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October 17, 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 Officer Jeffrey Waldorf
C.I. File No. 05-S-186 EC 2195

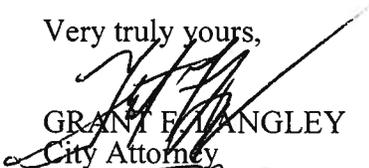
Dear Council Members:

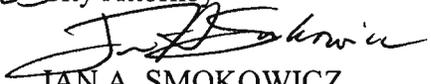
Returned herewith is a document filed by Attorney Laurie Eggert for attorney's fees for representing Police Officer Jeffrey Waldorf. The claim is in the amount of \$732.46 including \$17.46 in disbursements for 6.5 hours of service billed at the rate of \$110.00 per hour. We ask that this matter be introduced 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 officer 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
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Enc.

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MILWAUKEE POLICE DEPARTMENT

MEMORANDUM

July 5, 2005

TO: P.O. JEFFREY WALDORF
DISTRICT: THREE

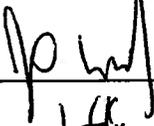
RE: Receipt of Legal Services from Law Firm of
Attorney Laurie Eggert

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 OCTOBER 5, 2004
- 2) A citizen's complaint made by BRENDA WILLIAMS
- ~~3) A police shooting incident occurring on N/A~~

Is this information correct? YES NO

Did you receive legal representation in this matter? YES NO

Your signature: 

Print your name: Jeffrey Waldorf

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

MKH:kjs

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MILWAUKEE POLICE
INTERNAL AFFAIRS
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June 16, 2005

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

**RE: Citizen Complaint of Ms. Brenda Williams
Against PO Jeffrey Waldorf
Complaint No.: 04-67
Date of Incident: October 5, 2004
EC No.: 2195**

CITY OF MILWAUKEE
2005 JUN 20 PM 2:45
MILWAUKEE
CITY CLERK

Dear Mr. Leonhardt:

The above-named police officer has retained us to represent him in connection with the above-referenced matter.

Consistent with its policy, the City Attorney's Office has refused to represent him, and as he was performing the duties of his office at the time of the events giving rise to the incident, the claim is hereby made on his behalf for the indicated legal fees. This incident involved an arrest. The Fire and Police Commission dismissed the complaint. Attached is a copy of the dismissal notice and an itemization of the time and services rendered.

Sincerely,

EGGERT & CERMELE, S.C.



Laurie A. Eggert
Attorney at Law

CITY OF MILWAUKEE
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RE: Citizen Complaint of Ms. Brenda Williams
Against PO Jeffrey Waldorf
FPC No: 04-67
Date of Incident: October 5, 2004
Professional services

	<u>Hours</u>
12/2/2004 Conference with client; open file; correspondence to FPC; correspondence to MPD Open Records; memo to file.	1.80
12/10/2004 Review of correspondence from FPC.	0.10
12/15/2004 Telephone call from FPC; review of file; memo to file.	0.20
12/20/2004 Review of correspondence from FPC; correspondence to client; memo to file.	0.20
1/12/2005 Review of file; telephone call to FPC.	0.10
1/20/2005 Telephone call from FPC; memo to file; telephone call to client.	0.20
1/24/2005 Review of correspondence from FPC.	0.10
2/1/2005 Telephone call from and to FPC; telephone call to client; review of file.	0.60
2/24/2005 Review of file in preparation for conciliation.	0.20
2/28/2005 Prepare for appearance at conciliation; conference with client; memo to file; travel.	1.40

Mr. Ronald Leonhardt

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	<u>Hours</u>
3/21/2005 Review of file.	0.10
3/25/2005 Review of file; telephone call to client; memo to file.	0.20
5/3/2005 Review documents from MPD Open Records; telephone call to FPC; memo to file; review documents from FPC.	0.80
5/18/2005 Review dismissal notice from FPC; correspondence to client; close file.	0.50

	<u>Amount</u>
For professional services rendered	6.50
Additional charges:	\$715.00
2/28/2005 Parking	2.00
5/27/2005 MPD Open Records request	15.46
Total costs	<u>\$17.46</u>
Total amount of this bill	<u>\$732.46</u>
Balance due	<u><u>\$732.46</u></u>

(Rate: \$110.00 per hour)

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MAY 18 2005

2005-05-18 10:00 AM

BOARD OF
FIRE AND POLICE COMMISSIONERS : CITY OF MILWAUKEE : COUNTY OF MILWAUKEE

In Re:
THE CHARGES OF BRENDA WILLIAMS
AGAINST POLICE OFFICER JEFFREY WALDORF

ORDER OF DISMISSAL

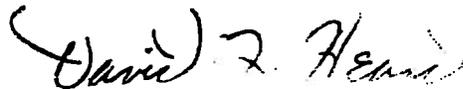
To Officer Jeffrey Waldorf:

It is hereby ordered that the Complaint of Brenda Williams, Complaint No. 04-67, filed with the Board on October 20, 2004, is dismissed because the Complainant failed to appear at the scheduled meeting, by the

MILWAUKEE BOARD OF
FIRE AND POLICE COMMISSIONERS

ERIC MANDEL JOHNSON,
CHAIRMAN

BY:



DAVID L. HEARD
EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

DATED AT MILWAUKEE, WISCONSIN, MAY 16, 2005.

c: Attorney Laurie Eggert ✓