
From: Cityops <ome1.cityops@cityofchicago.org>
Sent: Friday, December 04, 2015 8:26 AM
Cc: Richard Guidice
Subject: General Message Crowd Management Plan Friday, 4 December
Attachments: General Message Crowd Management_and Control Plan 12_04_2015_0820hrs.docx

Good Morning,

Please see the attachment regarding protests for today, Friday, 4 December.

Thank you.

City of Chicago Operations Center
Email: Cityops@cityofchicago.org
Phone: 312-743-0004

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Operational Period
Friday, 4 December 0000- 2359hrs

Message:

OEMC General Message

Subject: Crowd Management and Control Plan for Friday, 4 December 2015

The City should anticipate spontaneous protests being organized citywide. This message will be updated as necessary.

Overview:

The Operations Center continues to monitor potential protests throughout the City in response to a release of a dash cam video on Tuesday, 24 November.

Weather Per National Weather Service:

Mostly cloudy, then gradually becoming sunny, with a high near 47. Southwest wind around 10 mph.

Protests for Friday, 4 December

- 1100hrs City Hall, 121 North LaSalle 5th Floor, group will assemble at City Hall to file complaints with the DOJ regarding CPD brutality survivors.
- 1200hrs City Hall, 121 North LaSalle, "March for Justice" group will march around City Hall 16 times in remembrance of Laquan McDonald.

Special Attention Friday, 4 December

- 1000 – 1200hrs, 4060 S. Pulaski, Press Conference / prayer vigil, special attention will be given to this location.

Potential Protest for Saturday, 5 December

- 1230hrs Cook County Criminal Court , 2600 S. California Ave, group will assemble at the Criminal Courts Building to "Shut Down the County" and demand the resignation of Anita Alvarez. Note: Date may change for the event based on comments

OEMC:

The OEMC Operations Center continues to monitor citywide protests throughout Chicago. Normal protocol procedures will apply unless the situation needs to be escalated. The Operations Center phone number is 312-743-0004.

OEMC Staffing Plan:

Operations Center will be a central point of contact to assist with coordinating citywide activities regarding above referenced protests.

Agencies invited include: CPD, CFD, ISP. The Operations Center will also coordinate with CTA, CCDHSEM, the private sector and additional departments as needed.

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Sent: Friday, December 04, 2015 8:51 AM
To: Quinn, Kelley;Ewing, Clothilde
Cc: Collins, Adam;Klinzman, Grant;Mitchell, Eileen;Spielfogel, David;Rendina, Michael
Subject: RE: (NEWS) Fox Chicago News at 9PM: NYT editorial reports on Laquan McDonald video; David Orr on mayoral affairs

Arrived/on it.

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Byline: Charles Blow
Published: Dec. 3
<http://www.nytimes.com/2015/12/03/opinion/chicanery-in-chicago.html?smprod=nytcore-iphone&smid=nytcore-iphone-share>

Title: The Chicago Police Scandal
Byline: Editorial Board
Published: Dec. 1
<http://www.nytimes.com/2015/12/02/opinion/the-chicago-police-scandal.html?smprod=nytcore-iphone&smid=nytcore-iphone-share>

Title: Cover-Up In Chicago
Byline: Bernard E. Harcourt
Published: Nov. 30

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Material below. FYI, there's an additional article by Charles Blow entitled "LM and the 'System.'"

Title: Chicanery In Chicago
Publication: New York Times
Byline: Charles M. Blow
Published: December 3, 2015

http://www.nytimes.com/2015/12/03/opinion/chicanery-in-chicago.html?src=me&_r=0

NOTE: This piece draws quotes from John Kass's "Mayor Emanuel Severs Top Cop's Head To Save His Own," Bernard Harcourt's "Cover-Up In Chicago," the NAACP's statement calling for a DOJ review, and WBEZ's piece in July about Lorenzo Davis.

KEY MATERIAL:

-This week, Mayor Rahm Emanuel of Chicago sacrificed police Superintendent Garry McCarthy in order to save himself.

-Emanuel may not be able to save himself. Everything about the killing of McDonald over 400 days ago, including the slithering about of Chicago officials in their efforts to suppress video of his murder, stinks to high heaven.

-It all makes one ask: How much is the life of a teenager worth? To what length would officials go to bury visual evidence that he had been shot down in the street like a dog? Are officials so desperately afraid of losing their jobs that they would conceal details about the loss of a boy's life?

-Someone has to take a long, hard look at Chicago's police review process, which I would posit, if it were functioning properly, would have had some bearing on this case and on many before it. It has to be determined whether the system is indeed broken, so that there will be fewer McDonalds in the future.

-The federal government will have no choice but to step in if it cares at all about public confidence in the local officials in America's third largest city.

Title: The Chicago Police Scandal
Publication: New York Times
Byline: Editorial Board
Published: December 3, 2015

http://www.nytimes.com/2015/12/03/opinion/chicanery-in-chicago.html?src=me&_r=0

NOTE: Most is seemingly "key material."

KEY MATERIAL:

-The cover-up that began 13 months ago when a Chicago police officer executed 17-year-old LM on a busy street might well have included highly ranked officials who ordered subordinates to conceal information. But the conspiracy of concealment exposed last week when the city, under court order, finally released a video of the shooting could also be seen as a kind of autonomic response from a historically corrupt law enforcement agency that is well versed in the art of hiding misconduct, brutality -- and even torture.

-Mayor Rahm Emanuel demonstrated a willful ignorance when he talked about the murder charges against the police officer who shot LM, seeking to depict the cop as a rogue officer. He showed a complete lack of comprehension on Tuesday when he explained that he had decided to fire his increasingly unpopular police superintendent, Garry McCarthy, not because he failed in his leadership role, but because he had become "a distraction."

-Mr. Emanuel's announcement that he had appointed a task force that will review the Police Department's accountability procedures is too little, too late. The fact is, his administration, the Police Department and the prosecutor's office have lost credibility on this case. Officials must have known what was on that video more than a year ago, and yet they saw no reason to seek a sweeping review of the police procedures until this week.

-The Justice Department, which is already looking at the McDonald killing, needs to investigate every aspect of this case, determine how the cover-up happened and charge anyone found complicit.

-The dash cam video might have been buried forever had lawyers and journalists not been tipped off to its existence. Mr. Emanuel, who was running for re-election at the time of the shooting, fought to keep it from becoming public, arguing that releasing it might taint a federal investigation. Justice Department officials, however, said on Tuesday that the department did not ask the city to withhold the video from the public because of its investigation. That makes this whole episode look like an attempt by the city, the police and prosecutors to keep the video under wraps, knowing the political problems it would most likely create.

Title: Cover-Up In Chicago

Publication: New York Times

Byline: Bernard E. Harcourt

Published: November 30, 2015

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NOTE: Calls for a blanket resignation of the City's top officials on the grounds that they've lost the public's confidence.

KEY MATERIAL:

-There's been a cover-up in Chicago...For more than a year, Chicago officials delayed the criminal process, and might well have postponed prosecution indefinitely, had it not been for a state court forcing their hand.

-They prevented the public from viewing crucial incriminating evidence — first one police car's dashboard camera video; now, we learn, five such videos in total. And these senior officials turned a blind eye to the fact that 86 minutes of other video surveillance footage of the crime scene was unaccountably missing.

-Ms. Alvarez, and other city leaders, surely knew they would have to indict Mr. Van Dyke for murder as soon as the public saw that footage...But the timing, in late 2014, was not good...The video of a police shooting like this in Chicago could have buried Mr. Emanuel's chances for re-election. And it would likely have ended the career of the police superintendent, Garry F. McCarthy. And so the wheels of justice virtually ground to a halt.

-The city spent thousands of dollars in legal expenses to keep the video under wraps. And it would probably have continued to do so, had Judge Franklin Valderrama of the Cook County Circuit Court not ordered its release.

-City leaders did everything in their power to keep the homicide from the public as long as possible. Indeed, Mr. Van Dyke was indicted only after the forced release of the videos. We can surmise that each had particular reasons.

-These actions have impeded the criminal justice system and, in the process, Chicago's leaders allowed a first-degree murder suspect, now incarcerated pending bail, to remain free for over a year on the city's payroll.

-There is good reason to appoint an independent commission to investigate the conduct of these public servants. But frankly, at this point, who would trust Chicago's political institutions or criminal justice system?

-These officials no longer have the public's confidence. They should resign.

Title: LM and The 'System'

Publication: New York Times

Byline: Charles M. Blow

Published: November 30, 2015

<http://www.nytimes.com/2015/11/30/opinion/laquan-mcdonald-and-the-system.html>

NOTE: This isn't so much about the LM case as it is about police racism and brutality throughout the American society.

KEY MATERIAL:

Truly, there are many troubling aspects to this case. But having covered so many of these cases in the last couple years, it strikes me that we may need to push back and widen the lens so that we can fully appreciate and understand the systemic sociological and historical significance of this moment in our country's development.

The only reason that these killings keep happening is because most of American society tacitly approves or willfully tolerates it. There is no other explanation. If America wanted this to end, it would end.

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Sent from my iPhone

On Dec 4, 2015, at 8:03 AM, Ewing, Clothilde <Clothilde.Ewing@cityofchicago.org> wrote:

Carl, please pull asap this morning all of the opeds NYT has run on this case in last two weeks. Columns should include NYT staff as well as guest editorials. Kelley, we need to demand space on Sunday for an oped. This isn't even close to balanced. Grant, once pulled, let's flag the inaccuracies and the total conjectures.

Kelley, soonest I think we can have oped is 2pm.

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From: NewsClips <NewsClips@cityofchicago.org>

Sent: Friday, December 4, 2015 5:13 AM

Subject: (NEWS) Fox Chicago News at 9PM: NYT editorial reports on Laquan McDonald video; David Orr on mayoral affairs

[Fox Chicago News at 9PM: NYT editorial reports on Laquan McDonald video; David Orr comments on mayoral affairs](#)

**B-Roll of MRE and Adam Collins greeting Chicagoan's*

ANCHOR: Other news that we're following here; there are new calls tonight for Mayor Rahm Emanuel to step down. One of the loudest came in the form of an editorial page column in the New York Times. A former law professor at the University Of Chicago slammed Emanuel and the State's Attorney Anita Alvarez for, in his words, trying to cover up evidence of Laquan McDonald's killing until after an election. Political editor Mike Flannery takes a look at what would happen if the mayor surprised everyone and heeded those calls.

FLANNERY: Not even those calling for his resignation expect Rahm Emanuel to step down as mayor. There's no provision for impeaching a mayor. There's no

recall election. But what would happen if there were a vacancy? We talked to the guy who took over the last time there was one here, 28 years ago. It may have been the stormiest meeting ever in the long history of Chicago's City Council. Presiding was then alderman and Vice Mayor David Orr. The sudden death of Harold Washington had made Orr the city's chief executive for seven days, until the council met and filled the vacancy. Now the elected Clerk of Cook County, Orr opposed Rahm Emanuel's re-election this year. He would be happy to see the mayor go, but isn't holding his breath. But you don't think he will resign?

ORR: I don't think that he will resign unless there is something in his heart I don't know. If he is really frustrated --

FLANNERY: Not his style to quit?

ORR: No. He is a fighter.

FLANNERY: But if Emanuel did quit, the current Vice Mayor, Brandon Riley, would take over until the City Council picked a replacement. Riley did not respond to repeated requests for comment. It would take at least 26 of the council's 50 members to name an interim mayor, or thinks that it would be a battle royal, perhaps as stormy as the one that he presided over in 1987.

ORR: And the political battle would be, frankly, do the powerful aldermen want Brandon Riley to stay in that spot, or do they want to choose one of themselves?

FLANNERY: If the departing mayor had more than 28 months left in his term, voters would get to pick a new mayor in a special election. Here at City Hall tonight, close aides to the mayor insist that he is ignoring calls for his resignation and is focused instead they say on solving the problems that prompted those calls, specifically re-building trust between the citizens of the city and their police department. At City Hall, Mike Flannery, FOX 32 News.

ANCHOR: Mayor Emanuel's second term runs through April of 2019.

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Subject: RE: Press 12/4
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[Here's the Q&A for John. They are still working out dash cam language.](#)

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when you have a chance can you come into janey's office so we can work on escalante press?

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Starting a chain on press themes

- 1) We're getting a couple requests for the BK video. Law will get that out to those asking
- 2) We have CBS2 and Fox32 cams here already in the lobby. Probably for the community meetings (Fox seems aware that they are happening). We'll get a statement ready if needed

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Sent: Friday, December 04, 2015 11:00 AM
To: Collins, Adam; Mitchell, Eileen; Spielfogel, David; Ewing, Clothilde; Patton, Stephen; Quinn, Kelley
Cc: Ritter, Amber
Subject: Updates on FOIA requests for BK video and CPD case report

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For when we need it, below is a statement we could use for the BK video or the CPD case report on Laquan McDonald. In both cases, people may assume there was a CPD cover-up or tampering with the video, and in both cases, those are subjects of the federal investigation.

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On background – in response to any questions about whether the City is investigating whether the case report contains false statements:

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From: Huffman, Lauren
Sent: Friday, December 04, 2015 11:41 AM
To: Rountree, Janey;Bennett, Kenneth;PRESS_LIST;Update_List
Subject: Re: 11am presser readout

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No john kass--I was mistaken for his doppelgänger

Lauren Huffman
City of Chicago

On Fri, Dec 4, 2015 at 9:39 AM -0800, "Huffman, Lauren" <Lauren.Huffman@cityofchicago.org> wrote:

John kass, Fran, John Byrne, cbs/Susana song, Univision, Leah hope/abc, ted cox, progress Illinois, Wbez, Bill Cameron, nbc, fox, WGN

George blakemore is here standing up with the group holding the presser. Mixed messaging here today.

The Chicago alliance against racial and political repression is here calling for a civilian police accountability commission -- cpac to independently review cases and ensure justice. A member of Ctu leadership is out here standing in solidarity with the alliance

Michael Brunson from ctu says he's "standing for justice" with Chicago alliance against racial and political repression.

John Byrne asked if ctu is calling for mayor's resignation. Brunson skirted around question but did not say yes. He also made clear that he is standing in solidarity with police union--but they want justice for LM and others.

Fran is asking the alliance about the release of the video. They contend that mayor as leader of the city should have already released this video instead of hiding it

Bill Cameron is asking about the cpac and whether or not it's members should be elected? Head of alliance says no

Fran Asks alliance if MRE should resign? Leader says yes Bc he withheld tape disclosing this murder for 13 mos. also says mayor should be prosecuted for withholding evidence

Bill Cameron asks if they are going to DOJ?

The alliance is going to file an official complaint to DOJ next week about city withholding video. (Not entirely clear on specifics of their complaint other than they think MRE and others were involved in a coverup scheme)

Fran points out that MRE said city handled evidence same way it always does. Alliance says that under these circumstances it should have been disclosed publicly

Question: Do you believe MRE hadn't seen the video?

Alliance says MRE is lying and he probably saw it and that explains why city was covering this up

Marcus wiggins mother is here said he was tortured by police years ago. Another woman with a sign saying free Jaime hauad--a victim of cpd torture.

Father of a man shot and killed by police officers here speaking as well. His name is glen(?) farmer

Fran is asking farmer if the officer (Sierra?) had also been investigated for killing another Chicago man while on duty. Father thinks yes. Is also claiming city is withholding video of his son.

Question: are you calling for Anita Alvarez resignation?

Alliance says yes. It's the fault of her and other electeds that we are here today.

Another speaker--mark Clemons--is here to call for Ed burkes resignation as he oversees finance committee that approved settlement. He said Burke also to blame in coverup of LM video.

Leah hope asks if there had been video in the 70s and 80s if there would be as many torture/police misconduct cases?

Clemons says no. He's also now calling the burge torture reparations package a major insult to injury.

That's it for this one.

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I made a factual edit to the line about preserving the integrity of ongoing investigations. I think it's important given our actual rationale for not releasing the tape, but if Steve can live without it, I defer to him. My suggested line is below. It is the same word count as the original.

Within hours City's investigation began and within days the City turned the video over to prosecutors to investigate and bring appropriate charges. Protecting the integrity of those investigations was critical. That is why the tape was not released to the public.

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Janey, Steve you OK?

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Group is beginning march, heading SB on LaSalle.

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Currently approx 50 standing at LaSalle entrance, speeches going on right now.

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Adding Adam

On Dec 4, 2015, at 9:25 AM, Laws, Lisa <Lisa.Laws@cityofchicago.org> wrote:

Good Morning All,

Two new events added, one today and one tomorrow

Planned Protests for 12/4 (Friday)

- **12/4 (Friday)**
 - 10:30am: Press Conference/Prayer Vigil - Clergy United for Reform and Equality (CURE)
 - Group will hold a press conference at 4060 S. Pulaski
 - They are gathering at 10:00am and plan to be done by noon.
 - 11:00am: DOJ Protest

- Location: City Hall, 5th Floor
 - Group will assemble at City Hall to file complaints with the DOJ regarding CPD brutality survivors.
- Noon: “MARCH FOR JUSTICE”
 - Location: City Hall
 - Participants: Commissioner Boykin will be other Elected Officials, Faith-Based Leaders, Youth Leaders, Community Activists and Concerned Citizens
 - group will march around City Hall 16 times in remembrance of Laquan McDonald

Upcoming Events

- **12/5 (Saturday)**
 - 12:30pm: “Shut Down The County”
 - Location: Cook County Criminal Court , 2600 S. California Ave
 - group will assemble at the Criminal Courts Building to “Shut Down the County” and demand the resignation of Anita Alvarez.
 - *Note: Date may change for the event based on comments*
- **12/6 (Sunday)**
 - 1:30pm: “MARCH FOR JUSTICE” - PUSH Coalition
 - Group plans to assemble on Van Buren and State, Walk NB on State and WB on Randolph to the Thompson Center.
 - Participants: Commissioner Boykin will be other Elected Officials, Faith-Based Leaders, Youth Leaders, Community Activists and Concerned Citizens
 - Estimated # of Participants: 1000

As always, Will update when details are available.

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Sent: Thursday, December 03, 2015 5:53 PM

To: Henry, Vance; Deal, Joe; Escareno, Rosa; Rapelyea, Sean; Hall, Abby; Quinn, Kelley; Ewing, Clothilde; Mitchell, Eileen; Spielfogel, David; Rendina, Michael; Harte, Meghan; Negron, Michael; Faulman, Mike; Bennett, Kenneth; Rountree, Janey; Watkins, Victoria

Subject: RE: Update Chain: Thursday 12/3

Planned Protests for 12/4 (Friday)

- **12/4 (Friday)**
 - 10:30am: Press Conference - Clergy United for Reform and Equality (CURE)
 - Group will hold a press conference at 4060 S. Pulaski
 - They are gathering at 10:00am and plan to be done by noon.
 - Noon: “MARCH FOR JUSTICE”
 - Location: City Hall
 - Participants: Commissioner Boykin will be other Elected Officials, Faith-Based Leaders, Youth Leaders, Community Activists and Concerned Citizens
 - Vance, do you have any other info?

