

CITY OF MILWAUKEE

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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 David Metz and Mark Bohlmann
C.I. File No. 01-S-09; ELO No. 1587

Dear Council Members:

Returned herewith is a document filed by Attorney Laurie A. Eggert for attorney's fees for representing Police Officers David Metz and Mark Bohlmann. The claim is in the amount of \$993.87 including \$14.87 in disbursements for 8.90 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,

Handwritten signature of Grant F. Langley in cursive.

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December 27, 2000

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

**RE: Citizen Complaint of Ms. Marie Williams
Against POs David Metz and Mark Bohlmann
Complaint No.: 00-08
Date of Incident: September 1, 1999
ELO No.: 1587**

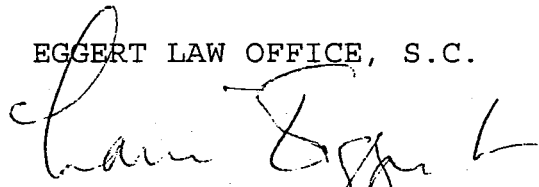
Dear Mr. Leonhardt:

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 call regarding subject with a knife. 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 LAW OFFICE, S.C.


Laurie A. Eggert
Attorney at Law

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METZ

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FPC No: 00-08
Date of Incident: September 1, 1999
Location of Incident: 1214 West Wright* Street

Professional services

	<u>Hours</u>
5/12/00 Telephone call from FPC; memo to file; correspondence to FPC.	0.80
5/15/00 Conference with Bohlmann; correspondence to FPC; correspondence to MPD Open Records; telephone call to Metz; memo to file.	1.20
5/18/00 Telephone call from and to client.	0.20
5/30/00 Telephone call from client; review of file.	0.30
5/31/00 Telephone call from FPC; memo to file.	0.20
6/1/00 Telephone call from client; memo to file; correspondence to MPD Open Records.	0.60
6/13/00 Telephone call from Heard; review of file.	0.30

	<u>Hours</u>	
6/19/00 Review of file; telephone call to client.	0.70	
6/29/00 Telephone call to FPC; review of file.	0.20	
7/31/00 Review of file; telephone call to FPC.	0.20	
8/3/00 Review of file.	0.20	
8/21/00 Preparation for and appearance at conciliation; conference with client; memo to file; travel; conference with FPC; review of correspondence from FPC.	1.60	
8/23/00 Telephone call from MPD Open Records; memo to file; review of file.	0.30	
8/28/00 Review of correspondence from MPD Open Records; memo to file.	0.70	
9/11/00 Telephone call to and from FPC; review of file.	0.30	
9/28/00 Telephone call from FPC; review of file.	0.20	
10/4/00 Review of file.	0.20	
12/1/00 Review of file; telephone call to FPC; memo to file.	0.30	
12/15/00 Review of correspondence from FPC; correspondence to client; close file.	0.40	
		<u>Amount</u>
For professional services rendered	8.90	\$979.00

Mr. Ronald Leonhardt

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Additional charges:

	<u>Amount</u>
8/21/00 Parking	2.50
8/29/00 MPD Open Records request	12.37
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Total costs	\$14.87
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Total amount of this bill	\$993.87
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Balance due	<u>\$993.87</u>

(Rate: \$110.00 per hour)

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

In Re:
THE CHARGES OF MARIE WILLIAMS
AGAINST POLICE OFFICERS MARK
BOHLMANN AND DAVID METZ

ORDER OF DISMISSAL

To Officer David Metz:

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FIRE AND POLICE COMMISSIONERS

WOODY WELCH,
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BY:



JOSEPH J. CZARNEZKI
EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

DATED AT MILWAUKEE, WISCONSIN, DECEMBER 13, 2000.

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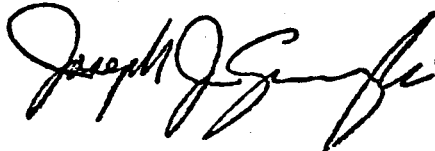
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MILWAUKEE POLICE DEPARTMENT

MEMORANDUM

FEBRUARY 12, 2001

TO: PO DAVID METZ
DISTRICT FIVE

RE: Receipt of Legal Services from Law Firm of
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Is this information correct?

YES NO

Did you receive legal representation
in this matter?

YES NO

Your signature: *David Metz*

Print your name: DAVID METZ

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

Dale T. Schunk

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Commander of Police
Internal Affairs Division

DTS:dnp

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