

To: Citizen's Review Board

From: Susan Wildrick

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RE: CRB Complaint #21-002

- As to the response of providing his information, Sgt. Rodriguez clearly states upon the first request he does not have any. Only after Mr. Wildrick's repeated insistence and Mr. Griswald providing a piece of paper does he provide partial information. I find this interesting in contrast to when Sgt. Rodriguez request my information resulting in numerous threats of additional charges even when I'm rightfully concerned about providing my full social security number to a complete stranger.

- Making the statement that the officers on the scene did not use any foul/vulgar language sets an extremely low bar for the definition of rudeness. Calling me a liar when he can't substantiate his claim is not only rude, it is defamatory and unprofessional. He proceeds to make inflammatory comments throughout the encounter even going out of his way to attempt to provoke Mr. Wildrick as he walks away.

- As previously clarified I did not resist, I merely began moving in the direction of my employment to comply with fulfilling his demand for identification. Again, as your ordinance states an arrest can only occur for a "knowing and intentional violation" of which neither are present as I have smoked in that location, socially distanced from others, nearly everyday for the past year.

- Interesting statement that he exercised his options within the departments "Use of discretion and alternatives to arrest policy". He himself states he does not want to proceed with arrest yet contradicts himself and proceeds even though I'm in complete compliance, repeatedly state I will comply, and his own colleague testifies to my character by stating I'm a good person. The question remains, exactly what is he inferring is suppose to get better? Then when I'm placed in the patrol car by Ofc. Valdes-Marrero he slides his hand underneath the seat belt across my chest and proceeds to caress my shoulder. I would have to conclude that your department does have a "Sexual harrasment manuel".?

- The allegation of being untruthful is demonstrated throughout the entire arrest. Examples of just a few of these fabrications in the report are as follows:

- Sgt. Rodriguez did not give me a citation. It is first presented and signed under duress at the jail.

- Sgt. Rodriguez does not have to catch up me as we cross the street, we walk casually in the direction of my employer where I have clearly stated my identification is and my intent to retrieve it for him.

- Sgt. Rodriguez states he writes the rules and goes on to say they had just amended the ordinance to include "eating, drinking or smoking". This language was not added and you would think he

would know because he rights the rules.

- How hypocritical to use letterhead that states the tenets of your organization (Respect, Integrity, Fairness, Service) when you fail to achieve each one.