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Subject: Update Chain: Thursday 12/3

Good Morning All,

Permitted Protests

- There are no planned permitted protests today

Potential Protests

- Between 0930-1130 hrs, Cook County Building 69 W Washington, a group of ministers, union members, and people from the community plan to stage a 16 hour sit-in calling for Anita Alvarez to resign.

Potential Protests for Tomorrow: 12/4

- “MARCH FOR JUSTICE”
 - Location: City Hall
 - Participants: Commissioner Boykin will be other Elected Officials, Faith-Based Leaders, Youth Leaders, Community Activists and Concerned Citizens

Will update when details are available.

From: Henry, Vance

Sent: Monday, November 30, 2015 7:49 PM

To: Laws, Lisa; Deal, Joe; Escareno, Rosa; Rapelyea, Sean; Hall, Abby; Quinn, Kelley; Ewing, Clothilde; Mitchell, Eileen; Spielfogel, David; Rendina, Michael; Harte, Meghan; Negron, Michael; Faulman, Mike; Bennett, Kenneth; Rountree, Janey; Watkins, Victoria

Subject: Re: Update Chain: Monday 11/30

Hey Team,

Quick update, I'm just leaving protest at CPD HQ.

Following protest, I met with organizers and faith leaders and they informed me, participating churches, advocacy organizations and activist will be planning to host the next protest at City Hall in a week.

Good night, Team.

From: Laws, Lisa

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Subject: Re: Update Chain: Monday 11/30

Currently monitoring ongoing protest at 3510 S Michigan.

Combination of two groups: one originating at 35th and King (approx 100 people), the other from a church in the 9th District (approx 100 people) for a total of 200.

Group 2 seems to be heading back to the church while Group 1 remains in place.

Will send updates when available, as well as any planned activity for tomorrow.

Sent from my BlackBerry 10 smartphone on the Verizon Wireless 4G LTE network.

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Sent: Monday, November 30, 2015 9:58 AM

To: Deal, Joe; Escareno, Rosa; Rapelyea, Sean; Hall, Abby; Quinn, Kelley; Ewing, Clothilde; Mitchell, Eileen; Spielfogel, David; Rendina, Michael; Harte, Meghan; Negron, Michael; Faulman, Mike; Bennett, Kenneth; Rountree, Janey; Watkins, Victoria; Henry, Vance

Subject: Update Chain: Monday 11/30

Good Morning,

As Joe mentioned Saturday, we are monitoring the following two events for today.

Permitted Protest

- 1200 – 1400hrs City Hall 121 N LaSalle St City Hall. NAACP March for Police Reform.
 - Assembly: 1130hrs with a step off at 1200hrs
 - Line of March: North on LaSalle to Randolph, east on Randolph to Clark, south on Clark to Washington, west on Washington to LaSalle, north on LaSalle back to 121 N. LaSalle and then disband.
 - Approximately 100 people expected

Potential Protest

- 1800 – 1900hrs 3510 S Michigan Ave Chicago Police HQ

I will update the group should any other events arise.

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City Hall | 121 N. LaSalle St. | Room 406 | Chicago, IL | 60602
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Sent: Friday, December 04, 2015 12:17 PM
To: Ewing, Clothilde;Rodriguez, Eve;Collins, Adam;Bennett, Kenneth;Spielfogel, David;Patton, Stephen
Subject: Re: WVON

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That's correct. I do wonder where he got the Monday part.

“The top priority is preserving and maintaining the integrity of any investigation into police misconduct, regardless of which agency is conducting the inquiry. In light of the recent court ruling that FOIA law does not protect evidence held by one agency while another is investigating, the City is currently re-examining when this video should be released. This case is still under investigation by IPRA, but has stark differences from the Laquan McDonald case, including a recovered gun.”

From: Ewing, Clothilde
Sent: Friday, December 4, 2015 12:09 PM
To: Rodriguez, Eve; Quinn, Kelley; Collins, Adam; Bennett, Kenneth; Spielfogel, David; Patton, Stephen
Subject: RE: WVON

Thanks!

Kelley, can you recirculate our latest statement to this chain? My understanding is that we have not committed to a date, but rather reexamining things in light of judge's ruling.

From: Rodriguez, Eve
Sent: Friday, December 04, 2015 12:08 PM
To: Quinn, Kelley; Ewing, Clothilde; Collins, Adam; Bennett, Kenneth; Spielfogel, David
Subject: WVON

Al Sharpton just announced on his show on WVON that the Ronald Johnson video will be released on Monday and that the Gov. needs to assign a special prosecutor. Anita needs to resign.

He's now taking calls.

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From: Quinn, Kelley
Sent: Friday, December 04, 2015 12:40 PM
To: Ewing, Clothilde;Rountree, Janey
Subject: Re: oped; ATTORNEY CLIENT PRIVILEGED AND CONFIDENTIAL

Yep

From: Ewing, Clothilde
Sent: Friday, December 4, 2015 12:38 PM
To: Rountree, Janey; Quinn, Kelley
Subject: RE: oped; ATTORNEY CLIENT PRIVILEGED AND CONFIDENTIAL

Kelley, can you make this edit to David's last redline version?

From: Rountree, Janey
Sent: Friday, December 04, 2015 12:02 PM
To: Ewing, Clothilde; Quinn, Kelley; Collins, Adam; Mitchell, Eileen; Patton, Stephen; Spielfogel, David; Rendina, Michael; Silver, Steven
Subject: RE: oped; ATTORNEY CLIENT PRIVILEGED AND CONFIDENTIAL

I made a factual edit to the line about preserving the integrity of ongoing investigations. I think it's important given our actual rationale for not releasing the tape, but if Steve can live without it, I defer to him. My suggested line is below. It is the same word count as the original.

Within hours City's investigation began and within days the City turned the video over to prosecutors to investigate and bring appropriate charges. Protecting the integrity of those investigations was critical. That is why the tape was not released to the public.

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Sent: Friday, December 04, 2015 11:55 AM
To: Quinn, Kelley; Collins, Adam; Rountree, Janey; Mitchell, Eileen; Patton, Stephen; Spielfogel, David; Rendina, Michael; Silver, Steven
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From: Huffman, Lauren
Sent: Friday, December 04, 2015 11:08 AM
To: Quinn, Kelley;Poppe, Molly
Cc: Collins, Adam;Klinzman, Grant
Subject: Re: Chicago Story

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Got it. This sounds like a silly story anyways. But FYI that ctu seems to have officially jumped on the bandwagon w this issue

Lauren Huffman
City of Chicago

On Fri, Dec 4, 2015 at 9:06 AM -0800, "Quinn, Kelley" <Kelley.Quinn@cityofchicago.org> wrote:

We are not responding to debtwire.

From: Huffman, Lauren
Sent: Friday, December 4, 2015 11:05 AM
To: Quinn, Kelley; Poppe, Molly
Cc: Collins, Adam; Klinzman, Grant
Subject: RE: Chicago Story

Removing reporter and adding Kelley as an FYI. I think it's worth one of us calling her. Kelley do you want to handle or would you like for one of us to do so?

Lauren Huffman
City of Chicago

From: Poppe, Molly <molly.poppe@cityofchicago.org>
Sent: Friday, December 4, 2015 10:58 AM
Subject: RE: Chicago Story
To: Gunjan Banerji <gunjan.banerji@debtwire.com>
Cc: Collins, Adam <adam.collins@cityofchicago.org>, Klinzman, Grant <grant.klinzman@cityofchicago.org>, Huffman, Lauren <lauren.huffman@cityofchicago.org>

Hey Gunjan,

I'm looping in a few of my colleagues who can help here.

Molly

From: Gunjan Banerji [<mailto:Gunjan.Banerji@debtwire.com>]

Sent: Friday, December 04, 2015 10:39 AM

To: Poppe, Molly

Subject: Chicago Story

Hi Molly,

I'm working on a story about the Chicago Teachers Union threatening to strike. Several sources in my story have mentioned that the union may be mobilized by the current political uproar in Chicago given Barbara Byrd-Bennett's case and the Laquan McDonald shooting. My sources say that these incidents have weakened Mayor Rahm Emanuel and strengthened the Chicago Teachers Union. Emanuel oversees both the city and the Chicago Board of Education. Do you have a comment or statement regarding the protests and other unrest in Chicago and how it might impact the mayor and his plans?

I will be getting my story out by end of day today.

If you're not the right person to reach out to about this question, please let me know who is.

Thanks,

Gunjan

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Sent: Friday, December 04, 2015 12:29 PM
To: Ewing, Clothilde;Collins, Adam
Subject: Re: Sneed

I like it.

From: Ewing, Clothilde
Sent: Friday, December 4, 2015 12:26:53 PM
To: Collins, Adam; Quinn, Kelley
Subject: RE: Sneed

I like it. Mind if I loop others?

From: Collins, Adam
Sent: Friday, December 04, 2015 12:26 PM
To: Ewing, Clothilde; Quinn, Kelley
Subject: Sneed

Pssst: Are more changes in store in Chicago's police discipline system?

Translation: Sneed hears Mayor Emanuel is considering a variety of options to improve the effectiveness of the city's Independent Police Review Authority. Among the options being considered are policies, practices, personnel, and even the structure itself.

Backshot: Rahm Emanuel is not a man who sits idly by. In less than two weeks since the release of video showing police officer Jason Van Dyke killing Laquan McDonald the mayor has expanded the police body camera program, dismissed the Superintendent, formed a task force to review the entire system of police discipline and announced that he would welcome the engagement of DOJ on a broad review of the police department.

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From: Quinn, Kelley
Sent: Friday, December 04, 2015 12:42 PM
To: Ewing, Clothilde
Subject: Fw: Summary of USA TODAY editorial

From: Torry, Sandra <storry@usatoday.com>
Sent: Friday, December 4, 2015 12:35 PM
To: Quinn, Kelley
Subject: Summary of USA TODAY editorial

Kelley – Please confirm that you’ve received this.
I had promised to send you a short summary of Our View. Hope this will be helpful.
Let me know if you need any more time and would like to send this to me later tonight.

Also the final editing on your piece and exact size will not be known until Sunday. (As I mentioned when we lay it out on the page we might need to trim a bit.) So I would need a contact number and email for you that day.

Thanks again for your cooperation. Here’s the summary:

Our View: Despite all the attention paid in the past year to unjustified police shootings of young black men, this egregious problem seems intractable.

Laquan McDonald was fatally shot by a Chicago policeman in October, 2014. But it took more than 13 months for the horrifying police video to be released, for the police superintendent to be fired and for the shooter to be indicted -- just a few hours ahead of the video’s release. The mayor’s explanation is that it is longstanding city policy *not* to release evidence during an investigation because release might taint an investigation and prevent justice.

That’s true up to a point. But it shouldn’t take 13 months to investigate a shooting that took seconds to occur and where a video exists. The local prosecutor needs to answer for that. And too often in too many places, police officers are never called to account for unjustified shootings.

There’s a lot wrong with the system, but the buck stops with Mayor Emanuel, who should have wanted to view the video, wanted to know if his police department had tried to cover up a crime and wanted to speed justice.

At a time when many people, particularly African Americans, have lost faith in the system's ability to hold officers to account, it's the duty of city leaders to lead. Publicly releasing the video would have been a good start.

Business as usual will no longer do when a black teenager is shot by police.

From: Spielfogel, David
Sent: Friday, December 04, 2015 12:50 PM
To: Rountree, Janey;Ewing, Clothilde;Collins, Adam;Quinn, Kelley;Mitchell, Eileen;Rendina, Michael
Subject: RE: Sneed

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Sent: Friday, December 04, 2015 12:43 PM
To: Ewing, Clothilde; Collins, Adam; Quinn, Kelley; Mitchell, Eileen; Spielfogel, David; Rendina, Michael
Subject: RE: Sneed

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Sent: Friday, December 04, 2015 12:37 PM
To: Collins, Adam; Quinn, Kelley; Mitchell, Eileen; Spielfogel, David; Rountree, Janey; Rendina, Michael
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Importance: High

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I think we ned to use IPRA's correct name

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Sent: Friday, December 4, 2015 2:27:02 PM

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Patton, Janey?

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Really good. Misspelling with "regard" where it is written as "refard."

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There may be more changes to come, but this is where we are at right now with the ST/Tribune Op-Ed:

Police Misconduct in Chicago: I Own It; I'll Fix It

By Rahm Emanuel

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Updated attached with this. Clean version below. Still under the word limit (current count is 333). Thanks, Janey.

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Please hold. We know what they are going to say and may make adjustments.

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To: Spielfogel, David; Ewing, Clothilde; Collins, Adam; Rountree, Janey; Mitchell, Eileen; Patton, Stephen; Rendina, Michael; Silver, Steven

Subject: Re: oped; ATTORNEY CLIENT PRIVILEGED AND CONFIDENTIAL

This is 60 words too long. David, is there anything you want to cut or tighten?

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From: Spielfogel, David

Sent: Friday, December 4, 2015 12:03 PM

To: Ewing, Clothilde; Quinn, Kelley; Collins, Adam; Rountree, Janey; Mitchell, Eileen; Patton, Stephen; Rendina, Michael; Silver, Steven

Subject: RE: oped; ATTORNEY CLIENT PRIVILEGED AND CONFIDENTIAL

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From: Collins, Adam

Sent: Friday, December 4, 2015 7:57 AM

To: Ewing, Clothilde; Rountree, Janey; Mitchell, Eileen; Patton, Stephen; Spielfogel, David; Rendina, Michael; Quinn, Kelley; Silver, Steven

Subject: RE: oped; ATTORNEY CLIENT PRIVILEGED AND CONFIDENTIAL

If you flip a for b, I think you actually save a word.

A-old) [REDACTED]

B-new) [REDACTED]

From: Ewing, Clothilde

Sent: Friday, December 04, 2015 7:55 AM

To: Collins, Adam; Rountree, Janey; Mitchell, Eileen; Patton, Stephen; Spielfogel, David; Rendina, Michael; Quinn, Kelley; Silver, Steven

Subject: Re: oped; ATTORNEY CLIENT PRIVILEGED AND CONFIDENTIAL

We can say that, but we will need to find a few words to lose. We are capped at 340 and already over. It's a good and important edit though. Can you make it please?

Sent from my BlackBerry 10 smartphone on the Verizon Wireless 4G LTE network.

From: Collins, Adam

Sent: Friday, December 4, 2015 7:22 AM

To: Rountree, Janey; Ewing, Clothilde; Mitchell, Eileen; Patton, Stephen; Spielfogel, David; Rendina, Michael; Quinn, Kelley; Silver, Steven

Subject: RE: oped; ATTORNEY CLIENT PRIVILEGED AND CONFIDENTIAL

I think this is pretty good. [REDACTED]

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From: "Rountree, Janey" <Janey.Rountree@cityofchicago.org>

Date: 12/04/2015 6:28 AM (GMT-06:00)

To: "Ewing, Clothilde" <Clothilde.Ewing@cityofchicago.org>, "Mitchell, Eileen" <Eileen.Mitchell@cityofchicago.org>, "Patton, Stephen" <Stephen.Patton@cityofchicago.org>, "Spielfogel, David" <David.Spielfogel@cityofchicago.org>, "Rendina, Michael" <Michael.Rendina@cityofchicago.org>, "Quinn, Kelley" <Kelley.Quinn@cityofchicago.org>, "Silver, Steven" <Steven.Silver@cityofchicago.org>, "Collins, Adam" <Adam.Collins@cityofchicago.org>
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From: Ewing, Clothilde
Sent: Thursday, December 3, 2015 9:32 PM
To: Rountree, Janey; Mitchell, Eileen; Patton, Stephen; Spielfogel, David; Rendina, Michael; Quinn, Kelley; Silver, Steven; Collins, Adam
Subject: Re: oped; ATTORNEY CLIENT PRIVILEGED AND CONFIDENTIAL

This is where I think we are:

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Subject: Re: oped; ATTORNEY CLIENT PRIVILEGED AND CONFIDENTIAL

Woot. Woot.
Awesome, thanks

From: Rountree, Janey
Sent: Thursday, December 3, 2015 9:21 PM
To: Ewing, Clothilde; Mitchell, Eileen; Patton, Stephen; Spielfogel, David; Rendina, Michael; Quinn, Kelley; Silver, Steven; Collins, Adam
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I could live with that.

From: Ewing, Clothilde
Sent: Thursday, December 3, 2015 9:04:50 PM
To: Mitchell, Eileen; Patton, Stephen; Rountree, Janey; Spielfogel, David; Rendina, Michael; Quinn, Kelley; Silver, Steven; Collins, Adam
Subject: Re: oped; ATTORNEY CLIENT PRIVILEGED AND CONFIDENTIAL

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Could try this:

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Old:

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From: Mitchell, Eileen

Sent: Thursday, December 3, 2015 7:36 PM

To: Patton, Stephen; Rountree, Janey; Ewing, Clothilde; Spielfogel, David; Rendina, Michael; Quinn, Kelley; Silver, Steven; Collins, Adam

Subject: RE: oped; ATTORNEY CLIENT PRIVILEGED AND CONFIDENTIAL

Clo – please circulate the latest version intact. Thanks.

From: Patton, Stephen

Sent: Thursday, December 03, 2015 6:35 PM

To: Rountree, Janey; Ewing, Clothilde; Mitchell, Eileen; Spielfogel, David; Rendina, Michael; Quinn, Kelley; Silver, Steven; Collins, Adam

Subject: RE: oped; ATTORNEY CLIENT PRIVILEGED AND CONFIDENTIAL

Good revision.

From: Rountree, Janey

Sent: Thursday, December 03, 2015 6:34 PM

To: Patton, Stephen; Ewing, Clothilde; Mitchell, Eileen; Spielfogel, David; Rendina, Michael; Quinn, Kelley; Silver, Steven; Collins, Adam

Subject: RE: oped; ATTORNEY CLIENT PRIVILEGED AND CONFIDENTIAL

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From: Patton, Stephen

Sent: Thursday, December 03, 2015 6:24 PM

To: Rountree, Janey; Ewing, Clothilde; Mitchell, Eileen; Spielfogel, David; Rendina, Michael; Quinn, Kelley; Silver, Steven; Collins, Adam

Subject: RE: oped; ATTORNEY CLIENT PRIVILEGED AND CONFIDENTIAL

I agree. [REDACTED]

From: Rountree, Janey

Sent: Thursday, December 03, 2015 6:13 PM

To: Ewing, Clothilde; Mitchell, Eileen; Spielfogel, David; Rendina, Michael; Quinn, Kelley; Silver, Steven; Collins, Adam; Patton, Stephen

Subject: RE: oped

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From: Ewing, Clothilde

Sent: Thursday, December 03, 2015 5:50 PM

To: Rountree, Janey; Mitchell, Eileen; Spielfogel, David; Rendina, Michael; Quinn, Kelley; Silver, Steven; Collins, Adam; Patton, Stephen

Subject: Re: oped

+ Patton who I mistakingly left off earlier

We have a total of 340 words. If you want something added, we have to lose something.

