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Chief Derek Asdot
Green Cove Springs Police Department

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RE: GCSPD v. McWHORTER/FORFEITURE
CIVIL ACTION

Dear Derek:

As you can see from the attached Statement, this type case can be time consuming. Our advanced costs are also included in the Current Services at page 3. There is still work to be done to complete this case. Detective Carpenter thought McWhorter would go along with everything and sign a settlement agreement, etc. per the statute, but that is not now happening as you likely know. Much work was done in contemplation of his cooperation.

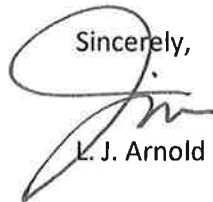
As you know, we are now having him served, publishing notice in the newspaper and proceeding accordingly. I still would not expect the defendant to retain counsel to fight this case, but we never know.

Because there was some learning curve in this type case, I am reducing our outstanding statement by \$1,000.00 to \$3,618.00. We also did not charge for considerable paralegal time.

Should you have any questions, feel free to let me know. By the way, how did your discussion with the Sheriff go regarding an interlocal on forfeiture prosecutions.

In the meantime, should you have any questions please do not hesitate to call me.

Sincerely,



L. J. Arnold III

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Attachment

cc: Steve Kennedy, City Manager
Marlena Guthrie, Finance Director
Detective Dave Carpenter

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CURRENT SERVICES

Date	Invoice #
11/30/2020	5502

Bill To
City of Green Cove Springs Police Dept c/o Chief Derek Asdot Forfeiture Civil Case/Duval Co. RE: GCSPD v. McWhorter

Date of Service	Description	Hours	Rate	Amount
11/6/2020	CHECK DOCKET FOR SUMMONS & NOTICE	0.2	200.00	40.00
11/9/2020	CHECK DOCKET; TCT CLERK RE SUMMONS & NOTICE	0.2	200.00	40.00
11/9/2020	REC REV SUMMONS & NOTICE; LTR TO JSO FOR SERVICE	0.33	200.00	66.00
11/10/2020	PRINT SUMMONS & COMPLAINT; MAIL TO SHERIFF; EM COPIES TO DET CARPENTER, POLICE CHIEF ASDOT & CITY MGR; ISSUE CHECK -- NC	0		0.00
11/13/2020	REVIEW STATUTE RE PUBLICATION ETC; LTR TO NEWSPAPER	0.5	200.00	100.00
11/16/2020	REVIEW NOTICE; PREP NOT OF FORFEITURE COMPLAINT; E-FILE	0.5	200.00	100.00
11/30/2020	CHECK DOCKET FOR PROOF; EM TO NEWSPAPER; ISSUE ADVANCE COSTS NEWSPAPER	0.25	200.00	50.00
11/30/2020	11/10 ADVANCE COSTS - JSO FOR SERVICE		40.00	40.00
11/30/2020	11/17 ADVANCE COSTS - FOR CLERK ISSUANCE OF NOTICE OF FORFEITURE COMPLAINT		15.00	15.00
11/30/2020	11/30 ADVANCE COSTS TO JACKSONVILLE DAILY RECORD		218.00	218.00
			Total	\$669.00

SERVICES LISTED ABOVE ARE FOR CURRENT WORK ONLY. SEE ATTACHED "STATEMENT" FOR AMOUNT DUE OR CREDIT BALANCE.