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#### **MEMORANDUM**

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To: Story County IA

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IT/IS Provider: Local/Third-Party

Commercial/Proprietary

### Subj: Iowa Open Records Request - Story County IA - 767 - CM-X2

Ref: 1. Iowa Code Title I State Sovereignty and Management, Chapter 22 Examination of Public Records (Open Records)

2. Iowa Code Title I State Sovereignty and Management, Chapter 23 Public Access to Government Information (Iowa Public Information Board Act) - Section 23.7 - Filing of complaints with the board.

#### 1. Introduction

During the processing of public record requests submitted to the City of Newton, IA, from December 2021 - 2023, the City of Newton, IA, Mayor Hansen, members of the City of Newton, IA, City Council, the City of Newton, IA, Chief of Police Robert Burdess, and the City of Newton, IA, Attorney Matthew Brick ("University of Iowa College of Law, J.D., 2001, With High Distinction, University of Iowa, B.S., Psychology, 1995, With Honors" Ref:

https://www.brickgentrylaw.com/attorneys/24/matthew-s-brick.aspx) of Brick

- Gentry P.C. produced evidence of the following unethical acts directly or indirectly under their leadership:
- (1.) Withholding public records spanning multiple years related to criminal reports of harassment, interstate domestic abuse, and child concealment while producing evidence inconsistent with the requirements of Iowa Code Chapter 22.
- (2.) Misrepresentation of Iowa Code Section 22.7 (10 FEB 2022/10 MAR 2022) while articulating public records in accordance with Iowa Code Section 22.7(5.) was Confidential.
- (3.) False allegations of criminal conduct with zero evidence and restriction of access to public accommodations against a Complainant during Iowa Public Information Board case 22FC:0071 (Iowa Code Section 708.7(1.)(a.)(4.). At the same time, producing evidence of the inclusion of the Chief of Police Robert Burdess in documented communications in a public records response regarding the restriction of access to a public accommodation related to an alleged criminal allegation the City of Newton, IA, failed to present to the Iowa Court during Iowa Public Information Board case 22FC:0071. At the same time, the City of Newton, IA, and the City of Newton, IA, Attorney Matthew Brick denied that Iowa citizen rights protected by Sections 1, 2, 6, 7, 9, and 10 of Article 1 of the Constitution of the State of Iowa regarding the allegation of criminal conduct deployed by the City of Newton, IA, and the City of Newton, IA, Attorney Matthew Brick to restrict access to public accommodations evidence shows they failed to present in an Iowa Court.
- (4.) Misrepresentation regarding the existence of multiple public records (Official portraits of Chief of Police Robert Burdess) stored and preserved on the Official City of Newton, IA, municipal web server, including an official photograph showing the City of Newton, IA, deploying the Chief of Police Robert Burdess on what intelligence indicates is a prototype Portable Interceptor Golf Expeditionary Cart Model 800 (PIG-E-CART-M800). At the same time, the City of Newton, IA, and the City of Newton, IA, Attorney Matthew Brick denied a citizen of Iowa a requested copy of an official photograph of the Chief of Police Robert Burdess. At the same time, the City of Newton, IA, and City of Newton, IA, Attorney Matthew Brick produced evidence of an inconsistent release of public records and evidence of violating their responsibilities in accordance with Iowa Code Chapter 22 (publicly available evidence shows the City of Newton, IA, provided the Newton Daily News a copy of one of these requested public records for a November 2022 article.
- (5.) Evidence of gender-based discrimination regarding the City of Newton, IA, making available requested public records, including a citizen's name on requested police reports, Iowa Code Section 22.7(5.) articulates are public records.
- (6.) Attacking the character ("good faith"/"merit") of an Iowa public records requester during an Iowa Public Information Board case that was ultimately accepted (Iowa Rules of the Court Chapter 32:4:4(a.)).

Legal Disclaimer: This public record request includes personal testimony supported by the publicly available evidence (cipherphoenix.com), including Iowa Code and Iowa Rules of the Court references that correlate with the available evidence. Only the Iowa Court has the authority to pass judgment and determine the relevance of the evidence of a citizen's acts as they relate to the Iowa Code and the Iowa Rules of the Court.



### City of Newton, IA Leadership - 2023

City of Newton, IA, Mayor Michael L. Hansen

City of Newton, IA, City Council

Ward 1 - Mark Hallam

Ward 2 - Melissa Dalton

Ward 3 - Craig Trotter

Ward 4 - Vicki Wade

At Large - Evelyn George

At large - Randy Ervin

City of Newton, IA 101 W. 4th St. S. Newton, IA 50208 (641) 792-2787

# 2. Records Requested

- (a.) Public records showing the government body's contracted, identified, or utilized licensed attorney that handles the government body's legal requirements or evolutions.
- (b.) Public records showing any current contractual, agreement, or utilization of legal services provides by Brick Gentry P.C. of 6701 Westown Pkwy # 100, West Des Moines, IA 50266.
- (c.) Public records supporting the tax-funded deployment of the Portable Interceptor Golf Expeditionary Cart Model 800 (PIG-E-CART-M800) (pictured right) by the government body in receipt of this request.



# 3. Request Guidance

- (a.) The originator requests to be informed of any estimated fees in accordance with Iowa Code Section 22.3 before performing the requested search.
- (b.) The desired format of requested data: Thumb drive (at the government body published rate) or electronically submitted portable document formatted (PDF) files.
- (c.) Distribution of Requested Records: Priority United States Postal Service (USPS) mail or electronic mail sent to the originator of this request.
- (d.) Public Record Status Requests will be sent at Proof of Service Differential Proof of Service +20 days and Proof of Service +40 days in accordance with Iowa

Code Section 22.8(4.)(d.). Complaints will be filed with the Iowa Public Information Board upon evidence of a government body's alleged failure to adhere to Iowa Code Chapter 22 at Proof of Service Differential Proof of Service +51 days in accordance with Iowa Code Section 23.7.

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=nkQ0LhcTNsY

Legal Disclaimer: The included YouTube link does not represent a past, present, or future US or Iowa Code violation. It is a sonic representation of the constitutional spirit of a 20-year US Navy Veteran concerning the evidence of the "Wild West" of law practice in a state that repealed Iowa Code Section 22.6 while producing evidence of protecting its elected and appointed leaders from criminal penalties due to evidence of public record concealment. At the same time, the Iowa Legislature has produced evidence of damaging citizen rights in accordance with Section 2 of Article 1 of the Constitution of the State of Iowa and specifically access to public records in accordance with Iowa Code Chapter 22.

The Form of the Shift of Power in a Nation Distracted by TikTok

The evidence supports the conclusion that in the State of Iowa, Brandon and Scott of the Newton, IA, Chapter of Make Jasper County Great Again will be stuck in a traffic stop with Smokey Joe. At the same time, Smokey Joe conceals a public record documenting his last violation of the Iowa Code and a doughnut in his back pocket.

References available in hyperlink format at the following URL:

https://cipherphoenix.com/2023/07/09/iowa-open-records-request-consolidated-635-887-cm-x2/

Respectfully,

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"Bricks made with testimony lacking evidence are equivalent to bricks made with straw without clay."

Cipher Hunter