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From: Rountree, Janey

Sent: Thursday, December 3, 2015 4:54 PM

To: Ewing, Clothilde; Mitchell, Eileen; Spielfogel, David; Rendina, Michael; Quinn, Kelley; Silver, Steven; Collins, Adam

Subject: RE: oped

Laquan's name is spelled wrong in the last sentence.

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[REDACTED] would suggest:

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I would suggest:

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From: Ewing, Clothilde

Sent: Thursday, December 03, 2015 4:42 PM

To: Mitchell, Eileen; Spielfogel, David; Rendina, Michael; Rountree, Janey; Quinn, Kelley; Silver, Steven; Collins, Adam

Subject: oped

USA Today is doing an oped looking at the Laquan McDonald case and the Mayor's leadership in the handling of the case. It is expected to be somewhat critical, but is in a better place since press and Patton talked to

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From: Ewing, Clothilde
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To: Silver, Steven
Subject: Re: please review...

Can you send to me cleaned up please in a new email with that sentence highlighted.

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From: Silver, Steven
Sent: Friday, December 4, 2015 3:06 PM
To: Ewing, Clothilde
Subject: RE: please review...

Suggestion below.

From: Ewing, Clothilde
Sent: Friday, December 04, 2015 2:58 PM
To: Silver, Steven
Subject: RE: please review...

From: Quinn, Kelley
Sent: Friday, December 04, 2015 2:42 PM
To: Ewing, Clothilde; Rountree, Janey; Patton, Stephen; Mitchell, Eileen; Spielfogel, David; Rendina, Michael
Subject: Re: please review...

Really good. Misspelling with "regard" where it is written as "refard."

From: Ewing, Clothilde
Sent: Friday, December 4, 2015 2:40 PM
To: Rountree, Janey; Patton, Stephen; Mitchell, Eileen; Quinn, Kelley; Spielfogel, David; Rendina, Michael
Subject: please review...

There may be more changes to come, but this is where we are at right now with the ST/Tribune Op-Ed:

Police Misconduct in Chicago: I Own It; I'll Fix It
By Rahm Emanuel

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FYI: Attached is the transcript of the most recent public meeting of the Police Board.

To comply with Section 2-84-020(e) of the Municipal Code of Chicago, which requires that all Police Board votes be posted on the Board's website, the Board has ordered that this transcript be posted on the website.

Feel free to contact me if there are any questions.

Max

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2 CITY OF CHICAGO POLICE BOARD MEETING

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4 Report of Proceedings had at the City of
5 Chicago Police Board Meeting held at 3510 South
6 Michigan Avenue, Chicago, Illinois on the 19th day
7 of November, A.D., 2015, commencing at the hour of
8 7:30 p.m.

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11 APPEARANCES:

12 GARRY F. McCARTHY,
Superintendent of Police;
13 RALPH M. PRICE,
General Counsel to the Superintendent;
14 STEVEN MITCHELL,
1st Deputy Chief Administrator
Independent Police Review Authority;
15 LORI E. LIGHTFOOT,
16 President;
GHIAN FOREMAN,
17 Vice President;
MELISSA M. BALLATE,
18 WILLIAM F. CONLON,
MICHAEL EADDY,
19 RITA A. FRY,
JOHN H. SIMPSON,
20 RHODA D. SWEENEY,
CLAUDIA B. VALENZUELA,
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1 MS. LIGHTFOOT: Good evening everyone. My name
2 is Lori Lightfoot and I'm the President of the
3 Chicago Police Board, and I'm calling the meeting to
4 order. The first item of business is approval of
5 the minutes of the Board's public meeting of
6 October 15, 2015. Is there a motion to approve
7 those minutes?

8 MR. FOREMAN: So moved.

9 MS. BALLATE: Second.

10 MS. LIGHTFOOT: All in favor say aye. (Chorus
11 of ayes.) Any opposed? Motion passes.

12 As a reminder, our next regular public
13 meeting will be on Wednesday, December 9, 2015 here
14 at 7:30 p.m. at the Chicago Public Safety
15 Headquarters. This is a change, if you remember,
16 from the previous date of December 10, 2015. So it
17 will be December 9th. Please note that the December
18 meeting, as I said, will take place earlier. The
19 deadline for signing in to speak at the December 9th
20 meeting is 4:30 p.m. on Tuesday, December 8th.

21 At this time, I ask for a motion to close
22 a series of executive sessions for the purposes of
23 considering personnel matters and litigation as
24 authorized by Section 2(c), 1, 3, 4, and 11 of the

1 Illinois Open Meetings Act. Is there such a motion?

2 MR. FOREMAN: So moved.

3 MR. EADDY: Second.

4 MS. LIGHTFOOT: All in favor say aye.

5 (Chorus of ayes.) Any opposed? The motion passes.

6 A report of disciplinary actions taken by the Board
7 during the previous month has been made available at
8 this evening's meeting. This report and the Board's
9 written Findings and Decisions are posted on the
10 website. The Police Board, as authorized by the
11 Open Meetings Act, has considered in a closed
12 meeting several disciplinary cases. The Board will
13 now take final action on these cases.

14 Regarding case number 15 PB 2882, is
15 there a motion to find Police Officer Jose Velez
16 guilty of false arrest and perjury and to discharge
17 him from the Chicago Police Department?

18 MS. FRY: So moved.

19 MR. EADDY: Second.

20 MS. LIGHTFOOT: All in favor show of hands?

21 Any opposed? Voting in favor are Board members
22 Foreman, Ballate, Conlon, Eaddy, Fry, Simpson,
23 Sweeney, Valenzuela, and myself. Motion passes. Is
24 there a motion to adopt the written findings and

1 decision that has been reviewed by all Board members
2 who participated in the case?

3 MS. BALLATE: So moved.

4 MS. FRY: Second.

5 MS. LIGHTFOOT: All in favor say aye.

6 (Chorus of ayes.) Any opposed? The motion passes by
7 unanimous vote.

8 Regarding case number 15 PB 2883, is
9 there a motion to find Police Officer Kevin Smith
10 guilty of assisting in attempting shoplifting while
11 off duty and of making false statements and to
12 discharge him from the Chicago Police Department?

13 MS. BALLATE: So moved.

14 MR. EADDY: Second.

15 MS. LIGHTFOOT: All in favor by a show of
16 hands? Any opposed? Voting in favor are Board
17 members Foreman, Ballate, Conlon, Eaddy, Fry,
18 Simpson, Sweeney, Valenzuela, and myself and the
19 motion passes. Is there a motion to adopt the
20 written findings and decision that has been reviewed
21 by all Board members who participated in the case?

22 MS. FRY: So moved.

23 MR. EADDY: Second. All in favor say aye?

24 (Chorus of ayes.) Any opposed? The motion passes by

1 unanimous vote.

2 Regarding case number 14 PB 2862, the
3 Superintendent filed charges to discharge Police
4 Officer Robert Gallegos from the Chicago Police
5 Department for being decertified as a law
6 enforcement officer as a result of felony
7 conviction. The Superintendent subsequently moved
8 to withdraw the charges without prejudice because
9 the Respondent resigned from the CPD. Is there a
10 motion to grant the Superintendent's motion to
11 withdraw the charges?

12 MS. FRY: So moved.

13 MR. EADDY: Second.

14 MS. LIGHTFOOT: All in favor say aye.

15 (Chorus of ayes.) Any opposed? Voting in favor are
16 Board members Foreman, Ballate, Conlon, Eaddy, Fry,
17 Simpson, Sweeney, Valenzuela, myself and the motion
18 passes.

19 Regarding case number 15 PB 2890, the
20 Superintendent filed charges to discharge Detective
21 James Halper from the Chicago Police Department for
22 working a second job while on duty and making false
23 statements. The Superintendent subsequently moved
24 to withdraw the charges without prejudice because

1 the Respondent resigned from the Chicago Police
2 Department.

3 Is there a motion granting the
4 Superintendent's motion to withdraw charges?

5 MS. FRY: So moved.

6 MR. EADDY: Second.

7 MS. LIGHTFOOT: All in favor show of hands.

8 Any opposed? Voting in favor are Board members
9 Foreman, Ballate, Conlon, Eaddy, Fry, Simpson,
10 Sweeney, Valenzuela, and myself. The motion passes.

11 The Board's decisions in all cases on
12 which we took final action this evening will be
13 entered as of today's date and will be issued to the
14 parties. A copy of the written decisions will be
15 posted on the Board's website within ten business
16 days pursuant to the Municipal Code of the City of
17 Chicago.

18 The general orders and other directives
19 issues by the Superintendent during the previous
20 month are listed in the Blue Book and are available
21 on the Department's website.

22 The next item is the Superintendent's
23 report to the Board. Is there a motion to waive the
24 oral presentation and receive the monthly report in

1 writing?

2 MS. FRY: So moved.

3 MR. EADDY: Second.

4 MS. LIGHTFOOT: All those in favor say aye.

5 (Chorus of ayes.) Any opposed? The motion passes.

6 At this point I will now call upon
7 members of the public who signed up in advance to
8 speak. When your name is called, please step up to
9 the microphone and we ask you to limit your comments
10 to two minutes. First up, Michelle Lewis. Good
11 evening Ms. Lewis.

12 MS. LEWIS: Good evening. As you know, my
13 name is Michelle Lewis. I'm with the Fight For
14 Fifteen and I'm making \$10 an hour, and I don't feel
15 it's fair that I'm paying for Mr. Servin's \$87,000
16 salary and he's murdering. I don't agree that what
17 he did was okay. It wasn't okay. I mean, if that
18 was any of your kids and your grand kids, would that
19 be okay for you to lose your grand babies, somebody
20 that looks like you, that got your smile, somebody
21 that laugh like you? I wouldn't want it to happen.
22 I don't want to keep paying him, and I don't -- I
23 don't want him in the work force at all. I want him
24 fired and I'm sure everybody else in here does.

1 They -- the family of Rekia Boyd has
2 waited five years for this man to get fired or for
3 anything to happen to him and nothing has happened
4 yet. So Fight For Fifteen is here and we're for to
5 fire Servin so fire Servin. Fire Servin.

6 MS. LIGHTFOOT: Dorothy Holmes is our next
7 speaker. Good evening.

8 MS. HOLMES: Good evening. I'm the mother of
9 Ronald Johnson who was murdered by Detective George
10 Hernandez October 12, 2014, and the attorney had put
11 in for the dash cam footage to be released, and they
12 denied it the first time so he has put in for it
13 again. So all of you all that's sitting up there,
14 McCarthy, you need to do your job and get rid of
15 these officers that's killing our kids. Because if
16 it was your child, you wouldn't feel -- you would
17 feel like we feel. The pain, it hurts. It hurts
18 worse than when I gave birth to him, that's how bad
19 it hurts. And shouldn't none of us that lost a
20 child due to the people that's supposed to serve and
21 protect us -- it's gotta stop or maybe we should act
22 like Ferguson.

23 MS. LIGHTFOOT: Next speaker, Janel Bailey.
24 Good evening.

1 MS. BAILEY: Hello. My name is Janel, and I'm
2 here to demand that you fire Dante Servin in
3 murdering Rekia Boyd. I came here because my friend
4 asked me to come to this meeting, and when I asked
5 him why, he said that Dante Servin still had not
6 been fired. I was amazed to think three years later
7 you had taken care of this. Every day that you
8 don't fire Dante Servin you're beyond reckless.
9 You're intentionally sending the message that it's
10 okay for cops to murder unarmed people. You
11 intentionally set an example to teach police across
12 the country how to get away with murder. You need
13 to revoke his pension.

14 It almost pains me to say that because
15 I'm a union woman. I'm the chairperson for the
16 Union Of Legal Service Workers with the UAW, and
17 I've been a labor organizer for six years. So I
18 fight for people at work, that's people who do
19 dangerous work, they need unions the most but Dante
20 Servin is not a deserving working. He's a murderer
21 and he's a pig and he doesn't deserve a pension.
22 It's beyond reckless to let him hide behind you and
23 keep his job and his pension, so do the right thing
24 and fire him.

1 MS. LIGHTFOOT: Next is speaker Rachel
2 Williams. Good evening Ms. Williams.

3 MS. WILLIAMS: I've been here since May doing
4 the same thing since May. About two months I have
5 stopped and not done it. Two months. Two months
6 too long for families to go through the pain. IPRA
7 gave the recommendation on the 16th of September.
8 What's taking so long?

9 I'm not only here for Rekia. I'm also
10 here for the nameless and faceless black men and
11 girls who includes Black trans women and girls who
12 die by State harm, who are harmed by State violence.
13 That also includes our schools within CPS where
14 Chicago -- the City Council repositioned money from
15 CPS to CPD.

16 So we need to take account for that as
17 well. But I'm also talking about the black girls
18 who consistently go up missing and have been told by
19 law enforcement that it takes 24 hours before their
20 child -- before you call in for a missing Black
21 girl. So what do Black girls have to do, dress up
22 like White girls and wear Uggs to be found within 24
23 hours or be notified within 24 hours?

24 Because when we talk about State violence

1 about -- from CPD from anybody, from any law
2 enforcement, that does not include a cold body.
3 That includes bodies who have been consistently
4 harmed who are still standing and trying to have a
5 voice, and I'm here to do that. So until you fire
6 Dante Servin and after, I will be standing here for
7 every Black girl, trans and otherwise, who have felt
8 like they're voiceless. You might as well get used
9 to my face because it's going to be here unless it's
10 a bullet in my head.

11 MS. LIGHTFOOT: Next speaker is Sylvia
12 Tamashiro. Good evening.

13 MS. TAMASHIRO: Good evening. My name is
14 Sylvia Tamashiro. Until recently 56,000 records of
15 police misconduct in Chicago have been kept secret.
16 But now the Citizens Police Data Project's massive
17 database of complaints against Chicago Police is
18 finally published online. According to the data,
19 these records get whittled down and whittled down,
20 leaving 10,000 complaints. And then of those
21 10,000, only 700 are sustained, meaning CPD
22 validates the complaint. And then of that 700, only
23 80 result in punishment for the officers. From
24 27,000 complaints to 80 punishments.

1 In addition, when discipline is handed
2 down, the data shows that officers who violate
3 internal departmental protocols get heavier
4 punishment than officers who violate the
5 constitutional rights of citizens. For example,
6 when officers take a second job without notifying
7 the Department, they get an average suspension of
8 16.5 days. When they illegally arrest someone, 2.3
9 days. The data also shows that a majority of
10 complaints are filed by Black people. Only 20
11 percent are filed by White people. But of the cases
12 that are sustained, the cases where CPD decides yes,
13 there is misconduct here, 60 percent of those cases
14 have White victims. What could be the explanation
15 for this?

16 The idea that 60 percent of all victims
17 of police abuse are White is not only implausible
18 but deeply insulting, deeply unethical and immoral.
19 Court filings show that CPD is not using the data to
20 identify problematic patterns. Meanwhile, officers
21 who get 50, 60, 70 complaints slide with little or
22 no discipline. How is this justice? Why are you
23 ignoring this hard data available to you to identify
24 gross misconduct in your officers? Your oath of

1 honor requires you to --

2 MS. LIGHTFOOT: Ms. Tamashiro.

3 MS. TAMASHIRO: To always have the courage to
4 hold yourself and others accountable for your
5 actions.

6 MS. LIGHTFOOT: Ma'am, your time is up.

7 MS. TAMASHIRO: Not defend your code of
8 silence.

9 MS. LIGHTFOOT: Thank you. Next speaker is
10 Diane Stein. Oh, Dan Stein.

11 MR. STEIN: I'm speaking on behalf of the
12 Socialist Workers Party tonight. I think that Dante
13 Servin, Rekia Boyd, LaQuan McDonald, all represent
14 the real face, the real truth and real role of
15 Chicago police. You're afraid to release the tapes
16 of LaQuan McDonald, shot 16 times. This is the real
17 role of the police. This is the true face of the
18 police in Chicago. It's bad enough that Dante
19 Servin is out of prison right now, that you're
20 rubbing it in our face keeping him on the payroll.
21 This is intolerable.

22 A few months ago this Board recommended
23 firing Dante Servin. It's in your court,
24 Superintendent Garry McCarthy. You've had 60 days

1 to think about this. What's the problem? What's
2 the problem? The police are a repressive force in a
3 capitalist society against the working class,
4 upholding the capitalist exploitation. You hope,
5 you pray that if you drag this thing out long
6 enough, if you wait your 90 days, and then the next
7 step after that, that we will forget. You hope that
8 we will go away. You hope that the protests will
9 not continue and that you can sweep this under the
10 rug just like you do many others in the past. It
11 won't work. We remember Rekia Boyd.

12 MS. LIGHTFOOT: Next speaker is John Hawkins.
13 Good evening.

14 MR. HAWKINS: Good evening. My name is John
15 Hawkins. I'm also speaking on behalf of my party,
16 the Socialist Workers Party. And as the previous
17 speaker said, we are here to demand and solidify
18 with the demands of all the people here, that Dante
19 Servin be fired immediately. He should have been
20 fired three years ago. He should definitely be
21 fired now. He should have been convicted of murder.

22 On November 30th, the trial of the first
23 cop of six cops who killed Freddy Gray is going to
24 begin in Baltimore. I think this Board knows, as

1 well as the City Council and mayor of Baltimore that
2 what is developing in this country is a powerful
3 movement to end this kind of blatant racist
4 treatment by police against Black people. As one
5 speaker previously mentioned though, the vast
6 majority of people killed by police across this
7 country are Caucasian. It's disproportionate,
8 however, the numbers who are killed who are Black,
9 it's totally disproportionate to our part of the
10 population.

11 When people who are African American
12 stand up, it encourages every working person to
13 stand up against this type of police violence and
14 that's the importance of this movement. The fight
15 against the killings of Rekia Boyd and to fire Dante
16 Servin is part of a broader movement that is
17 developing in this country. We see it reflected in
18 what happened in response to the massacre in
19 Charleston committed by Dillon when masses of
20 people, Black and White and others turned out to
21 protest that. We see it in Missouri where Black
22 students stood up against racist comments and
23 threats that were made on the University campus and
24 won the firing of the chancellor and president of

1 the university.

