

CITY OF MILWAUKEE

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April 5, 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 Jan Karow, Charles Roessler and
Justin Carloni; C.I. File No. 00-S-150(c)**


Dear Council Members:


Returned herewith is a document filed by Attorney Laurie Eggert for attorney's fees for representing Police Officers Jan Karow, Charles Roessler and Justin Carloni. The claim is in the amount of \$1,542.00 including \$2.00 in disbursements for 14.00 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
City Attorney


JAN A. SMOKOWICZ
Assistant City Attorney

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May 17, 2000

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Commander Dale Schunk
Milwaukee Police Department
Internal Affairs Division
6680 North Teutonia Avenue, Rm 325
Milwaukee, WI 09

Re: C.I. File No. 00-S-150
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 Gary Brown, Richard Gordy, Jan Karow, Charles Roessler and Justin Carloni, Charistopher Gull, Manuel Molina, Deborah Moody, Dan Rice and Scott Thorne, Michael Sarenac and William Walsh, James MacGillis and Jeffrey Theile, and Tim Trumble, Rodney Casarez and Walter McCullough.

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 "JASmowicz", written over a horizontal line.

JAN A. SMOKOWICZ
Assistant City Attorney

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May 8, 2000

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

CITY OF MILWAUKEE
00 MAY 11 PM 2:06
RONALD D. LEONHARDT
CITY CLERK

RE: MPD Criminal Investigation of POs Jan Karow, Charles
Roessler and Justin Carloni
Allegations Regarding Mr. Gerald Mantie
Date of Incident: January 5, 2000
Location of Incident: District #7
ELO No.: 1426

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 attempted suicide while in custody at District #7. Charges will not be issued against the officers. Attached is a copy of the DA's letter clearing the officers, and an itemization of the time and services rendered.

Sincerely,

EGGERT LAW OFFICE, S.C.

Laurie A. Eggert
Attorney at Law

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RE: MPD Criminal Investigation
Regarding: POs Jan Karow, Charles Roessler & Justin Carloni
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Professional services

	<u>Hours</u>
1/5/00 Telephone calls from POs Karow and Roessler; intra-office conference; open file; meeting with Lt. O'Keefe at PAB; meetings with POs Roessler, Karow and Carloni; attend PO Roessler's statement to ADA; travel.	5.00
1/6/00 Attend PI-21 interviews with POs Roessler, Karow and Carloni; travel; intra-office conference; meeting with MPA; telephone call from PO Carloni; meeting with ADA Kinney; meeting with POs Carloni and Karow; attend PO Karow and Carloni's statements to ADA Kinney; travel.	6.50
1/10/00 Receive and review FAX from ADA Kenney; correspondence to MPD Open Records; correspondence to clients; telephone call to and from PO Roessler.	0.80

	<u>Hours</u>	
1/19/00 Review of correspondence from clients; correspondence to MPD Open Records.	0.50	
4/3/00 Review of correspondence from MPD Open Records; intra-office conference; correspondence to MPD Open Records.	0.50	
4/7/00 Telephone call to MPD Open Records.	0.20	
4/13/00 Telephone call to and from MPD Open Records; receive and review denial of MPD Open Records request; close file.	0.50	
		<u>Amount</u>
For professional services rendered	14.00	\$1,540.00
Additional charges:		
1/5/00 Parking		2.00
Total costs		<u>\$2.00</u>
Total amount of this bill		<u>\$1,542.00</u>
Balance due		<u><u>\$1,542.00</u></u>

(Rate: \$110.00 per hour)



OFFICE OF DISTRICT ATTORNEY

Milwaukee County

E. MICHAEL McCANN • District Attorney

January 7, 2000

Chief Arthur L. Jones
City of Milwaukee Police Department
749 West State Street
Milwaukee, WI 53233

RE: Attempted Suicide of # 20

Dear Sir:

Our office had an opportunity to review the circumstances surrounding the attempted suicide of # 20 on January 5, 2000, at the 7th District Police Station. Representatives from our office interviewed Police Officer Charles Roessler, Police Officer Justin Carloni and Police Officer Jan Karow. As you know, our review is limited to determining if there is probable cause to believe that any criminal activity by members of your department led to this incident. Our office is satisfied that there is no evidence to suggest that any member of your department was involved in any criminal activity which led to the attempted suicide of # 20. The aforementioned officers, as well Lt. Brian O'Keefe, were very cooperative throughout our inquiry.

Although I do not consider myself an expert in police procedures, from my perspective, it appears that the officers were highly professional in their contact with # 20 and probably saved his life.

Thank you for your department's continued cooperation in these matters.

Sincerely,

Patrick J. Kenney
Assistant District Attorney

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KE O'KEEFE

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Jon N. Reddn
Carol Lynn White
James J. Martin

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MILWAUKEE POLICE DEPARTMENT

MEMORANDUM

JUNE 9, 2000

TO: PO JAN KAROW
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 5, 2000
- 2) A citizen's complaint made by
- 3) A police shooting incident occurring on

Is this information correct?

YES NO

Did you receive legal representation
in this matter?

YES NO

Your signature: P.O. Jan T. Karow
Print your name: JAN T. KAROW

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
Police Commander
Internal Affairs Division

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YES X NO _____

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YES X NO _____

Your signature: PO Justin K. Carloni

Print your name: JUSTIN K. CARLONI

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Dale T. Schunk
DALE T. SCHUNK *ds*
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MILWAUKEE POLICE DEPARTMENT

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TO: PO CHARLES ROESSLER
DISTRICT SEVEN

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Your signature: Charles Roessler

Print your name: CHARLES ROESSLER

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