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Honorable Brian C. Walsh
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Santa Clara County Superior Court
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San Jose, CA 95113

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DAVID H. YAMASAKI
Chief Executive Officer/Clerk,
Superior Court of CA County of Santa Clara
BY STEPHANIE WONG

RE: Morgan Hill Police Department response to "Law Enforcement Public Complaint Procedures"

Dear Honorable Judge Walsh:

Thank you for the opportunity to respond to the letter from the Civil Grand Jury dated June 18, 2013, pertaining to the findings and recommendations on "Law Enforcement Public Complaint Procedures".

Finding 11: Morgan Hill Police Department does not make their complaint materials freely available in hard copy form in their lobby.

Morgan Hill Police Department response: Agree with finding. Complaint materials are now freely available in hard copy form in the police department lobby.

Finding 12: Morgan Hill Police Department should make multilingual complaint materials available on-line and also freely available in hard copy form in their lobby.

Morgan Hill Police Department response: Agree with finding. Staff has made complaint materials available in Spanish and English on-line and freely available in hard copy form in the police department lobby and at City Hall.

Finding 13: Morgan Hill Police Department complaint materials include reference to the unconstitutional California Penal Code Section (CPC) 148.6 criminal advisory and language that mirrors the California Civil Code Section (CCC) 47.5 civil advisory.

Morgan Hill Police Department response: Agree with finding. Staff has removed referenced language of (CPC) 148.6 and (CCC) 47.5 from complaint materials.

Sincerely,

Steve Tate
Mayor