2 This is a new movement that we are part
3 of, and it's not going to go away. It will be here
4 until Servin is fired. What's opened up in this
5 country in the past 50 years and see changing is the
6 thinking of working class people and it will not go
7 away. Working people of all colors as Martinez
8 pointed out, Martinez Sutton --

9 MS. LIGHTFOOT: Your time is up.

10 MR. HAWKINS: Pointed out in September looking
11 at the crowd here, pointed out that this is not just
12 a Black issue, it's an issue for all working people.
13 And you can be sure that working people in
14 Chicago --

15 MS. LIGHTFOOT: Can you please wrap up?

16 MR. HAWKINS: In increasing numbers.

17 MS. LIGHTFOOT: Your time is up.

18 MR. HAWKINS: Will be here to demand that
19 Servin been be fired. Fire Servin now.

20 MS. LIGHTFOOT: Next speaker, LaCreshia Birts.

21 MS. BIRTS: So McCarthy, where are you in the
22 process of firing Dante Servin?

23 MS. LIGHTFOOT: Ma'am, if you have a statement
24 to make.

1 MS. BIRTS: So I can't ask questions?

2 THE CROWD: Answer the question.

3 MS. BIRTS: Superintendent McCarthy, where are
4 you in the process of firing Dante Servin?

5 SUPERINTENDENT MCCARTHY: It's still -- it's
6 still being worked on.

7 MS. BIRTS: Okay. You have taken a
8 substantial amount of time processing, you know, his
9 firing. Not only that, but the police take up over
10 a third of our city budget. And our protestors,
11 it's taking up -- this case and all of the
12 corruption around the police, it's taking up a lot
13 of our time, time that I could be using to spend
14 with my nieces, time that parents could use with
15 their children. We are out here protesting, trying
16 to make sure that we're safe because you're not
17 doing your job.

18 It's not fair, it's not right, and I'll
19 say the same thing I said last time. Superintendent
20 McCarthy, either stand up or step down.

21 MS. LIGHTFOOT: Next speaker is Christa Noel.

22 (No response.)

23 MS. LIGHTFOOT: Next speaker is Martinez
24 Sutton. Good evening Mr. Sutton.

1 MR. SUTTON: Peace. Ya'll already know why
2 I'm here. Three and a half years ago my sister was
3 killed. We didn't find him guilty. Well I wouldn't
4 say we, but ya'll didn't find him guilty. The least
5 you could do is fire the man. The psychological
6 torture that me and my family go through, excuse my
7 language, but it's fucked up.

8 MS. LIGHTFOOT: Sir --

9 MR. SUTTON: I'm saying what it is.

10 MS. LIGHTFOOT: I understand.

11 MR. SUTTON: My pain. My sister is gone. You
12 cannot cover up this pain of mine. I'm tired of
13 fucking coming here every fucking month.

14 MR. LIGHTFOOT: Mr. Sutton.

15 MR. SUTTON: Every month I'm here. Have your
16 sister been killed?

17 MS. LIGHTFOOT: I would ask you to --

18 MR. SUTTON: Have any of your family been
19 killed by the police? My sisters in here that lost
20 their children -- stand down. They are tired of
21 coming here. Why? What's so wrong? I got a
22 feeling he's going to resign when you make your
23 decision. That's my feeling. He's going to resign
24 and the mother fucker is going to get off scott

1 free.

2 MS. LIGHTFOOT: Mr. Sutton, please.

3 MR. SUTTON: It was my sister's birthday this
4 month. She would have been 26 years old. 26. You
5 feel my pain? I'm just asking that you fire him. I
6 just ask that everybody stand up with the remaining
7 of my time and salute my sister.

8 THE CROWD: I am Rekia Boyd.

9 MS. LIGHTFOOT: Next speaker is Andy Thayer.
10 Please proceed.

11 MR. THAYER: I'm Andy Thayer, and I'm here
12 tonight not only in solidarity with the people
13 supporting Rekia Boyd, but I'm also here to speak
14 about the situation with the police harassing the
15 homeless in Uptown over and over again. Now there
16 has been a lot of talk today about release of a
17 certain video showing police misconduct that took
18 over a year to get, okay. Fortunately we didn't
19 have to depend on the police department to get our
20 video showing the police violating the law in
21 Uptown. It's posted on You Tube. I've got it right
22 here where the police are violating the law, falsely
23 citing the law to harass the people in our
24 neighborhood who have it the worst, the homeless.

1 And we got police officers trying to take their
2 tents, trying to take their tarps, trying to shoo
3 them out into the park where they can be arrested
4 for park's department violations.

5 And our alderman, James Cappleman, what
6 he said when we said what do you think should happen
7 to the police when they violate the law? He said
8 oh, you should file an IPRA report. We couldn't get
9 him to even say whether he thought these police
10 officers should be disciplined.

11 Now, I think everyone here in this
12 audience we've seen what a joke IPRA is with regard
13 to Dante Servin.

14 MS. LIGHTFOOT: Mr. Thayer, your time is up.
15 Please wrap it up.

16 MR. THAYER: Please -- we can't get a police
17 officer fired for killing someone, how do we expect
18 them to be fired or disciplined for lesser
19 violations? I have no faith in anyone on this
20 Board, least of all Garry McCarthy and Mayor
21 Emmanuel.

22 MS. LIGHTFOOT: Please wrap up.

23 MR. THAYER: We will get justice through
24 ourselves.

1 MS. LIGHTFOOT: Next speaker is Wallace
2 Bradley.

3 MR. BRADLEY: Good evening. We saw the
4 bombing in Paris because the poor people felt they
5 were not getting justice there so it made it easy
6 for people like ISIS to create a bombing, and the
7 whole world realized it's a war because people
8 aren't paying attention to what people are saying.
9 Here in Chicago, it's all across the world, it's
10 going to become the next Ferguson. I'm 53 years old
11 and when Martin Luther King got killed -- Reverend
12 Eaddy, from the same -- McCarthy, you have to take
13 it upon yourself to do everything that you can
14 within your power to help make sure that this don't
15 happen in this city.

16 I hear you because we need the police.
17 My business in case you don't know what I do, former
18 gang member, former gang enforcer, now I don't have
19 no problem with law enforcement to help kill the
20 individuals that's constantly killing babies and
21 getting illegal weapons off the streets. But I read
22 it was an illegal weapon that killed Rekia Boyd.

23 All that I'm saying, we can't let
24 individuals that don't mean our city no good that

1 wants to burn it down to use this to be the impetus
2 to make that happen, man. The man had an illegal
3 weapon when he killed Rekia Boyd. The judge said he
4 should have been charged with murder. So all of you
5 in here that's screaming all this, some of you don't
6 even vote, and if you used your power to vote, you
7 would get rid of a prosecutor who will not prosecute
8 bad police officers.

9 MS. LIGHTFOOT: Mr. Bradley, your time is up.

10 MR. BRADLEY: My time is up. I just want to
11 get that on the record that everybody have a
12 responsibility to help make a change. It's not just
13 on you. It ain't just on you.

14 MS. LIGHTFOOT: Thank you. Next speaker is
15 Eveangel Yahwehnewbn. Please proceed.

16 MS. YAHWEHNEWBN: My name is Eveangel MamaDi
17 Yahwehnewbn. Superintendent McCarthy, when this
18 Boyd murderer was acquitted, the newspapers reported
19 you as saying he never should have been arrested in
20 the first place. And if you said those words, it
21 was time for you to go when that statement was made.
22 And I was wondering when you paid out the five
23 million dollars and you paid out four million
24 dollars, and the City complains about not having any

1 money, we would have some money if it wasn't for
2 police cover up of crimes that they committed. You
3 want the community to speak up but you cover up.
4 That's not a good example.

5 Now, the New York time reported that
6 Chicago leads the nation -- this was reported in the
7 New York Times on October 25, 2015 -- that Chicago
8 is leading the nation in stop and search of mostly
9 Black people. It appears that as we approach the
10 150th anniversary of the signing or ratifying of the
11 13th Amendment that abolished 246 years of chattel
12 slavery, properly themed crimes against humanity of
13 Black people, that the Dredd Scott decision that
14 ruled Blacks had no rights that Whites are bound to
15 respect, that is alive and well when it comes to
16 Black people and the police, who are suffering from
17 negrophobia, a mental illness of fear and hatred of
18 Black people, and they have to go.

19 Now, my question is, the United Nations
20 has condemned America for their racism and their
21 police killing of Black men and boys as a human
22 rights violation. Where is your stance on that end,
23 racism profiling act? And I want an answer to my
24 question, not this thing that you always do,

1 somebody --

2 MS. LIGHTFOOT: Your time is up.

3 MS. YAHWEHNEWBN: Somebody ask you a question
4 and you act like the little monkey that see no here,
5 hear no evil, and speak no evil.

6 MS. LIGHTFOOT: Your time is up.

7 MS. YAHWEHNEWBN: Thank you. I would like an
8 answer to my question. Where do you stand on the
9 end of racial profiling?

10 MS. LIGHTFOOT: Your time is up, ma'am. Last
11 speaker that signed up, Robert More.

12 MR. MORE: Robert More on behalf of
13 St. Michael The Archangel. It's the 19th of
14 November of 2015. The first issue I would like to
15 raise for all the members of the audience, I really
16 -- it's very important to prevent false flag terror
17 acts and other government crimes in the city of
18 Chicago, for people to maintain vigilance and
19 continue to watch the government and hold the
20 government to the contract that the United States
21 Constitution constitutes.

22 There are videos on the Oath keepers
23 website, M A L E N L A B A Y, Midnight Ride, and
24 both of those are really useful. Malen Labay

1 provides long term what the authors of the
2 Constitution intended in terms of domestic law
3 enforcement and also national defense to free us
4 from this type of problem which is so endemic, the
5 kleptocracy that controls this country. In 1937
6 cyclical, Pope Pius XI referred to when once a
7 country is under attack, all things other than its
8 defense must be given second place.

9 Superintendent McCarthy, you have
10 referenced gun owners, gun possessors as potential
11 murderers. How can I possibly help the law
12 enforcement and the military that are committed to
13 upholding the oath to the common and general reliant
14 interest, to be held to the contract that the
15 Constitution constitutes, how can I play my role to
16 bear my Fourth Commandment burden to keep government
17 activity within accessible limits if I can't possess
18 a firearm?

19 And I complain because there is Anti
20 Defamation League documents that are being used by
21 this city of Chicago, as I understand it, in
22 training. It's going into proposed orders. I have
23 been smeared as an anti Semite. There is no
24 definition of what constitutes an anti Semite.

1 There is nothing anti Semitic about anything I'm
2 doing. If it was anything, it would be
3 anti Khazarian because the problems are not with
4 Semites. The problems are Khazarian -- from
5 Khazaria, these individuals who have imposed this
6 agenda on us by gaining control of the money supply
7 of all European countries.

8 MS. LIGHTFOOT: Mr. More, you need to wrap it
9 up.

10 MR. MORE: That's okay, over and out.

11 MS. LIGHTFOOT: At this time all the persons
12 who signed up in advance to speak have been
13 recognized. Is there a motion to adjourn?

14 MS. FRY: So moved.

15 MR. EADDY: Second.

16 (Chorus of ayes.)

17 MS. LIGHTFOOT: The motion passes. The
18 meeting is adjourned.

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20 (WHEREUPON, were all the proceedings had.)

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From: Quinn, Kelley
Sent: Friday, December 04, 2015 3:46 PM
To: Ewing, Clothilde
Subject: Re: please review...

I literally had to chase him b/c he was going to the community meeting and was going to wait.

From: Ewing, Clothilde
Sent: Friday, December 4, 2015 3:45 PM
To: Quinn, Kelley; Silver, Steven
Subject: RE: please review...

Great, thanks

From: Quinn, Kelley
Sent: Friday, December 04, 2015 3:45 PM
To: Ewing, Clothilde; Silver, Steven
Subject: Re: please review...

He is in my office reading it.

From: Ewing, Clothilde
Sent: Friday, December 4, 2015 3:43 PM
To: Silver, Steven; Quinn, Kelley
Subject: RE: please review...

NO, he was reading it now apparently. Kelley, can you call him. He is taking too long.

From: Silver, Steven
Sent: Friday, December 04, 2015 3:40 PM
To: Quinn, Kelley; Ewing, Clothilde
Subject: RE: please review...

He signed off on USA Today, yes. Don't know about the local one.

From: Quinn, Kelley
Sent: Friday, December 04, 2015 3:39 PM
To: Silver, Steven; Ewing, Clothilde
Subject: Re: please review...

And Patton signed off, right?

**CHAIN CONTINUES AS
PREVIOUSLY PRODUCED**

From: Silver, Steven
Sent: Friday, December 04, 2015 3:53 PM
To: Ewing, Clothilde; Quinn, Kelley
Subject: RE: please review...
Attachments: Local_Papers_oped_final.docx

Here is a clean version with Patton's edits. He is good with this this.

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**CHAIN CONTINUES AS
PREVIOUSLY PRODUCED**

From: Rountree, Janey
Sent: Friday, December 04, 2015 4:00 PM
To: Ewing, Clothilde; Quinn, Kelley; Silver, Steven; Spielfogel, David; Collins, Adam; Mitchell, Eileen; Patton, Stephen; Rendina, Michael
Subject: RE: oped; ATTORNEY CLIENT PRIVILEGED AND CONFIDENTIAL
Attachments: Oped_JOR edits.doc

I don't which oped is attached (ST or Tribune) but my redline edits are attached here.

From: Ewing, Clothilde
Sent: Friday, December 04, 2015 3:36 PM
To: Rountree, Janey; Quinn, Kelley; Silver, Steven; Spielfogel, David; Collins, Adam; Mitchell, Eileen; Patton, Stephen; Rendina, Michael
Subject: RE: oped; ATTORNEY CLIENT PRIVILEGED AND CONFIDENTIAL

OK, USA Today is ready to go. Kelley, please send. My understanding is that Patton is reviewing ST and Tribune. Janey, hope you read that as well, we need to send ASAP

From: Rountree, Janey
Sent: Friday, December 04, 2015 3:07 PM
To: Ewing, Clothilde; Quinn, Kelley; Silver, Steven; Spielfogel, David; Collins, Adam; Mitchell, Eileen; Patton, Stephen; Rendina, Michael
Subject: RE: oped; ATTORNEY CLIENT PRIVILEGED AND CONFIDENTIAL

Thanks, no problem. I'm good with the rest.


From: Ewing, Clothilde
Sent: Friday, December 04, 2015 2:59 PM
To: Rountree, Janey; Quinn, Kelley; Silver, Steven; Spielfogel, David; Collins, Adam; Mitchell, Eileen; Patton, Stephen; Rendina, Michael
Subject: RE: oped; ATTORNEY CLIENT PRIVILEGED AND CONFIDENTIAL

Silver, can you please fix. Also, Janey, can you make sure your other edits are realized. This could be a problem with version control.

From: Rountree, Janey
Sent: Friday, December 04, 2015 2:55 PM
To: Ewing, Clothilde; Quinn, Kelley; Silver, Steven; Spielfogel, David; Collins, Adam; Mitchell, Eileen; Patton, Stephen; Rendina, Michael
Subject: RE: oped; ATTORNEY CLIENT PRIVILEGED AND CONFIDENTIAL

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[REDACTED]



From: Ewing, Clothilde
Sent: Friday, December 04, 2015 2:31 PM
To: Quinn, Kelley; Silver, Steven; Spielfogel, David; Collins, Adam; Rountree, Janey; Mitchell, Eileen; Patton, Stephen; Rendina, Michael
Subject: RE: oped; ATTORNEY CLIENT PRIVILEGED AND CONFIDENTIAL

Patton and Janey need to review. If we have until 5, we might as well also take this in with us for week ahead as well. I have a few edits back on other oped and will send to this chain as well once I get a few more back.

From: Quinn, Kelley
Sent: Friday, December 04, 2015 2:30 PM
To: Silver, Steven; Ewing, Clothilde; Spielfogel, David; Collins, Adam; Rountree, Janey; Mitchell, Eileen; Patton, Stephen; Rendina, Michael
Subject: Re: oped; ATTORNEY CLIENT PRIVILEGED AND CONFIDENTIAL

Good job! Is everyone OK with this?

From: Silver, Steven
Sent: Friday, December 4, 2015 2:29 PM
To: Quinn, Kelley; Ewing, Clothilde; Spielfogel, David; Collins, Adam; Rountree, Janey; Mitchell, Eileen; Patton, Stephen; Rendina, Michael
Subject: Re: oped; ATTORNEY CLIENT PRIVILEGED AND CONFIDENTIAL

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From: Quinn, Kelley
Sent: Friday, December 4, 2015 2:27:02 PM
To: Silver, Steven; Ewing, Clothilde; Spielfogel, David; Collins, Adam; Rountree, Janey; Mitchell, Eileen; Patton, Stephen; Rendina, Michael
Subject: Re: oped; ATTORNEY CLIENT PRIVILEGED AND CONFIDENTIAL

How many words? They only give us 340.

From: Silver, Steven
Sent: Friday, December 4, 2015 2:21 PM
To: Ewing, Clothilde; Quinn, Kelley; Spielfogel, David; Collins, Adam; Rountree, Janey; Mitchell, Eileen; Patton, Stephen; Rendina, Michael
Subject: RE: oped; ATTORNEY CLIENT PRIVILEGED AND CONFIDENTIAL

Made some tweaks to get it below the word limit and add messaging JK suggested now that we know their piece. Redline changes attached. Let me know further edits.

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

From: Ewing, Clothilde
Sent: Friday, December 04, 2015 12:51 PM
To: Quinn, Kelley; Spielfogel, David; Collins, Adam; Rountree, Janey; Mitchell, Eileen; Patton, Stephen; Rendina, Michael; Silver, Steven
Subject: RE: oped; ATTORNEY CLIENT PRIVILEGED AND CONFIDENTIAL

Please hold. We know what they are going to say and may make adjustments.

From: Quinn, Kelley
Sent: Friday, December 04, 2015 12:47 PM
To: Spielfogel, David; Ewing, Clothilde; Collins, Adam; Rountree, Janey; Mitchell, Eileen; Patton, Stephen; Rendina, Michael; Silver, Steven
Subject: Re: oped; ATTORNEY CLIENT PRIVILEGED AND CONFIDENTIAL

This is 60 words too long. David, is there anything you want to cut or tighten?

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Proposed edits in red.

