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Re:



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November 26, 2002

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

Communication from Attorney Laurie A. Eggert, Eggert Law Office, S.C. for legal fees

for Detectives Mark Walton and Kim Stein

ELO No. 1463

Dear Council Members:

Returned herewith is a document filed by Attorney Laurie Eggert for attorney's fees for representing Detectives Mark Walton and Kim Stein. The claim is in the amount of \$2,931.06 including \$38.06 in disbursements for 26.30 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 Detectives 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,

GRANTA. LANGLEY

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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 Detectives Mark Walton Allegations Regarding John Mullarkey and Banyon Burkes Date of Incident: October 30, 1999 Location of Incident: 2661 N. 44th St. ELO No.: 1463

Dear Mr. Leonhardt:

The above-named detectives 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 motor vehicle accident. Charges will not be issued against the detectives. 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

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RE: MPD Criminal Investigation

Regarding: Detectives Mark Walton and Kim Stein

Date of Incident: October 30, 1999 Location of Incident: 2661 N. 44th St.

Professional services

		Hours
12/8/99	Telephone call from PO Walton; intra-office conference; open file; telephone call to and from IAD; meeting with IAD; memo to file; travel.	1.80
12/9/99	Intra-office conference; telephone call to Det. Walton; telephone call from and to witness; telephone call from IAD.	0.60
12/10/99	Office conference with Det. Walton; office conference with witness; telephone call to witness; memo to file.	3.80
12/28/99	Several telephone calls to IAD; telephone call to IAD; memo to file.	1.10
	Telephone call to IAD; meeting with IAD; telephone call to Det. Walton; telephone call to Atty. Boyle.	1.70
1/5/00	Telephone call to and from Det. Stein.	0.40

		<u>Hours</u>
1/6/00	Meeting with witness.	0.30
1/7/00	Review document from Det. Walton; telephone call to witness; travel to meet with witness; several telephone calls to and from client.	1.80
1/10/00	Telephone call from Det. Walton; telephone call to witness.	0.30
1/12/00	Several telephone calls to and from Det. Walton; telephone call to and from IAD; telephone call to and from DA Donohoo.	0.60
1/13/00	Telephone call to and from witness and Det. Walton.	0.40
1/14/00	Discussion with IAD.	0.40
1/17/00	Review of file; meeting with Det. Stein at DA's office; attend Det Stein's statement to DA; travel; intra-office conference; telephone call to PO Walton.	2.10
1/28/00	Telephone call to and from IAD; correspondence to and from witness; telephone call to client; review of file; meeting with witness.	2.20
1/31/00	Review file; meeting with Det. Walton at Safety Building; meeting with DA Donohoo; meeting with Det. Walton; travel.	1.70
2/2/00	Several telephone calls to and from IAD; telephone call to client.	0.50

		Hours	
2/3/00	Review file; meeting with witness at IAD; attend witness's statement to IAD; travel.	2.30	
2/7/00	Review of file; meeting with Det. Walton at DA's office; attend Det. Walton's statement to DA; travel; memo to file.	2.40	
2/16/00	Several telephone calls to and from Atty. Mike Guerin.	0.40	
3/8/00	Telephone call to and from DDA Donohoo; telephone call to clients; correspondence to clients; correspondence to MPD Open Records; correspondence to Atty. Rettko.	9.60	0.5 Athy. 1 Egget 6 Her 6 5/25/01
7/27/00	Review of correspondence from DA Donohoo; correspondence to clients.	0.30	
8/10/00	Review of correspondence from MPD Open Records; correspondence to clients.	0.50	
8/18/00	Telephone call from Det. Stein; close file.	0.20	
			Amount
	For professional services rendered	26,40	\$2,9 04 .00 2893.00 JA
	Additional charges:	263 JB	2893. 00 JK
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1/31/00	Parking		4.00
2/7/00	Parking		5.86

Mr. Ronald D. Leonhardt	Page 4
	Amount
8/10/00 MPD Open Records request	23.20
Total costs	\$38.06
Total amount of this bill	\$2,942.06
Balance due	2931 ·

(Rate: \$110.00 per hour)



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Milwaukee County

July 25, 2000

E. MICHAEL McCANN . District Attorney

Chief Arthur L. Jones Chief of Police City of Milwaukee Police Department Milwaukee, WI JUL 27 2000

