

# CITY OF MILWAUKEE

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November 18, 2002

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

Assistant City Attorneys

Re: Communication from Attorney Michael Edmonds, Eggert & Edmonds, S.C. for legal fees  
for Police Officers Teri Clyse and August Halama  
C.I. File No. 98-S-211

Dear Council Members:

Returned herewith is a document filed by Attorney Michael Edmonds for attorney's fees for representing Police Officers Teri Clyse and August Halama. The claim is in the amount of \$319.00 for 2.90 hours of service billed at the rate of \$110 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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July 20, 2001

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

Re: C.I. File No. 98-S-211  
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 Teri Clyse and August Halama.

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,

Handwritten signature of Jan A. Smokowicz in cursive.

JAN A. SMOKOWICZ  
Assistant City Attorney

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**EGGERT & EDMONDS, S.C.**

*Attorneys at Law*

Laurie A. Eggert  
Michael J. Edmonds

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April 17, 1998

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

**RE: MPD Criminal Investigation  
Regarding Police Officers Teri Clyse and August Halama  
Date of Incident: November 11, 1997  
Location of Incident: 1301 West North Avenue**

Dear Mr. Leonhardt:

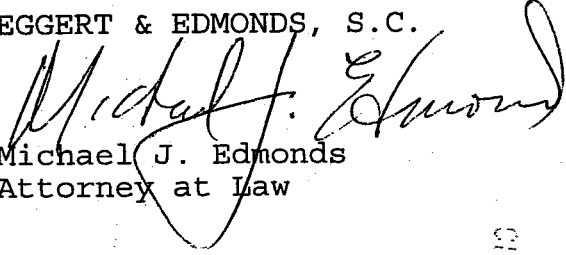
The above-named police officers have retained us to represent them in connection with the above-referenced matter.

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 alleged battery to a prisoner. Assistant District Attorney Stephanie G. Rothstein will not issue charges against any officers.

The attached is an itemization of the time and services rendered.

Sincerely,

EGGERT & EDMONDS, S.C.

  
Michael J. Edmonds  
Attorney at Law

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Professional services

	<u>Hours</u>
11/18/97 Conference with Bill Ward re: charges.	0.20
Telephone conference with client.	0.30
11/21/97 Telephone conference with client.	0.10
11/24/97 Conference with clients.	1.30
11/25/97 Correspondence to DA.	0.20
12/02/97 Telephone call from Ciske; memo to file.	0.20
12/03/97 Telephone conference with Mark Ciske.	0.10
12/16/97 Letter of retainer to DA.	0.20

Mr. Ronald D. Leonhardt

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	<u>Hours</u>	
12/29/97 Review voice mail from Det. Ciske advising that no charges have been issued.	0.10	
Correspondence to clients re: decision not to prosecute.	0.20	
		<u>Amount</u>
For professional services rendered	2.90	\$319.00
Balance due		<u><u>\$319.00</u></u>

(Rate: \$110.00 per hour)

MILWAUKEE POLICE DEPARTMENT

MEMORANDUM

SEPTEMBER 7, 2001

TO: P.O. AUGUST HALAMA  
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 NOVEMBER 11, 1997
- 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: \_\_\_\_\_

Print your name: \_\_\_\_\_

*August Halama*  
August Halama

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

*Steven Settingsgaard*

STEVEN M. SETTINGSGAARD *KSS*  
COMMANER of Police  
Internal Affairs Division

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MILWAUKEE POLICE  
INTERNAL AFFAIRS  
DIVISION  
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MILWAUKEE POLICE DEPARTMENT

MEMORANDUM

SEPTEMBER 7, 2001

TO: P.O. TERI CLYSE  
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Your signature: *P.O. Teri Clyde*  
Print your name: P.O. TERI CLYSE

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

*Steven Settingsgaard*  
STEVEN M. SETTINGSGAARD *KJS*  
COMMANER of Police  
Internal Affairs Division

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