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[Redacted]

[Redacted]

[Redacted]

[Redacted]

[Redacted]

[Redacted]

[Redacted]

[Redacted]

[Redacted]

[Redacted]

From: Collins, Adam

Sent: Friday, December 4, 2015 7:57 AM

To: Ewing, Clothilde; Rountree, Janey; Mitchell, Eileen; Patton, Stephen; Spielfogel, David; Rendina, Michael;

Quinn, Kelley; Silver, Steven

Subject: RE: oped; ATTORNEY CLIENT PRIVILEGED AND CONFIDENTIAL

If you flip a for b, I think you actually save a word.

A-old) [REDACTED]

B-new) [REDACTED]

From: Ewing, Clothilde

Sent: Friday, December 04, 2015 7:55 AM

To: Collins, Adam; Rountree, Janey; Mitchell, Eileen; Patton, Stephen; Spielfogel, David; Rendina, Michael; Quinn, Kelley; Silver, Steven

Subject: Re: oped; ATTORNEY CLIENT PRIVILEGED AND CONFIDENTIAL

We can say that, but we will need to find a few words to lose. We are capped at 340 and already over. It's a good and important edit though. Can you make it please?

Sent from my BlackBerry 10 smartphone on the Verizon Wireless 4G LTE network.

From: Collins, Adam

Sent: Friday, December 4, 2015 7:22 AM

To: Rountree, Janey; Ewing, Clothilde; Mitchell, Eileen; Patton, Stephen; Spielfogel, David; Rendina, Michael; Quinn, Kelley; Silver, Steven

Subject: RE: oped; ATTORNEY CLIENT PRIVILEGED AND CONFIDENTIAL

I think this is pretty good. [REDACTED] e

----- Original message -----

From: "Rountree, Janey" <Janey.Rountree@cityofchicago.org>

Date: 12/04/2015 6:28 AM (GMT-06:00)

To: "Ewing, Clothilde" <Clothilde.Ewing@cityofchicago.org>, "Mitchell, Eileen"

<Eileen.Mitchell@cityofchicago.org>, "Patton, Stephen" <Stephen.Patton@cityofchicago.org>, "Spielfogel,

David" <David.Spielfogel@cityofchicago.org>, "Rendina, Michael" <Michael.Rendina@cityofchicago.org>,

"Quinn, Kelley" <Kelley.Quinn@cityofchicago.org>, "Silver, Steven" <Steven.Silver@cityofchicago.org>,

"Collins, Adam" <Adam.Collins@cityofchicago.org>

Subject: Re: oped; ATTORNEY CLIENT PRIVILEGED AND CONFIDENTIAL

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

From: Ewing, Clothilde

Sent: Thursday, December 3, 2015 9:32 PM

To: Rountree, Janey; Mitchell, Eileen; Patton, Stephen; Spielfogel, David; Rendina, Michael; Quinn, Kelley; Silver, Steven; Collins, Adam

Subject: Re: oped; ATTORNEY CLIENT PRIVILEGED AND CONFIDENTIAL

This is where I think we are:

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

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From: Ewing, Clothilde

Sent: Thursday, December 3, 2015 9:30 PM

To: Rountree, Janey; Mitchell, Eileen; Patton, Stephen; Spielfogel, David; Rendina, Michael; Quinn, Kelley; Silver, Steven; Collins, Adam

Subject: Re: oped; ATTORNEY CLIENT PRIVILEGED AND CONFIDENTIAL

Woot. Woot.
Awesome, thanks

From: Rountree, Janey
Sent: Thursday, December 3, 2015 9:21 PM
To: Ewing, Clothilde; Mitchell, Eileen; Patton, Stephen; Spielfogel, David; Rendina, Michael; Quinn, Kelley; Silver, Steven; Collins, Adam
Subject: Re: oped; ATTORNEY CLIENT PRIVILEGED AND CONFIDENTIAL

I could live with that.

From: Ewing, Clothilde
Sent: Thursday, December 3, 2015 9:04:50 PM
To: Mitchell, Eileen; Patton, Stephen; Rountree, Janey; Spielfogel, David; Rendina, Michael; Quinn, Kelley; Silver, Steven; Collins, Adam
Subject: Re: oped; ATTORNEY CLIENT PRIVILEGED AND CONFIDENTIAL

[REDACTED]

Could try this:

[REDACTED]

Old:

[REDACTED]

From: Mitchell, Eileen
Sent: Thursday, December 3, 2015 7:36 PM
To: Patton, Stephen; Rountree, Janey; Ewing, Clothilde; Spielfogel, David; Rendina, Michael; Quinn, Kelley; Silver, Steven; Collins, Adam
Subject: RE: oped; ATTORNEY CLIENT PRIVILEGED AND CONFIDENTIAL

Clo – please circulate the latest version intact. Thanks.

From: Patton, Stephen
Sent: Thursday, December 03, 2015 6:35 PM
To: Rountree, Janey; Ewing, Clothilde; Mitchell, Eileen; Spielfogel, David; Rendina, Michael; Quinn, Kelley; Silver, Steven; Collins, Adam
Subject: RE: oped; ATTORNEY CLIENT PRIVILEGED AND CONFIDENTIAL

Good revision.

From: Rountree, Janey

Sent: Thursday, December 03, 2015 6:34 PM

To: Patton, Stephen; Ewing, Clothilde; Mitchell, Eileen; Spielfogel, David; Rendina, Michael; Quinn, Kelley; Silver, Steven; Collins, Adam

Subject: RE: oped; ATTORNEY CLIENT PRIVILEGED AND CONFIDENTIAL

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

From: Patton, Stephen

Sent: Thursday, December 03, 2015 6:24 PM

To: Rountree, Janey; Ewing, Clothilde; Mitchell, Eileen; Spielfogel, David; Rendina, Michael; Quinn, Kelley; Silver, Steven; Collins, Adam

Subject: RE: oped; ATTORNEY CLIENT PRIVILEGED AND CONFIDENTIAL

I agree. [REDACTED].

From: Rountree, Janey

Sent: Thursday, December 03, 2015 6:13 PM

To: Ewing, Clothilde; Mitchell, Eileen; Spielfogel, David; Rendina, Michael; Quinn, Kelley; Silver, Steven; Collins, Adam; Patton, Stephen

Subject: RE: oped

[REDACTED]

From: Ewing, Clothilde

Sent: Thursday, December 03, 2015 5:50 PM

To: Rountree, Janey; Mitchell, Eileen; Spielfogel, David; Rendina, Michael; Quinn, Kelley; Silver, Steven; Collins, Adam; Patton, Stephen

Subject: Re: oped

+ Patton who I mistakingly left off earlier

We have a total of 340 words. If you want something added, we have to lose something. As for your last flag, [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

Sent from my BlackBerry 10 smartphone on the Verizon Wireless 4G LTE network.

From: Rountree, Janey

Sent: Thursday, December 3, 2015 4:54 PM

To: Ewing, Clothilde; Mitchell, Eileen; Spielfogel, David; Rendina, Michael; Quinn, Kelley; Silver, Steven; Collins, Adam

Subject: RE: oped

Laquan's name is spelled wrong in the last sentence.

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED] I would
suggest:
[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

I would suggest:
[REDACTED]

From: Ewing, Clothilde

Sent: Thursday, December 03, 2015 4:42 PM

To: Mitchell, Eileen; Spielfogel, David; Rendina, Michael; Rountree, Janey; Quinn, Kelley; Silver, Steven; Collins, Adam

Subject: oped

USA Today is doing an oped looking at the Laquan McDonald case and the Mayor's leadership in the handling of the case. It is expected to be somewhat critical, but is in a better place since press and Patton talked to members of the ed board. That said, they are offering us space to accompany their piece. Both will run on Monday. Please see below. H/T JK and Silver:

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Subject: Week Ahead Report - 12/5-12

Attached and below is the Media Affairs Week Ahead Report from 12/5/15-12/12/15.

OEMC Week Ahead: December 05 – December 12, 2015

OEMC is prepared to host any extreme weather emergency press conference or any emergency press event related to the City of Chicago.

Facebook:

December 2015 Facebook postings include holiday preparedness, “See Something, Say Something”, cold weather messages and Notify Chicago messages.

*Denotes time-sensitive.

Event: Broadcast – Radio/Digital Advertisements on CBS Radio/B96

Details: Spot radio ads continue the week of November 30, highlighting reporting suspicious activity with the “If You See Something, Say Something” campaign. Messages include reporting suspicious activity to the 855-RPRT-2S4 (855-777-8274) number.

Overview: As part of an emergency preparedness integrated marketing campaign, OEMC is partnering the “Get Ready Chicago!” and “See Something, Say Something” messaging with CBS Radio through December to promote monthly emergency preparedness and public safety messages through broadcast radio spots, online targeting, live search directors and promotional fans for giveaways at events.

Event: Broadcast – Radio/Digital Advertisements on iHeart Radio

Details: Spot radio and digital messages run in December with “See Something, Say Something” messaging

Overview: As part of an emergency preparedness integrated marketing campaign, OEMC is partnering the DHS “If You See Something, Say Something” messaging with iHeart Radio through December to promote reporting suspicious activity/objects to the hotline -855-RPRT-2S4.

Event: Paper – Advertisement Chicago Bears Game Program

Details: “When Disaster Strikes, You Will Be the First to Recover...Be Prepared!” Gear Up, Get Ready, Notify Chicago, Alert Chicago promotion full-page color ad runs in the Chicago Bears game day program through the football season, available for all home games. Ad runs through January 3, 2016.

Overview: OEMC is promoting emergency preparedness and disaster readiness.

Media FOIAs and Contracts:

DATE DUE: 12/3/2015
FOIA FILE NUMBER: 15- 1507
REQUESTOR: Carly Luque - WBBM TV
DATE RECVD: 11/25/2015
REQUESTED RECORDS: Dash-cam video and 911 calls relating to the shooting of Ronald Johnson – shot by police on October 12, 2014, around 12:35 am, in the 5300blk of S. Martin Luther King Drive.

DATE DUE: 12/08/2015
FOIA FILE NUMBER: 15- 1522
REQUESTOR: Lisa Capitanini – NBC Universal
DATE RECVD: 12/01/2015
REQUESTED RECORDS: Dispatch information concerning the October 12, 2014 incident involving 25 Year-old Ronald Johnson III, who was shot in the 5300 block of South King Drive, including records of all personnel dispatched to the scene

DATE DUE: 12/09/2015
FOIA FILE NUMBER: 15- 1530
REQUESTOR: Polly Mosendz
DATE RECVD: 12/02/2015
REQUESTED RECORDS: CPD dispatcher communication on October 20, 2015, from 9:47 to 9:57 p.m. - seeking either a transcript or a recording of the communication which the dispatcher radioed to 8th District Beat 815R. The dispatcher radioed about a man identified as Laquan MacDonald breaking into trucks near 41st and Kildare Avenue and asked if any units had a Taser. One of the officers who heard the dispatch was Jason Van Dyke, who later shot McDonald. Van Dyke's unit at the time, also on the radio, was 845R.

DATE DUE: 12/10/2015
FOIA FILE NUMBER: 15- 1538
REQUESTOR: Pat Curry – WGN TV
DATE RECVD: 12/03/2015

REQUESTED RECORDS: We are specifically looking for any transmissions he made via police radio from 8-10:30 p.m. on the designated evening of October 20, 2014. WGN-TV News requests through the Freedom of Information Act any 911 calls made from the area near 41st and Pulaski, including the Burger King—on October 20, 2014 between 8:45 p.m. and 10:15 p.m.

DATE DUE: 12/10/2015
FOIA FILE NUMBER: 15- 1539
REQUESTOR: Carly Luque – CBS 2
DATE RECVD: 0//2015
REQUESTED RECORDS: 911 calls, all surveillance video (specifically from the nearby food mart and South Shore High School), dash cam video, any radio transmissions and police reports in regards to the shooting of Cedrick Chatman - Chatman was shot on January 7, 2013 near 75th Street and Jeffery around 1:46 p.m.

DATE DUE: 12/01/2015
FOIA FILE NUMBER: 15- 1500
REQUESTOR: Damara Anderson - WBBM TV
DATE RECVD: 11/23/2015
REQUESTED RECORDS: 911 calls for a fire on the 50th floor of the John Hancock building at Michigan & Delaware on November 21st at 2:30 p.m.

DATE DUE: 12/04/2015
FOIA FILE NUMBER: 15- 1508
REQUESTOR: Damara Anderson – WBBM TV
DATE RECVD: 11/27/2015
REQUESTED RECORDS: 911 Calls made from 11:15 am to 5:30 p.m. on Friday, November 27, 2015 – from stores on Michigan Avenue

DATE DUE: 12/07/2015
FOIA FILE NUMBER: 15- 1512
REQUESTOR: Ali Watson – Center for Investigative Reporting – Emeryville, CA
DATE RECVD: 11/30/2015
REQUESTED RECORDS: All records and correspondence (electronic and physical) pertaining to the planning, implementation, contracting, deployment, or use of social media monitoring technology in use at the Chicago Crime Prevention and Information Center, and/or by the Chicago Police Department

Wednesday, December 9

Event: Speaking Engagement

Details: Wednesday, December 9, 2015, Flannery Senior Meeting, 1507 N. Clybourn, 10:00 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.

Overview: OEMC citizen preparedness rep, along with public safety reps, will attend the senior meeting as part of the Senior Ambassador Program to provide public safety and emergency preparedness tips.

Thursday, December 10

Event: Speaking Engagement

Details: Thursday, December 10, 2015, Condo Magazine State of the Industry Program Meeting, The Chicago Cultural Center, 78 East Washington, 11:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.

Overview: OEMC Citizen Preparedness rep from OEMC's OEM team, will attend resource table distributing "Gear Up, Get Ready Private Sector Emergency Preparedness Resource Guide.

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Interim top cop puts officers on notice about squad car audio, video

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Troubled by the lack of audio in the Laquan McDonald and Ronald Johnson shooting videos, Acting Chicago Police Supt. John Escalante on Friday put the rank-and-file on notice.

It's every officer's responsibility to check the audio and video equipment to make certain it's working before every tour-of-duty. If they don't and breakdowns are not promptly reported, disciplinary action will follow.

"We have a good policy in place. We've got to reinforce it. That's why I sent out a reminder. When you get into that car, test the in-car camera and the audio. Make sure it's working. That's your responsibility," Escalante said.

"If the system isn't working and officers didn't report it, we are going to take disciplinary action."

Dashcam videos had no audio on the night white Chicago Police officer Jason Van Dyke pumped 16 rounds into the body of black teenager Laquan McDonald. The sound of sirens outside the squad cars could be heard. But there was no audio from inside the vehicles.

Videos from the shooting of Ronald Johnson eight days earlier also include no audio, according to an attorney representing Johnson's mother. Mayor Rahm Emanuel has promised to release that video next week after keeping it under wraps for months.

Escalante, a 29-year department veteran, said he's troubled by the lack of audio and there's no excuse for it.

“I don’t know if ‘fishy’ is the right term. But it’s definitely a concern. We want to make sure it’s not a problem citywide,” he said, noting that the Chicago Police Department has inspectors conducting random checks.

McDonald may not have been shot to death if any of the officers following him on that October, 2014 night has been equipped with Tasers. Instead, they put in a radio call for a Taser, but Van Dyke unloaded his weapon during the wait.

On Friday, Escalante acknowledged that every one of the city’s 22 police districts has a Taser, but there aren’t enough of them. And not enough officers have been trained to use them. The citywide total is roughly 1,000.

“We just did an inventory. The officers have to be trained. For officers coming on the job, it’s automatic. It’s part of their recruit training. For the older officers, it’s an option. We’ll look at, should it be mandatory for everyone,” Escalante said.

“What we’ll have to do regardless is get more Tasers. Getting non-lethal options will always be a benefit. But it has to come with the right training and proper supervision.”

Earlier this week, Escalante suddenly found himself in the eye of a nationwide firestorm.

It happened after Emanuel abruptly fired his larger-than-life Police Supt. Garry McCarthy in the furor over the McDonald video and the city’s decision to wait until a week after the mayoral election to authorize a \$5 million settlement to the McDonald family but keep the incendiary video under wraps until last week, when a judge ordered the city to do so.

The mayor argued then that McCarthy had become a “distraction” by losing the community’s trust and maintained that his “loyalty” to his only police superintendent does not trump his “bigger loyalty” to the city.

Escalante, whose appointment as first deputy superintendent had infuriated the City Council’s Black Caucus, was thrust into the role of acting superintendent while the Police Board conducts a nationwide search for McCarthy’s replacement.

In his first in-depth interview as acting superintendent, Escalante acknowledged that the unrelenting furor over the McDonald shooting video has made his job incredibly more difficult.

“We have serious issues to address with trust and credibility in some communities. In some cases, we have to repair those bridges that have been damaged over the last few weeks. In other cases, we have to build bridges that have never existed,” Escalante said.

Pressed to describe how he plans to rebuild that trust in the African-American community, Escalante talked about revitalizing community policing from the ground up.

“It’s not just a community policing office in each district, but the men and women who work the beat cars. We want them to get out of the cars — not just on traffic and investigative stop but get out and show their faces at schools, churches and community events,” he said.

“In the past, that was expected of our CAPS officers. But it can’t just be them. It’s literally got to be the beat officers on their beats.”

Escalante said he’s justifiably concerned that the damage done to police-community relations in the black community could discourage young African-Americans from taking the upcoming police exam.

“We are in the middle of a recruitment drive. Applications are due at the end of January. We were really hoping we’d get a diverse pool of applicants. We’re still hoping that will happen, but it’s a concern,” he said.

“We don’t want the video and the protests to discourage people from having interest. We’re going out to communities. We want this department to accurately reflect the city we serve. For some of our younger, more vocal critics, I understand we have them. But take the challenge of applying. It’s one thing to point the finger. It’s another to help make changes from within.”

Unless he blows his audition, Escalante is almost certain to be one of three finalists for the permanent job. But the interim superintendent insisted Friday that the last three days have been such a whirlwind, he hasn’t even decided whether or not to submit his resume.

He acknowledged that his low-key personality and collaborative style will be a dramatic change from McCarthy, whose outspoken style made him a police chief out of central casting long before there was a locally-filmed television series called “Chicago P.D.”

“We do have very different personalities and different management styles. I would definitely say I’m a lot more low-key. I know I have a lot more patience. I want to get as much information as I can. I’m not saying I delay in making decisions. But I’m not an expert. I like to get information from everyone,” he said.

As for the surge in shootings now plaguing Chicago, Escalante said the key to reducing it lies in a “thorough review of where we’re deploying our people” and in the world of social media.

“I don’t think we need more people. We had the same amount of people in 2014 when we saw a dramatic reduction,” he said.

“It’s not a matter of more people. It’s a matter of getting a handle on what is driving the violence. A lot of it is driven now by social media — the taunts and threats on Facebook, Instagram and Twitter. It’s the new form of graffiti and tagging. It’s something the other gang sees immediately. It’s on smart phones and tablets. We’ve got to get a better handle on it.”

