

# CITY OF MILWAUKEE

Form CA-43

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April 17, 2001

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 William Robinson and Lisa Gagliano  
C.I. File No. 00-S-293(1473)**

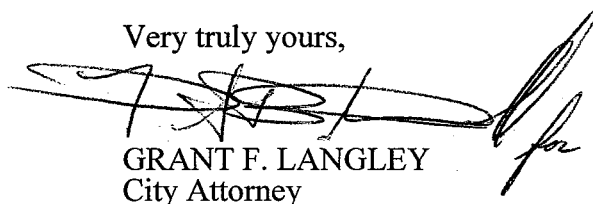
Dear Council Members:

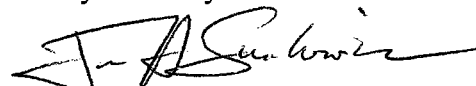
Returned herewith is a document filed by Attorney Laurie Eggert for attorney's fees for representing Police Officers William Robinson and Lisa Gagliano. The claim is in the amount of \$933.46 including \$9.46 in disbursements for 8.40 hours of service billed at the rate of \$110.00 per hour. We ask that 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 a criminal investigation. No criminal charges were brought against the Police Officers on whose behalf this claim was filed.

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  
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September 5, 2000

Commander Dale Schunk  
Milwaukee Police Department  
Internal Affairs Division  
6680 North Teutonia Avenue, Rm 325  
Milwaukee, WI 53209

Re: C.I. File No. 00-S-293  
Communication from EGGERT LAW OFFICE

Dear Commander Schunk:

Enclosed please find a claim filed by attorney Laurie A. Eggert for Attorney's fees incurred during her representation of officers Albanese, et al., albanese/Anderer, Anderer/Meister, Buddenhagen/Trczinski, Charles, Ederesinnnghe, Grant, et al., Hainzl, Hines, et al., Johnson/lopez/luebbe, Koesting/Clark, Lazo, Lelinski, Lintonen/Finley, Meister, Newport/Doyne, Raap, etal, Robinson/Gagliano, Timmerman/Jenkins and Walton/Stein.

Please determine whether these officers were in fact involved in the matter described in Ms. Eggert's claim, and have these officers verify Ms. Eggert's representation. Thank you for your anticipated cooperation in this matter.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "J. Smokowicz".

JAN A. SMOKOWICZ  
Assistant City Attorney

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August 23, 2000

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

**RE: MPD Criminal Investigation of POs William Robinson and  
Lisa Gagliano  
Allegations Regarding Mr. Randy Braunreiter  
Date of Incident: January 11, 2000  
Location of Incident: 4821 N. 76th St.  
ELO No.: 1473**

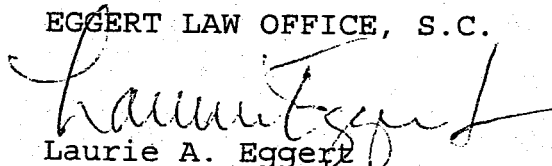
Dear Mr. Leonhardt:

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 an investigation into a complaint of stolen merchandise. Charges will not be issued against the officers. Attached is a copy of the clearance report and an itemization of the time and services rendered.

Sincerely,

EGGERT LAW OFFICE, S.C.

  
Laurie A. Eggert  
Attorney at Law

8/17/2001

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RE: MPD Criminal Investigation  
Regarding: POs William Robinson and Lisa Gagliano  
Date of Incident: January 11, 2000  
Location of Incident: 4821 N. 76th St.

Professional services

	<u>Hours</u>
3/24/00 Telephone call from PO Robinson; open file; telephone call to IAD.	0.40
3/25/00 Telephone call from PO Gagliano; memo to file.	0.40
3/27/00 Telephone call from IAD; memo to file; telephone call to POs Robinson and Gagliano; research.	1.10
4/7/00 Telephone call to and from PO Robinson; telephone call to PO Gagliano; memos to file.	0.40
4/10/00 Telephone call to and from IAD; office conference with PO Robinson; office conference with PO Gagliano; memo to file.	1.70
4/12/00 Telephone call to and from IAD; review of file; meeting with PO Robinson at	3.10

	<u>Hours</u>	
IAD; attend PO Robinson's statement to IAD; meeting with PO Gagliano at IAD; attend PO Gagliano's statement to IAD; travel.		
4/13/00 Telephone call to IAD; correspondence to MPD Open Records; correspondence to clients; memo to file.	0.80	
8/4/00 Review of correspondence from MPD Open Records; correspondence to clients; close file.	0.50	
		<u>Amount</u>
For professional services rendered	8.40	\$924.00
Additional charges:		
8/4/00 MPD Open Records request		9.46
Total costs		<u>\$9.46</u>
Total amount of this bill		<u>\$933.46</u>
Balance due		<u><u>\$933.46</u></u>

(Rate: \$110.00 per hour)

CONCLUSION:

*Investigation into this matter caused Theft citations to be issued to Steven KIRKSEY and Redaniel MARSHALL (Daniel MARSHEL) by CIU/IAD Detective Michael CARLSON. Culpability in this offense as it relates to cashier Amanda MATT, could not be established as she reported she attempted to ring up the food items in the cart but could not because both suspects, MARSHALL and KIRKSEY, refused to let her do so.*

*This investigation did not uncover undue influence by police officers as suggested by complainant Gregory BRAUNREITER. It is for said reasons that this incident will be cleared as baseless.*

Respectfully submitted:



James C. SHEPARD  
Captain of Police  
CIU/IAD, Day Shift

MILWAUKEE POLICE DEPARTMENT

MEMORANDUM

OCTOBER 26, 2000

TO: PO LISA GAGLIANO  
DISTRICT SEVEN

RE: Receipt of Legal Services from Law Firm of  
Attorney

Attorney LAURIE EGGERT has made a claim with the City, indicating the attached was provided with legal services arising out of one of the following situations:

- 1) An incident occurring on JANUARY 11, 2000
- 2) A citizen's complaint made by
- 3) A police shooting incident occurring on

Is this information correct?

YES X NO \_\_\_\_\_

Did you receive legal representation  
in this matter?

YES X NO \_\_\_\_\_

Your signature: P.O. Lisa M. Gagliano

Print your name: P.O. Lisa M. Gagliano

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

*Dale T. Schunk*

DALE T. SCHUNK JH  
Commander of Police  
Internal Affairs Division

DTS:dnp

MILWAUKEE POLICE DEPARTMENT

MEMORANDUM

OCTOBER 26, 2000

TO: PO WILLIAM ROBINSON  
DISTRICT SEVEN

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Is this information correct?

YES X NO \_\_\_\_\_

Did you receive legal representation  
in this matter?

YES X NO \_\_\_\_\_

Your signature: William Robinson

Print your name: William ROBINSON

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*Dale T. Schunk*

DALE T. SCHUNK *JH*  
Commander of Police  
Internal Affairs Division

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