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Re: REVIEW OF AN INCIDENT ON NOVEMBER 30, 1999
INVOLVING BANYON BURKES AND JOHN MULLARKEY AND THE
HANDLING OF THAT MATTER BY SEVERAL CITY OF MILWAUKEE
POLICE OFFICERS

Dear Chief Jones:

Since the middle of December of 1999, I have been reviewing an incident that occurred on November 30, 1999 involving Banyon Burkes and John Mullarkey. The incident report numbers are 99-335-3002 and 99-342-3107. The incident was referred to the Milwaukee County District Attorney's Office for two reasons. First, to determine whether John Mullarkey should be charged with any criminal charges in relation to the incident. Second, to determine whether any City of Milwaukee police officer should be charged with a crime in relation to their actions undertaken while investigating the incident.

I have now completed a thorough and exhaustive investigation of the above incident, both from the viewpoint of possible criminal charges against John Mullarkey and the viewpoint of possible criminal misconduct on the part of City of Milwaukee police officers. In relation to possible criminal charges against John Mullarkey, I have concluded that no criminal charges will be issued against John Mullarkey. See the attached letter dated July 25, 2000. As to any criminal misconduct on the part of any City of Milwaukee police officer, I do not believe that the evidence supports any such charges.

In view of the above conclusions, I now consider the review of the above incident by the Milwaukee County District Attorney's Office to be closed.

Sincerely,

ROBERT D. DONOHOO

Chief Deputy District Attorney

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Enc.

cc: Attorney John Cermele, 1840 N. Farwell Ave., #303, Milwaukee, WI

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MILWAUKEE POLICE DEPARTMENT

MEMORANDUM

OCTOBER 26, 2000

DET MARK WALTON TO:

CRIM. INVEST. BUREAU

Receipt of Legal Services from Law Firm of RE:

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:

An incident occurring on OCTOBER 30, 1999 1)

A citizen's complaint made by PODanell Flemming 2)

A police shooting incident occurring on 3) RES(Outo involved)

Is this information correct?

YES

YES

Did you receive legal representation in this matter?

Your signature:

Print your name:

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

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Commander of Police

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MILWAUKEE POLICE DEPARTMENT

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OCTOBER 26, 2000

TO: DET KIM ENGELBART CRIM. INVEST. BUREAU

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the following situations:
1) An incident occurring on OCTOBER 30, 1999 2) A citizen's complaint made by PO DOVNUL F (MINO 3) A police shooting incident occurring on (according to IAD)
Is this information correct? YESNO
Did you receive legal representation in this matter? YES NO
Your signature: Kin Engelbart Print your name: Det Kim Engelbart
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Upon completion, please return this memorandum to the Internal Affairs Division at the Police Academy (Room 325) as soon as possible.

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May 15, 2001

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MPD Criminal Investigation of Detectives Mark Walton and Kim Stein

ELO No. 1463

C.I. File No. 00-S-293

Dear Ms. Eggert:

Re:

In your bill for the above-noted matter, it included a charge on March 8, 2000 for "correspondence to Attorney Rettko." It does not appear that Mr. Rettko was representing any of the officers involved in this matter. As this matter does involve Mr. Mullarkey and as that individual is also involved with Mr. Rettko's other clients, Officer Morales and Kolatske I presume that this correspondence has to do with Mr. Rettko's civil suit on behalf of Morales and Kolatske against the City. As such, I do not believe that the time for the correspondence is compensable. Please either deduct the appropriate time from this bill, or explain to me further the manner in which this is not connected to that civil litigation.

Very truly yours,

Jan A. Śmokowicz

Assistant City Attorney

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May 25, 2001

Mr. Jan Smokowicz Assistant City Attorney 800 City Hall 200 East Wells Street Milwaukee, WI 53202

RE: MPD Criminal Investigation of Detectives Mark Walton and Kim Stein C.I. File No. 00-S-293; ELO No. 1463

Dear Mr. Smokowicz:

Your letter of May 15, 2001 asked for an explanation of a charge on March 8, 2000 for "correspondence to Attorney Rettko." We have reviewed the file and found a transmittal letter to Mr. Rettko, and have concluded that the bill should be amended to remove the charge for such correspondence. Please remove 0.1 hour from the bill; the amended balance becomes \$2,931.06.

Sincerely,

EGGERT LAW OFFICE, S.C.

Laurie A. Eggert Attorney at Law

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