Escalante said he has “no intention of getting rid of” the Compstat accountability program that McCarthy brought with him from his days at the New York City Police Department. But “we may tweak it a little bit . . . We just want to make sure that, when we call people down, we get the best information so we can turn around and use it.”

And he promised to follow through on McCarthy’s bold promise to “obliterate” the gangs responsible for the execution of nine-year-old Tyshawn Lee.

“We’re literally going to eliminate those two gang factions from operating as street organizations. We’re in the process of doing that absolutely. It’s not going to happen overnight. But we went into that mode last week,” he said.

From: Peters, Lynda
Sent: Friday, December 04, 2015 7:17 PM
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Subject: RE: Tribune McDonald Lawsuit

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FYI – Trib just posted this.

Tribune seeks to intervene in police video case

The Chicago Tribune has filed a motion in Cook County Circuit Court seeking to intervene in the [Laquan McDonald](#) video case, arguing that the [Chicago Police Department](#) has not yet fully responded to its records requests to turn over all of the recordings from the October 2014 shooting scene.

Lawyers for the news organization noted in the motion filed Thursday that recordings from only five police vehicles at the scene have been released, but an examination of those videos shows that a total of eight police vehicles appeared to be at the scene. One of the vehicles from which no video has been provided "is directly facing officer (Jason) Van Dyke during the entirety of the shooting incident," lawyers wrote in the motion.

In addition to missing video, the Tribune lawyers noted that "all of the released videos included some sound, but most of it is just the faint noise of the vehicles' sirens; inexplicably, the videos did not include any audio of officers talking, either in the vehicles or over police radios."

Van Dyke was charged with murder after Judge Franklin Valderrama's order to release a police car dashboard camera recording that captured the teen's death when the officer shot him 16 times. Attempts by media organizations, including the Tribune, to gain access to the recordings were blocked for months by Mayor [Rahm Emanuel](#)'s administration.

Independent journalist Brandon Smith filed a lawsuit in August against the Police Department over the denial of his own [Freedom of Information Act](#) request for the recordings, resulting in Valderrama's Nov. 19 ruling.

Thursday's filing noted that Smith has also filed new requests in the case seeking records to address "missing video and audio."

Release of the video has led to a torrent of protest and criticism over the way Emanuel and his police department handled the investigation into the shooting. This week Emanuel dismissed police Superintendent Garry McCarthy amid mounting national pressure, which included his longtime political ally Hillary Clinton calling for a federal probe of policing practices in Chicago.



Four new Laquan McDonald shooting videos raise more questions

A Dec. 17 hearing date was set to consider the Tribune's motion.

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Hi, Bill!

Thanks for helping out. Please let me know when we can pick up the video.

Many, many thanks!
Rosa

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From: Flores, Rosa [<mailto:Rosa.Flores@turner.com>]
Sent: Friday, December 04, 2015 10:47 AM
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Will we need to pick up a copy in person? I can have someone ready to head that way if that's the case...

Again, many thanks:)

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To: Adam Collins <Adam.collins@cityofchicago.org>
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Subject: Burger King Video

Hi, Adam.

Hey, could you help me obtain the Burger King video that was released in the Laquan McDonald case? If you can get it to us soonest I would really appreciate it. Many, many thanks for all your help.

Best,
Rosa

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To: "Guglielmi, Anthony" <Anthony.Guglielmi@chicagopolice.org>
Subject: Laquan McDonald supplemental report.

Hey Anthony,

So, we just got copies of a bunch of reports the city and the Chicago Police Department had on the Laquan McDonald shooting. The following officers are named in the supplemental detectives' report:

JASON VAN DYKE, Star #9465
JOSEPH MCELLIGOTT, Star #18715
THOMAS J. GAFFNEY, Star #19958
JOSEPH WALSH, Star #12865 (Van Dyke's partner)
ARTURO BACERRA, Star #15790
DORA FONTAINE, Star #4484
JANET MONDRAGON, Star #4364
DAPHNE SEBASTIAN, Star #2763
LETICIA VELEZ, Star #10385
RICARDO VIRAMONTES, Star #10590

- 1) Have any of them (other than Van Dyke) been stripped for their roles in the shooting of Laquan McDonald?
Clearly, some of these officers make statements that do not at all match what the video shows.
- 2) According to the supplemental report, the case was “closed/non-criminal” in March. Was this case closed on the CPD-end, even after reviewing the video of Laquan McDonald getting shot? At what point did investigators and/or anyone at CPD first see the video?

This is deadline-pressing. We need some kind of response tonight.

Jeremy.

From: Rountree, Janey
Sent: Friday, December 04, 2015 8:52 PM
To: 'John.Escalante@chicagopolice.org'
Subject: FW: (NEWS) ABC7 News at 5PM: Interim CPD Supt. Escalante exclusive interview

As painful as this must have been, this turned out well. Let me know when you can talk for a few minutes this weekend. I need to give you an update on DOJ. I'll be working all weekend so at your convenience.

From: NewsClips
Sent: Friday, December 04, 2015 5:21 PM
Subject: (NEWS) ABC7 News at 5PM: Interim CPD Supt. Escalante exclusive interview

[ABC7 News at 5PM: Interim CPD Supt. Escalante exclusive interview](#)

BURTON: Tonight a one-on-one interview with the interim police chief John Escalante. We discuss everything from understanding the pressures of the new position to the public's mistrust of the police department to building bridges to attract more applicants that appropriately reflect the makeup of the city he wants to serve. John Escalante says he has put his time in, working his way up the ranks and despite the turmoil and calls for a major overhaul on the Chicago police department, he would like to make his temporary job as top cop permanent.

ESCALANTE: Coming up through the ranks, yeah, that is something I always thought about and now that I'm doing it on an interim basis it is something I will be considering as we move forward.

BURTON: Escalante is a 29-year veteran of the department. He does not see his insider status as negative. The last two chiefs had been outsiders. So how is his leadership different from Garry McCarthy?

ESCALANTE: The only thing I can think of is get out as much as I can, more out into the field, with the men and women of the police department.

BURTON: He tells me he did see the video of officer Jason Van Dyke shooting Laquan McDonald 16 times two days after it happened and says he has not talked to officer Van Dyke about what happened. He is planning to meet with the fraternal order of police very soon.

ESCALANTE: That's another thing I want to get done next week is sit down with the FOP president and talk about what we can do to move forward.

BURTON: Today we learned more personal information, how he is proud of his Mexican heritage, and how his grandparents working for the railroad and living out of a boxcar instilled a strong work ethic and dedication.

ESCALANTE: My dad was born in a boxcar in Texas because my grandfather worked on the train. It's not uncommon when you look at the history, Mexican families who worked on the train lived in boxcars. The railroad companies gave them boxcars to live. This I'm very proud of where we have come.

BURTON: Escalante says he wants to meet with his rank and file as well as residents about building trust. Escalante also welcomes calls for a federal probe of the department. He says currently the department of justice is here through the violence reduction network and he welcomes any reviews so the public can be reassured that this is a professional department committed to accountability.

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Subject: Re: Sun-Times Article and Tribune Op-Ed

What about hearings?? Date ?

George Cardenas
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Sent from my iPhone

On Dec 4, 2015, at 7:27 PM, Chavez, Claudia <Claudia.Chavez@cityofchicago.org> wrote:

Hi Alderman – We wanted to share the following and attached article and Op-Ed with you.

Sun-Times:

Interim top cop puts officers on notice about squad car audio, video

<http://chicago.suntimes.com/opinion/7/71/1154852/mayor-emanuel-police-misconduct-ill-fix>

Tribune:

Rahm Emanuel op-ed: I own the problem of police brutality, and I'll fix it

<http://www.chicagotribune.com/news/opinion/commentary/ct-rahm-emanuel-laquan-mcdonald-police-perspec-20151204-story.html>

Please let us know if you have any questions.

Claudia

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<Sun-Times_Interim top cop puts officers on notice about squad car audio.pdf>

<Tribune_Rahm Emanuel op.pdf>

From: Quinn, Kelley
Sent: Friday, December 04, 2015 10:38 PM
To: Collins, Adam
Cc: Mitchell, Eileen; Spielfogel, David; Ewing, Clothilde; Rendina, Michael
Subject: Re: Fran Analysis: Can Rahm Emanuel survive?

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I thought it'd be worse, quite honestly.

On Dec 4, 2015, at 9:27 PM, Collins, Adam <Adam.Collins@cityofchicago.org> wrote:

Analysis: Can Rahm Emanuel survive?

WRITTEN BY FRAN SPIELMAN POSTED: 12/04/2015, 09:00PM

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Two months ago, Mayor Rahm Emanuel let it be known he had every intention of seeking a third term and scheduled a giant fundraiser to replenish his depleted campaign war chest and prove he wasn't a lame duck.

The unrelenting furor over the Laquan McDonald shooting video has interrupted that well-orchestrated City Hall narrative.

Now, the question is, can Emanuel survive his second term and, even if he does, how does he regain the credibility — particularly with African-American voters who elected and re-elected him — that he needs to function as Chicago's chief executive.

"You earn it every day. Of course it's a long road. I'm going to work at it every day," said Emanuel, who managed to win back black voters, even after closing a record-number 50 public schools.

"My actions will be a piece of that. My words and the follow-through on my words to make sure those actions are essential. And I have a lot of work to do. The primary work is to make sure that, when it relates to public safety, there is trust between the community and our police department."

Ald. Pat O'Connor (40th), the mayor's City Council floor leader, said it's "always darkest before the dawn." The light will come if and when Police Officer Jason Van Dyke, who emptied 16 rounds into black teenager's body, is convicted of first-degree murder, O'Connor said.

"People will hear the evidence. They'll understand the timing better and understand the city doesn't indict people. We just pay the parents settlements because we felt here was a problem. Once they realize the city did what it was supposed to do, it won't be as bad," O'Connor said.

O'Connor said he is somewhat puzzled by the outrage directed at the mayor.

"They're mad at him, but I'm not exactly sure I know why they're mad at him. They were mad at [now-former Police Superintendent Garry] McCarthy. He fired McCarthy. Now, they're mad he fired McCarthy," O'Connor said.

"This is something that takes time. There's no quick-fix for something like this."

So far, demonstrations triggered by public outrage over the Laquan McDonald video have been relatively peaceful. Demands for Emanuel's resignation have come, only from the far-left fringes of Chicago politics.

But if a smoking gun emerges that shows Emanuel participated in a cover-up of any kind or deliberately conspired to keep the McDonald shooting video under wraps until after he had survived Chicago's first-ever mayoral runoff, all bets are off.

"There was no conspiracy. Allegations along those lines are not supported by the evidence," said Ald. Edward Burke (14th), chairman of the City Council's Finance Committee.

Burke noted that state law includes no recall statute for Chicago mayors and there is "no mechanism" to remove a mayor in whom the voters have lost confidence. He refused to speculate on whether Emanuel would be in danger of a recall if such a law was in place.

"The last time I checked, he was elected to be the mayor of Chicago until 2019. Isn't that correct?" Burke said.

"I'm sure there's a political agenda [to demands for his resignation]. What it is, I don't know. But, he will continue to be the mayor of the city of Chicago."

O'Connor warned those hoping for an Emanuel resignation not to hold their breath. It's simply not in the DNA of the fiercely competitive former White House chief-of-staff who doesn't like to lose, even at tiddly-winks.

As the middle child in a family of over-achievers with two notoriously demanding parents, failure, quitting, losing and even admitting mistakes were simply not tolerated.

"Expecting leaders to resign in a crisis is unlikely. I don't think it's going to happen. It shouldn't happen. Why should it? If he withheld evidence until after the election, that could be something people say. But, if he takes the information we have and the tape we have and gives it to law enforcement at the time the shooting takes place, what has he covered up?" O'Connor said.

"The mayor just won an election. It was a tough election. Not everybody in this city supported him. But just like he won that election, not everybody is asking him to resign or saying, 'I don't like what you're doing.' We're working on a very different Chicago landscape. Everybody needs to step back, calm down and see where we land. You can't continue to run government in a crisis. You have to try and get the crisis to subside. People will gravitate to responsible leadership. That's how you regain trust."

The political waters are certain to get even choppier for the embattled mayor.

More damaging videos of police shootings will be released, starting with the Ronald Johnson shooting video that Emanuel now promises to make public next week. That could trigger demands for more multimillion-dollar settlements Chicago taxpayers can ill afford and more costly economic boycotts like the Black Friday protest that virtually shut down Michigan Avenue.

The U.S. Justice Department is almost certain to open a civil rights investigation into the Chicago Police Department that Emanuel branded "misguided" before reversing field and saying he "welcomes" it. That could ultimately lead to judicial oversight and the appointment of a federal monitor similar to the one that rode heard over city hiring for nearly a decade after top aides to former Mayor Richard M. Daley were convicted of rigging city hiring.

Chicago Public School teachers will take a strike vote this week. Smelling blood in the water, they're almost certain to blow past the 75 percent strike threshold and top the 90 percent vote that preceded the 2012 strike that was Chicago's first in 25 years.

If CPS doesn't get \$480 million in pension help from Springfield already built into its budget, an estimated 5,000 teachers will have to be laid off on Feb. 8. That would almost certainly trigger even more demonstrations.

Chicago aldermen emboldened by a once-powerful but now wounded mayor are likely to question virtually everything Emanuel does for the next 3 1/2 years, in part, to save their own political necks.

Like Emanuel, they were harshly criticized for signing off on a \$5 million settlement to the family of Laquan McDonald one week after the April 7 runoff — even before a lawsuit had been filed — without asking tough enough questions and seeing the incendiary video.

That means the embattled mayor who managed to persuade 35 aldermen to support a \$588 million property tax increase for police and fire pensions and school construction will have a tough time getting 26 votes for the tax increases that lie ahead if, as expected, the Illinois Supreme Court overturns Emanuel's plan to save two other city employee pension funds.

Even before any Round 2 tax hikes, Chicago taxpayers are likely to raise the roof when property tax bills hit their mailboxes next spring and summer reflecting the double whammy of Emanuel's record tax hike and increases triggered by property reassessments.

The selection of a new Chicago Police superintendent to replace McCarthy is a built-in loser for Emanuel.

If he chooses an African-American, as he must to build bridges burned by the McDonald video, Hispanic voters who back interim Supt. John Escalante will be angry.

If he chooses Escalante, another Hispanic or another white superintendent, blacks will be furious. If he selects another outsider on the heels of Jody Weis and McCarthy, the Fraternal Order of Police will have its nose out of joint.

Emanuel's Task Force on Police Accountability is also under the gun to deliver meaningful reforms to the protracted process of disciplining wayward officers and creating an early-warning system for officers whose actions trigger multiple citizen complaints. But the FOP is promising a fight that will make real results African-Americans demand difficult to deliver.

"We have put language in our contract to speed up the disciplinary process. Time frames in there that have never been in there before. But I

will not apologize or back off any protections we have for our membership. I will not go backward with the language of our agreement to satisfy the loudest voices right now,” FOP President Dean Angelo said.

The chorus of political enemies Emanuel made across the nation will only get louder. They’ve been waiting for their chance to get even for the bare-knuckles, take-no-prisoners style Emanuel used during his days as an adviser to one U.S. President, chief of staff to another and as a U.S. Congressman in between who helped to engineer the 2006 Democratic takeover of the U.S. House.

O’Connor acknowledged the obvious. The days of lopsided City Council votes are probably over.

“What people will do is take a tragic incident and try to turn it into a political agenda or a game. We can’t control political agendas or what community leaders do. That’s when you find out who your friends are. That’s all I can tell you,” he said.

Already, Ald. Scott Waguespack (32nd) is demanding that aldermen see police shooting videos before authorizing multimillion-dollar settlements that, sadly, have become routine.

Ald. Roderick Sawyer (6th), chairman of the City Council’s Black Caucus, is also demanding that Emanuel “release all currently held videos of controversial police shootings” to the families of police shooting victims, so the relatives can decide whether or not to release those videos to the public.

“That should be their decision — not the city’s,” he said.

The Black Caucus also plans to join forces with City Treasurer Kurt Summers, who is widely viewed as a potential candidate for mayor in 2019, in holding town hall meetings throughout the black community “to begin a conversation about what we expect from our police force.”

“We urge Mayor Emanuel to hire a new police superintendent who will balance the needs of keeping our streets safe while treating our communities with respect. We need a superintendent who is open to new ideas about policing—not the old policies that have created distrust for generations,” Sawyer said.

Even before the mayor spent \$24 million to survive the runoff, there was speculation that, if Hillary Clinton got elected president, Emanuel might leave Chicago in midterm to accept a cabinet post.

Now that the mayor's seat is more like a griddle, those rumors are popping up again. That's even though, in his current politically radioactive state, Emanuel would have difficulty winning U.S. Senate confirmation.

Former Mayor Richard M. Daley managed to survive the Hired Truck and city hiring scandals by throwing everybody around him under the bus. Even during his darkest days, after being questioned by federal investigators in the mayor's office, nobody demanded Daley's resignation.

Fiercely loyal, Emanuel served up only one head—McCarthy's—and it only raised the volume on demands for his own political scalp.

At the end of a week that was arguably his most difficult as Chicago mayor, Emanuel was asked whether he foresees any circumstance under which he would not serve out his term.

"No," the mayor said, before walking away from a hallway interview that was more like a feeding frenzy.

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Hey Anthony, can you please give a read out of who has asked for comment from us and who has your statement?
Thanks man

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Can you please call Jeremy? The Trib story posted and has none of our response in it

Laquan McDonald police reports differ dramatically from video

Hundreds of pages of newly released [Chicago police](#) reports from the fatal shooting of [Laquan McDonald](#) are striking for one, simple thing: They are dramatically at odds with the dash-cam videotape that has sparked protests across Chicago, cost the city's top cop his job and embroiled Mayor [Rahm Emanuel](#) in scandal.

The reports, released by the city late Friday, show that at least five officers, as well as Officer [Jason Van Dyke](#), said that the 17-year-old McDonald moved toward officers, even though the videotape of the October 2014 shooting showed McDonald walking away.

At least one said he was advancing on the officers in a menacing way and swung his knife at them in an "aggressive, exaggerated manner" before he was shot and killed. Officers claimed, too, that even after McDonald had been shot repeatedly by Van Dyke, he tried to lift himself off the ground with the knife pointed toward the officers, suggesting that, though he had been mortally wounded, he presented a threat.

The reports are written in police shorthand, and refer to Van Dyke as VD – and call him a victim. McDonald is O, for the offender.

"VD believed O was attacking w/knife," said a report of Van Dyke's account. "Trying to kill VD. In defense of his life, VD backpedaled + fired. O fell to ground, continued to move/grasp knife. VD continued firing. O appeared to be attempting to get up. Still holding knife. Pointing at VD."

