in this matter? YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO \_\_\_\_\_

Your signature: 

Print your name: CLARENCE PRATT

Upon completion, please return this memorandum to the Professional Performance Division at the Police Academy (Room 325) as soon as possible.

  
MARY K. HOERIG  
Captain of Police  
Professional Performance Division

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TO: P.O. JOHN SPENCE  
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Your signature: P.O. John Spence  
 Print your name: P.O. John SPENCE

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*Mary K. Hoerig*  
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TO: P.O. ROBERT KENDZIORSKI  
DISTRICT: THREE

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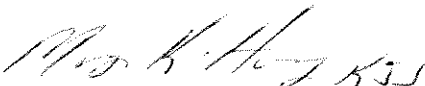
Is this information correct? YES X NO \_\_\_\_\_

Did you receive legal representation in this matter? YES X NO \_\_\_\_\_

Your signature: 

Print your name: ROBERT KENDZIORSKI

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Did you receive legal representation in this matter? YES X NO \_\_\_\_\_

Your signature: Joan Mueller  
Print your name: JOAN MUELLER

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05 APR 28 AM 10:12  
MILWAUKEE POLICE  
PROFESSIONAL AFFAIRS  
DIVISION

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TO: P.O. AYMAN KHATIB  
DISTRICT: SEVEN

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Your signature: *Ayman A. Khatib*

Print your name: Ayman A. Khatib

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TO: P.O. BRYON DOWNEY  
DISTRICT: SEVEN

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Did you receive legal representation in this matter? YES X NO \_\_\_\_\_

Your signature: PO [Handwritten Signature]

Print your name: PO Bryon Downey

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TO: P.O. WILLIAM SCHROEDER  
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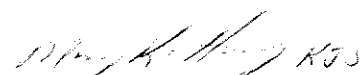
Did you receive legal representation in this matter? YES  NO

Your signature: 

Print your name: WILLIAM SCHROEDER

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March 16, 2005

Mr. Ronald D. Leonhardt  
Milwaukee City Clerk  
800 City Hall  
200 East Wells Street  
Milwaukee, WI 53202

CITY OF MILWAUKEE  
2005 MAR 18 PM 2:46  
RONALD D. LEONHARDT  
CITY CLERK

**RE: Citizen Complaint of Mr. Maurice Adams  
Against POs Clarence Pratt, John Spence, Robert Kendziorski,  
Joan Mueller, Ayman Khatib, Bryon Downey and William Schroeder  
Complaint No.: 04-38  
Date of Incident: May 6, 2004  
EC No.: 2148**

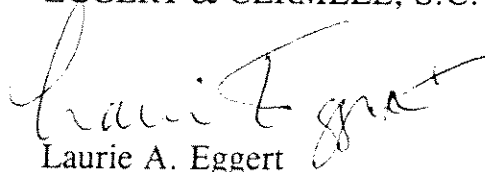
Dear Mr. Leonhardt:

The above-named police officers have retained us to represent them in connection with the above-referenced matter.

Consistent with its policy, the City Attorney's Office has refused to represent them and as they were performing the duties of their office at the time of the events giving rise to the incident, the claim is hereby made on their behalf for the indicated legal fees. This incident involved a traffic stop. The Fire and Police Commission dismissed the complaint. Attached are copies of the dismissal notices and an itemization of the time and services rendered.

Sincerely,

EGGERT & CERMELE, S.C.



Laurie A. Eggert  
Attorney at Law

CITY OF MILWAUKEE  
2005 MAR 21 11:14:18  
OFFICE OF  
CITY ATTORNEY

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Professional services

	<u>Hours</u>
10/21/2004 Conference with Pratt and Spence; open file.	0.50
10/22/2004 Memo to file.	0.20
10/25/2004 Correspondence to FPC.	0.10
10/26/2004 Conference with Kendziorski; memo to file; correspondence to MPD Open Records; review CCAP and municipal court.	1.20
10/27/2004 Review of correspondence from Mueller; correspondence to FPC; telephone call from Khatib; memo to file.	0.20
10/28/2004 Telephone call from Khatib; memo to file.	0.50
11/9/2004 Review of correspondence from FPC; telephone call to Mueller.	0.20
11/10/2004 Telephone call to and from Mueller; memo to file.	0.50
11/11/2004 Conference with Schroeder and Downey; memos to file.	0.50
11/12/2004 Conference with FPC; memo to file.	0.20

Mr. Ronald Leonhardt

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	<u>Hours</u>
12/10/2004 Telephone call from FPC; review of file.	0.20
12/29/2004 Review of correspondence from FPC; correspondence to clients; telephone call to MPD Open Records; memo to file.	0.30
1/5/2005 Correspondence to FPC.	0.10
1/11/2005 Review of correspondence from FPC regarding Khatib; close file.	0.50

	<u>Amount</u>
For professional services rendered	5.20
Balance due	<u>\$572.00</u>

(Rate: \$110.00 per hour)

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In Re:  
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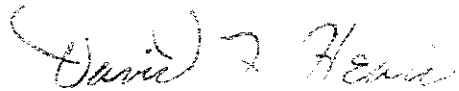
To Officer Clarence Pratt:

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ERIC MANDEL JOHNSON,  
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BY:



DAVID L. HEARD  
EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

DATED AT MILWAUKEE, WISCONSIN, DECEMBER 23, 2004.

c: Attorney Rachel Pings ✓

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To Officer John Spence:

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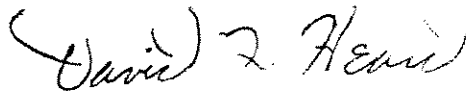
To Officer Robert Kendziorski:

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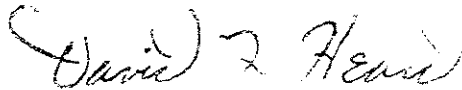
To Officer Joan Mueller:

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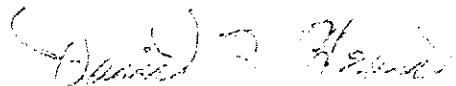
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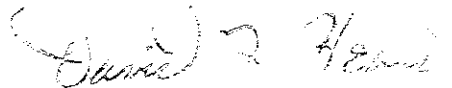
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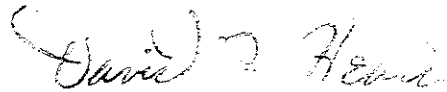
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