The statements, many of them handwritten, prompted police supervisors to rule McDonald's death a justifiable homicide just hours after he had been shot 16 times on South Pulaski Road and 41st Street, and then to close the case entirely on Dec. 20, two months later.

The reports also suggest a possible defense: a December 2012 bulletin from the department about a knife that shoots bullets. The threat was attributed to an unnamed "Midwest intelligence organization" and warned officers to "remain cognizant of its threat to personal safety."

In a second statement to officials, Van Dyke even mentioned the bulletin.

With the videotape of the shooting as a backdrop, the reports – the first detailed accounts from the officers at the scene -- offer a way to examine what Van Dyke and his colleagues reported. Because they diverge so dramatically from the video, they suggest a possible avenue for prosecution.

Van Dyke has been charged with murder by Cook County prosecutors, while federal officials also are investigating the shooting. A federal grand jury investigation has involved more than 80 witnesses and branched into possible obstruction of justice by the officers at the scene, sources told the Tribune.

Bringing charges against the officers for their statement could be difficult, however. Under federal case law, statements the officers were compelled to make as part of the police department's internal investigation cannot be used against them in any criminal prosecution.

The shooting unfolded as Van Dyke and his partner were responding to a radio call of a man with a knife who had popped a tire. As the partner drove their police SUV west on 40th Street, they saw McDonald running through a Burger King parking lot, "knife in hand."

"VD exited veh.," the report of Van Dyke's account states. "Drew handgun."

Van Dyke, according to the report, then stood in the street, facing north, as McDonald came toward him with a knife in his hand.

McDonald, the report states, was swinging the knife wildly.

"Knife in r hand, underhand grip. Blade forward. Swinging knife in aggressive, exaggerated manner," the report states.

According to Van Dyke's account, he repeatedly ordered McDonald to drop the knife, which he failed to do. McDonald advanced.

"When O within 10-15 ft. looked at VD raised knife across chest, over shoulder. Pointed a knife at VD."

Van Dyke then shot McDonald.

While some officers on the scene said in the reports that they did not see Van Dyke shoot McDonald, at least five corroborated Van Dyke's account. Van Dyke's partner, Joseph Walsh, said McDonald was advancing toward him and Van Dyke, swinging the knife aggressively.

Walsh said in his account that he also drew his handgun, then came around the rear of the Chevrolet Tahoe SUV to join Van Dyke.

Walsh said he repeatedly ordered McDonald to drop the knife.

"As O approached S/B, Walsh = 'Drop the knife!' multiple times."

The report says that Walsh was backing up as McDonald drew closer, swinging his knife at police officers – action that did not occur, according to the videotape the Emanuel administration made available after a judge ruled that it could no longer be kept from the public.

"Walsh backed up, attempting to maintain safe distance. O ignored directions. Continued to advance. At 12 -15 feet O swung knife at POs in aggressive manner."

Van Dyke then opened fire and continued to shoot: "VD continued firing as O continued moving. Attempting get up. Still armed w/knife."

The account says that when McDonald stopped moving, Walsh kicked the knife away, called an ambulance and told McDonald to "Hang in there."

The police department noted in a statement that it's the responsibility of the Independent Police Review Authority to investigate police-involved shootings and said the [U.S. Justice Department](#)'s criminal investigation includes a review of the videos as well as the statements made by officers in addition to Van Dyke.

Dean Angelo, president of Lodge 7 of the Fraternal Order of Police, said in a text message to the Tribune that he did not want to comment about an ongoing investigation.

The Cook County state's attorney's office was unavailable for comment.

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Subject: RE: Tribune -Urgent

Here's a clean version. Move at 915pm unless I hear otherwise

“By City law, the Independent Police Authority conducts all investigations of the conduct Chicago police officers when they are involved in an officer-involved shooting. That is not handled internally at CPD. IPRA’s administrative investigations to determine whether officers should be disciplined are always suspended pending criminal investigations so as not to interfere with those proceedings. CPD’s case report and all videos were turned over to IPRA and state and federal prosecutors days after the shooting. The Justice Department is currently investigating any actions and statements of CPD officers in connection with this shooting. If the criminal investigation concludes that any officer participated in any wrongdoing, we will take swift action.”

On background: The Justice Department is currently reviewing the videos, including the Burger King video, and the statements made by CPD officers as part of their criminal investigation. Once they complete their investigation, IPRA will resume its administrative investigation to consider whether discipline, including termination, would be appropriate for any officers who responded to the incident or participated in preparing the case report. In the meantime, IPRA cannot interview the officers involved in this incident while the federal and state criminal matters are pending.

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Apparently we have until 9:15 to get this to the Trib. I made some edits below. Nothing major though. Thoughts?

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Agree this should be a CPD response and not DOL. This is what I circulated earlier in anticipation of getting these questions but someone in comms needs to clean up:

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These questions are not for Law to answer.

I also am not sure of any comment that would need to be made.

From: Lighty, Todd [<mailto:tlighty@chicagotribune.com>]
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To: McCaffrey, Bill
Cc: Lighty, Todd
Subject: Questions

Bill,

As I mentioned, we are posting online tonight and writing for Saturday's paper so we need responses tonight. Thanks so much.

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I am on a very tight deadline.

Thanks,

Todd Lighty
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Agreed. Good work, Adam.

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If we're thinking about remarks we can engage Steve Silver

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Adam,
Please prepare the proactive message out a for today. What should the Mayor say in the various events he attends. Thought we were preparing remarks for the weekend for the two types of events - community and police. Unless I missed it, please prepare and circulate.
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Sent: Saturday, December 05, 2015 9:17 AM
To: Patton, Stephen;Rountree, Janey
Cc: Adegbile, Debo;Gorelick, Jamie;Budihas, Alyssa;Grissler, Meghan;Hartley, Danielle
Subject: Fw: 12/4 CPD Daily Digest - PRIVILEGED AND CONFIDENTIAL

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Steve and Janey,

Janey said you are thinly staffed and I know life is frenzied, so thought you might find useful our daily digest of pertinent press. (Sorry it is so depressing).
Let me know if there are others we should add.

Brent

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Sent: Friday, December 4, 2015 9:27 PM
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[Chicago's flawed system for investigating police shootings](#) (Chicago Tribune)

- “Chicago police officers enforce a code of silence to protect one another when they shoot a citizen, giving some a sense they can do so with impunity.”
- “Their union protects them from rigorous scrutiny, enforcing a contract that can be an impediment to tough and timely investigations.”
- “The Independent Police Review Authority, the civilian agency meant to pierce that protection and investigate shootings of citizens by officers, is slow, overworked and, according to its many critics, biased in favor of the police.”
- “[Lorenzo] Davis, a retired Chicago police commander who joined IPRA and became a supervisor, sued the agency in September after he said its chief ordered him to change his conclusions in six cases in which he found officers wrongly shot civilians.”
- “[FOP] President Dean Angelo Sr. viewed the [IPRA] figures as evidence that police shoot only when they are forced to defend themselves or the public.”
- “The root of the trouble, many observers of the system say, is a code of silence among many of the rank-and-file that contributes to a sense that the police can shoot with impunity... Other issues contribute to the problem, including patterns of complaints against officers are not considered during investigations.”
 - “City officials often blame the city’s contract with police for that, as well as for being a broader obstacle to reform.”
 - “The contract forbids officials from publically identifying officers involved in a shooting unless they are convicted, though any officer who is charged would be named in court records.”
 - “But the city negotiates with the FOP... and agrees to the terms.”

- “The Tribune came to a similar conclusion in 2007...reporters spent eight month examining the departments police-shooting investigation practices, looking at more than 200 cases from the previous decade. The Tribune found that officials often rushed to clear officers, in many instances before critical evidence – including forensic evidence – could be analyzed, and even when evidence emerged later that contradicted an officer’s account.”
 - “Daley created IPRA the same year...hoping it would improve investigations and convince increasingly skeptical residents that officers did not enjoy a separate standard of justice when they shoot citizens.”
 - “Since then, IPRA has come to be widely viewed as part of the problem”
 - “Caseloads are too large” and “investigators are overmatched in cases that can be complex”
 - “Although its investigations have subpoena power, officers are still reluctant to cooperate when they or their colleagues are being targeted.”
 - IPRA ordinance gives six months to complete investigation (same time frame as Department of Justice), but sometimes it takes longer than six months.
 - Superintendent of Police must sign off on IPRA discipline.
- “[For] a time IPRA and police officials would meet to discuss all officer shootings ... But in IPRA’s 2010-12 annual report the agency noted that police took part in only one of the shooting meetings in 2011 and 2012” and “meetings stopped altogether in 2013.”

[Data: IPRA data of Chicago police officer-involved shootings](#) (Chicago Tribune)

- “Since its creation in 2007 the IPRA has “tracked a total of 409 people who were shot, an average of nearly one police shooting per week. OF those 409 shootings, only two were found to be unjustified.”

[Chicago officials release Burger King video from Laquan McDonald shooting](#) (Chicago Tribune)

- “Obtained by the Tribune in response to a series of [FOIA] request, the recordings include 12 camera angles from inside and outside the Southwest Side Burger Kind on Oct. 20, 2014”
- “There is a gap in the footage from about 9:18 p.m. to 10:39 p.m., which covers the time when McDonald was shot ... on a nearby street.”
- “Lawyers for the McDonald family have alleged the missing footage signals a cover-up by Chicago police who responded to the crime scene. But police and Cook County prosecutors ... have said there is no evidence the camera system at the restaurant was tampered with.”
- “The footage from the restaurant and nearby businesses did not include any audio.”
- “When asked Thursday night why the Tribune wasn’t given the surveillance videos from the Burger King and other businesses with the rest of the footage released last week, law department officials said get were still working on preparing it to be released to the media.”

[CITIES' POLICIES ON POLICE SHOOTING VIDEOS INCONSISTENT](#) (A.P.)

- “There’s often little commonality when it comes to cities’ policies on how quickly they release video of police officer who shot civilians under disputed circumstances.”
- “Chicago Mayor Rahm Emanuel announced this week he’s establishing a task force that’ll examine the city’s policy...”
- “Seattle-based open government attorney Michele Earl-Hubbard ... says courts are pushing back, telling police they must present convincing evidence an investigation can’t continue if a video is unsealed.”

[Rev. Jackson, others call for broader federal probe](#) (Chicago Sun Times)

- “Not satisfied with Mayor Rahm Emanuel’s support for a U.S. Department of Justice investigation of the Chicago Police Department, a group of ministers and local politicians called for a far broader federal probe.”
 - They are calling for “a sweeping investigation that would include the mayor’s office as well as that of Cook County State’s attorney Anita Alvarez”
 - “The federal government must be involved to conduct a thorough investigation with subpoena power...”

[State's Attorney Alvarez defies calls to quit, urges U.S. probe of Chicago cops](#) (Chicago Tribune)

- “With her bid for a third term threatened by political attacks for taking 13 months to charge a Chicago cop in the Laquan McDonald shooting, [Alvarez] on Thursday gave a spirited defense of her actions in the case and hit back at her foes.”
 - “The people calling for my resignation aren’t the people of Cook County. The people who are calling for my resignation are politicians, season politicians, all with political agendas, and all with some kind of connection to the person who’s running against me.”
 - “There’s no way that I would ever even consider resigning”
- “Critics have suggested a cover-up, and local politicians and activists involved in the Black Lives Matter movement called for Alvarez to resign.
 - “Alvarez said it’s difficult and complex to bring charges against a police officer, even when video captures the incident, and pushed back against any notion of a cover-up.”
- “Alvarez’s comments came right after Commissioners Jesus ‘Chuy’ Garcia and John Fritchey called for a County Board hearing on why it took 13 months to bring charges against Van Dyke.”
 - “Alvarez said she would not participate in that kind of ‘political grandstanding and circus’”
- “Alvarez joined the growing chorus of calls for the U.S. Department of Justice to conduct a broad-based investigation into the practices of the Chicago Police Department...”
- “About an hour before Alvarez spoke to reporters, several dozen protestors held a news conference outside the Loop building where she has her offices. They delivered to Alvarez’s staff several boxes they said contained signed petitions demanding she resign.”

[Sanders Calls for Accountability of Chicago Officials](#) (N.Y. Times)

- “Democratic presidential candidate Bernie Sanders said that any official involved with suppressing the release of a video of the shooting... should be ‘held accountable’ and, if necessary, resign.”
- “Hillary Clinton ... has called for a federal investigation into the death, but has stopped short of asking Emanuel to resign.”
- “Both candidates have been working hard to woo black voters by focusing on policies to reform the criminal justice system.”

[Emanuel: City will support release of video of another fatal police shooting](#) (Chicago Tribune)

- “Mayor Rahm Emanuel said Thursday the city will drop its fight against the release of a police dashboard camera video depicting a Chicago police officer fatally shooting a man in the back on the city’s South Side.”
- “Just as it had in McDonald’s shooting, the city argued in court filings that releasing the video would inflame the public and jeopardize the officer’s right to fair trial if he was charged later[.]”
- “A Cook County judge is set to hear arguments next Thursday [Dec. 10] in a lawsuit the family filed seeking the video’s release under the state’s open record laws.”
- “The video was first turned over as part of a wrongful-death lawsuit filed by Johnson’s mother a few weeks after the shooting. With the case pending, U.S. District Judge Edmond Chang granted a request by the city for a protective order barring the release of the footage and other sensitive information[.]”

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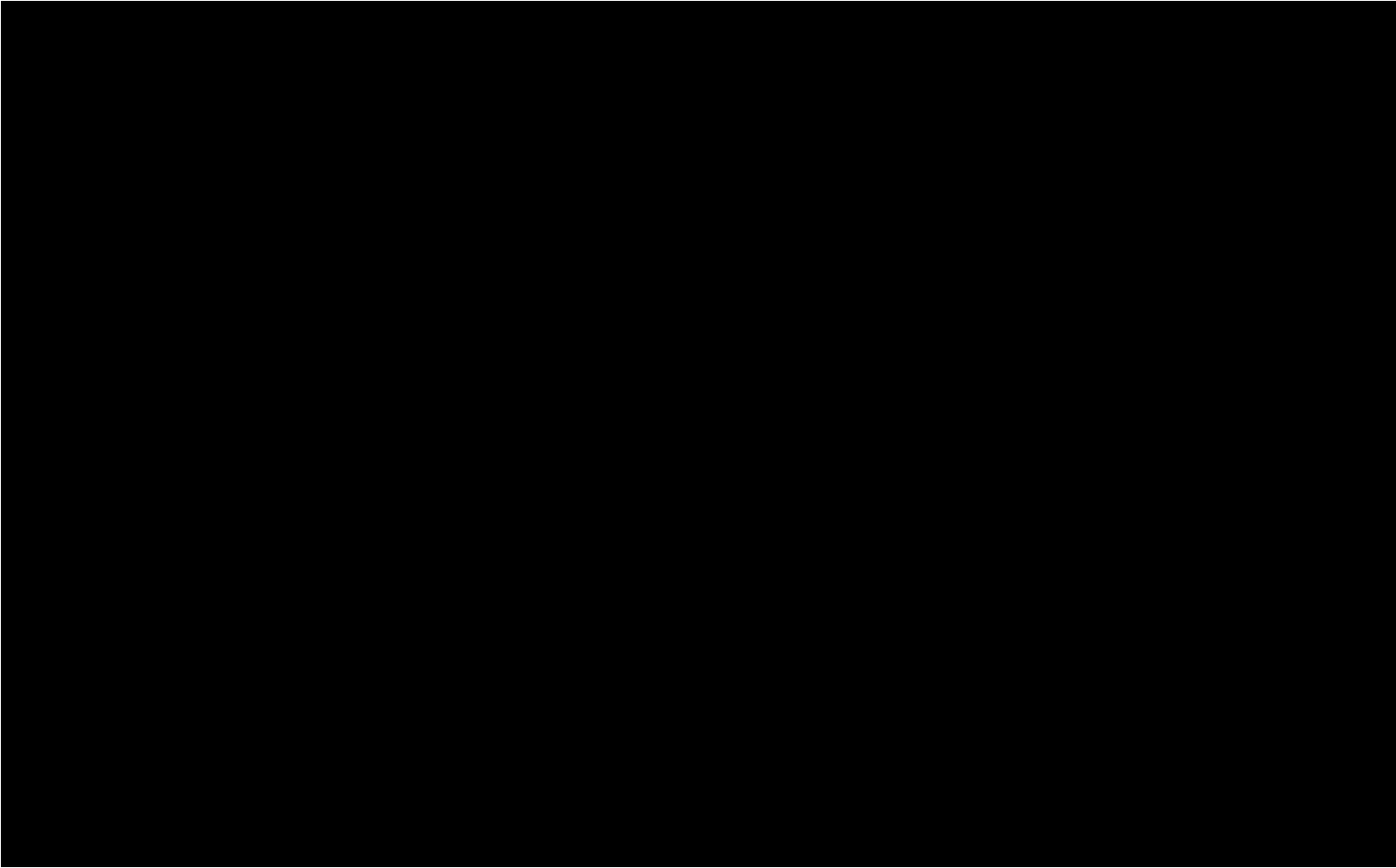
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[Will print this and his press briefing](#)

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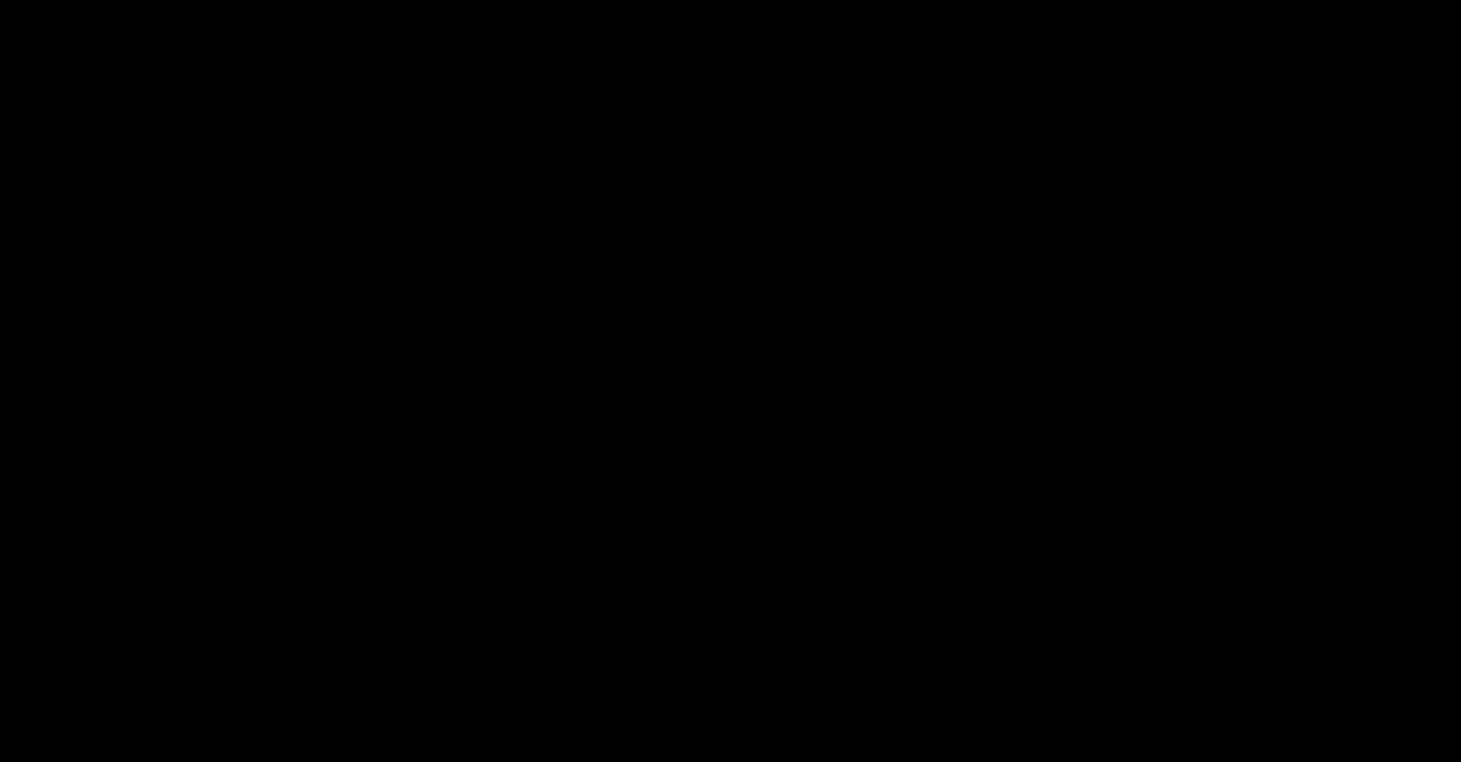
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Cc: Spielfogel, David;Mitchell, Eileen;Rendina, Michael;Patton, Stephen
Subject: Re: Precious blood today

[Will print this and his press briefing](#)

From: Collins, Adam
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Thanks much

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[I'm good with the message.](#)

Mike - you should make sure he know he's going to a culinary workforce program for young men ages 18-24 who are on probation or have prior convictions. Format will be a circle (kind of like a bam circle) and Father David Kelly will frame as a convo about improving trust. He should be prepped that many if not all of these guys will have had significant negative interaction with police. Great group for him to be with but want him to be mentally prepared.

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- Today our city is grappling with that exact challenge after a hideous shooting.

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Police audiences

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- This is an incredibly challenging time on so many levels.
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If we're thinking about remarks we can engage Steve Silver

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On Dec 5, 2015, at 8:18 AM, Mitchell, Eileen <Eileen.Mitchell@cityofchicago.org> wrote:

Adam,

Please prepare the proactive message out a for today. What should the Mayor say in the various events he attends. Thought we were preparing remarks for the weekend for the two types of events - community and police. Unless I missed it, please prepare and circulate.

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Steve and Janey,

Janey said you are thinly staffed and I know life is frenzied, so thought you might find useful our daily digest of pertinent press. (Sorry it is so depressing).
Let me know if there are others we should add.

Brent

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[Chicago's flawed system for investigating police shootings](#) (Chicago Tribune)

- “Chicago police officers enforce a code of silence to protect one another when they shoot a citizen, giving some a sense they can do so with impunity.”
- “Their union protects them from rigorous scrutiny, enforcing a contract that can be an impediment to tough and timely investigations.”
- “The Independent Police Review Authority, the civilian agency meant to pierce that protection and investigate shootings of citizens by officers, is slow, overworked and, according to its many critics, biased in favor of the police.”
- “[Lorenzo] Davis, a retired Chicago police commander who joined IPRA and became a supervisor, sued the agency in September after he said its chief ordered him to change his conclusions in six cases in which he found officers wrongly shot civilians.”
- “[FOP] President Dean Angelo Sr. viewed the [IPRA] figures as evidence that police shoot only when they are forced to defend themselves or the public.”
- “The root of the trouble, many observers of the system say, is a code of silence among many of the rank-and-file that contributes to a sense that the police can shoot with impunity... Other issues contribute to the problem, including patterns of complaints against officers are not considered during investigations.”
 - “City officials often blame the city’s contract with police for that, as well as for being a broader obstacle to reform.”
 - “The contract forbids officials from publically identifying officers involved in a shooting unless they are convicted, though any officer who is charged would be named in court records.”
 - “But the city negotiates with the FOP... and agrees to the terms.”

- “The Tribune came to a similar conclusion in 2007...reporters spent eight month examining the departments police-shooting investigation practices, looking at more than 200 cases from the previous decade. The Tribune found that officials often rushed to clear officers, in many instances before critical evidence – including forensic evidence – could be analyzed, and even when evidence emerged later that contradicted an officer’s account.”
 - “Daley created IPRA the same year...hoping it would improve investigations and convince increasingly skeptical residents that officers did not enjoy a separate standard of justice when they shoot citizens.”
 - “Since then, IPRA has come to be widely viewed as part of the problem”
 - “Caseloads are too large” and “investigators are overmatched in cases that can be complex”
 - “Although its investigations have subpoena power, officers are still reluctant to cooperate when they or their colleagues are being targeted.”
 - IPRA ordinance gives six months to complete investigation (same time frame as Department of Justice), but sometimes it takes longer than six months.
 - Superintendent of Police must sign off on IPRA discipline.
- “[For] a time IPRA and police officials would meet to discuss all officer shootings ... But in IPRA’s 2010-12 annual report the agency noted that police took part in only one of the shooting meetings in 2011 and 2012” and “meetings stopped altogether in 2013.”

[Data: IPRA data of Chicago police officer-involved shootings](#) (Chicago Tribune)

- “Since its creation in 2007 the IPRA has “tracked a total of 409 people who were shot, an average of nearly one police shooting per week. OF those 409 shootings, only two were found to be unjustified.”

[Chicago officials release Burger King video from Laquan McDonald shooting](#) (Chicago Tribune)

- “Obtained by the Tribune in response to a series of [FOIA] request, the recordings include 12 camera angles from inside and outside the Southwest Side Burger Kind on Oct. 20, 2014”
- “There is a gap in the footage from about 9:18 p.m. to 10:39 p.m., which covers the time when McDonald was shot ... on a nearby street.”
- “Lawyers for the McDonald family have alleged the missing footage signals a cover-up by Chicago police who responded to the crime scene. But police and Cook County prosecutors ... have said there is no evidence the camera system at the restaurant was tampered with.”
- “The footage from the restaurant and nearby businesses did not include any audio.”
- “When asked Thursday night why the Tribune wasn’t given the surveillance videos from the Burger King and other businesses with the rest of the footage released last week, law department officials said get were still working on preparing it to be released to the media.”

[CITIES' POLICIES ON POLICE SHOOTING VIDEOS INCONSISTENT](#) (A.P.)

- “There’s often little commonality when it comes to cities’ policies on how quickly they release video of police officer who shot civilians under disputed circumstances.”
- “Chicago Mayor Rahm Emanuel announced this week he’s establishing a task force that’ll examine the city’s policy...”
- “Seattle-based open government attorney Michele Earl-Hubbard ... says courts are pushing back, telling police they must present convincing evidence an investigation can’t continue if a video is unsealed.”

[Rev. Jackson, others call for broader federal probe](#) (Chicago Sun Times)

- “Not satisfied with Mayor Rahm Emanuel’s support for a U.S. Department of Justice investigation of the Chicago Police Department, a group of ministers and local politicians called for a far broader federal probe.”
 - They are calling for “a sweeping investigation that would include the mayor’s office as well as that of Cook County State’s attorney Anita Alvarez”
 - “The federal government must be involved to conduct a thorough investigation with subpoena power...”

[State's Attorney Alvarez defies calls to quit, urges U.S. probe of Chicago cops](#) (Chicago Tribune)

- “With her bid for a third term threatened by political attacks for taking 13 months to charge a Chicago cop in the Laquan McDonald shooting, [Alvarez] on Thursday gave a spirited defense of her actions in the case and hit back at her foes.”
 - “The people calling for my resignation aren’t the people of Cook County. The people who are calling for my resignation are politicians, season politicians, all with political agendas, and all with some kind of connection to the person who’s running against me.”
 - “There’s no way that I would ever even consider resigning”
- “Critics have suggested a cover-up, and local politicians and activists involved in the Black Lives Matter movement called for Alvarez to resign.
 - “Alvarez said it’s difficult and complex to bring charges against a police officer, even when video captures the incident, and pushed back against any notion of a cover-up.”
- “Alvarez’s comments came right after Commissioners Jesus ‘Chuy’ Garcia and John Fritchey called for a County Board hearing on why it took 13 months to bring charges against Van Dyke.”
 - “Alvarez said she would not participate in that kind of ‘political grandstanding and circus’”
- “Alvarez joined the growing chorus of calls for the U.S. Department of Justice to conduct a broad-based investigation into the practices of the Chicago Police Department...”
- “About an hour before Alvarez spoke to reporters, several dozen protestors held a news conference outside the Loop building where she has her offices. They delivered to Alvarez’s staff several boxes they said contained signed petitions demanding she resign.”

[Sanders Calls for Accountability of Chicago Officials](#) (N.Y. Times)

- “Democratic presidential candidate Bernie Sanders said that any official involved with suppressing the release of a video of the shooting... should be ‘held accountable’ and, if necessary, resign.”
- “Hillary Clinton ... has called for a federal investigation into the death, but has stopped short of asking Emanuel to resign.”
- “Both candidates have been working hard to woo black voters by focusing on policies to reform the criminal justice system.”

[Emanuel: City will support release of video of another fatal police shooting](#) (Chicago Tribune)

- “Mayor Rahm Emanuel said Thursday the city will drop its fight against the release of a police dashboard camera video depicting a Chicago police officer fatally shooting a man in the back on the city’s South Side.”
- “Just as it had in McDonald’s shooting, the city argued in court filings that releasing the video would inflame the public and jeopardize the officer’s right to fair trial if he was charged later[.]”
- “A Cook County judge is set to hear arguments next Thursday [Dec. 10] in a lawsuit the family filed seeking the video’s release under the state’s open record laws.”
- “The video was first turned over as part of a wrongful-death lawsuit filed by Johnson’s mother a few weeks after the shooting. With the case pending, U.S. District Judge Edmond Chang granted a request by the city for a protective order barring the release of the footage and other sensitive information[.]”

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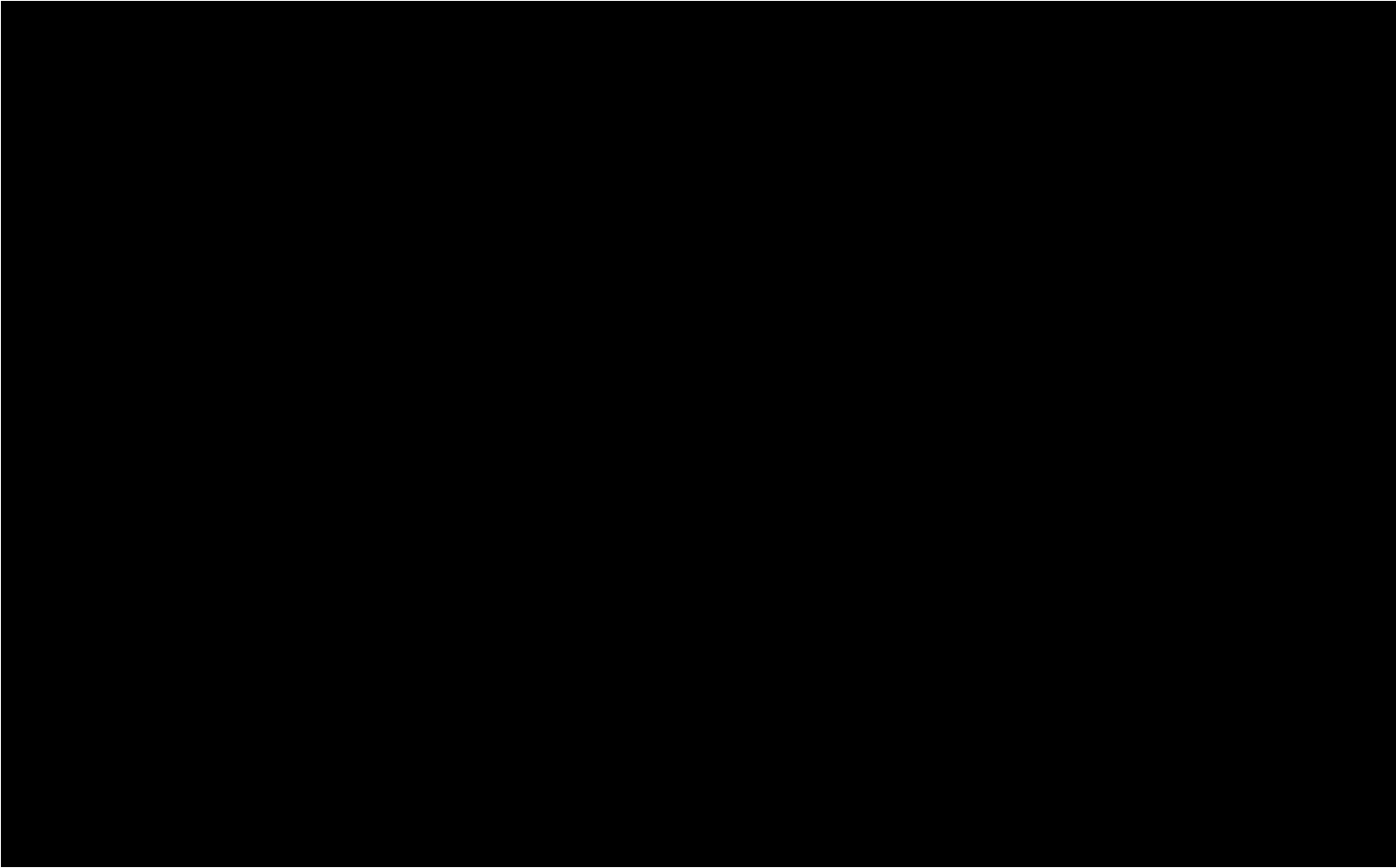
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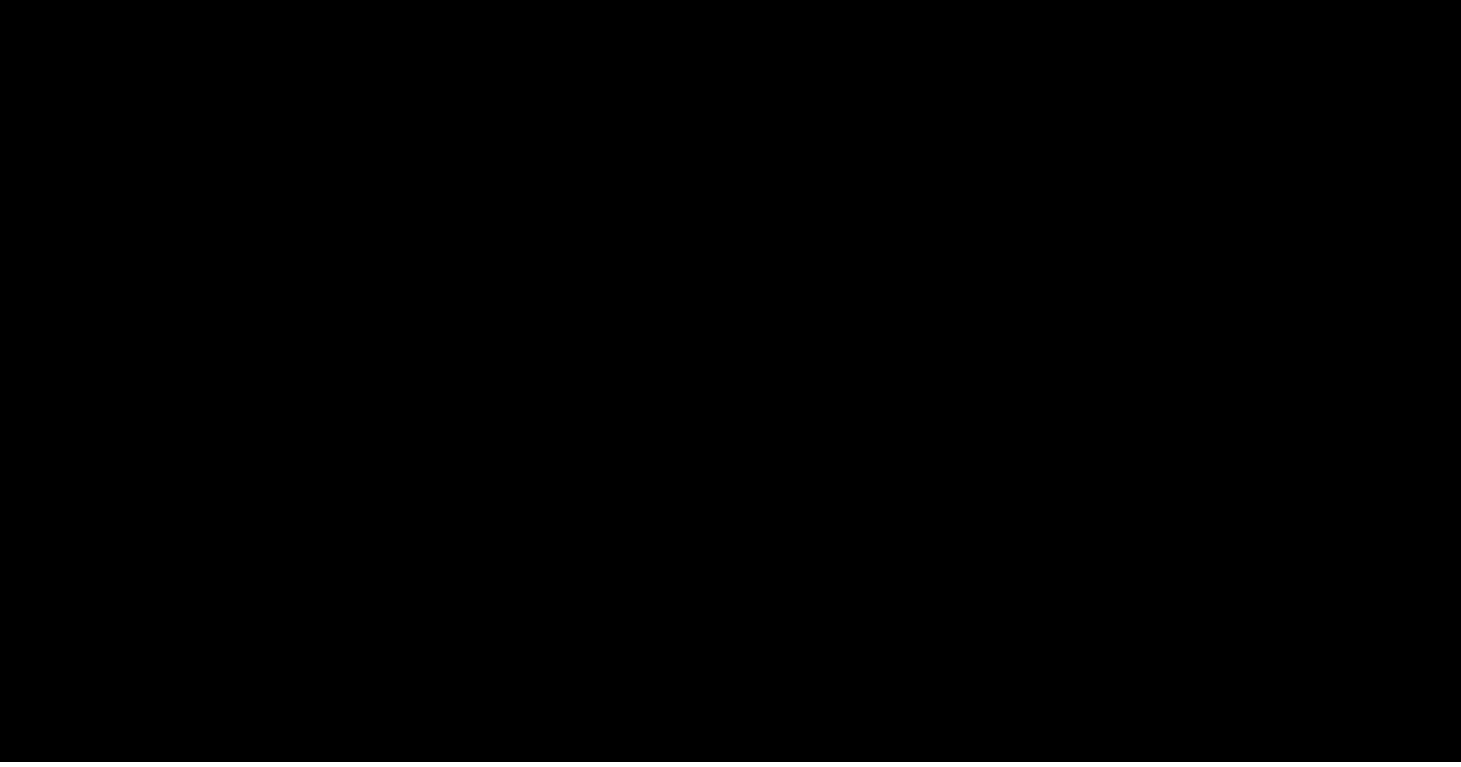
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- Today our city is grappling with that exact challenge after a hideous shooting.

- I want you know that my goal is to take this opportunity to address that history and restore and rebuild trust between residents and our police department – not just as a band aid, but for the long term.
- So today I want to hear from you. I want to hear your thoughts, your concerns and your ideas.
 - What are your thoughts on the relationship between youth and police?
 - How can we improve it? How can I help as Mayor?

Police audiences

- I wanted to stop and thank you all for everything you do on behalf of our city – day in and day out.
- This is an incredibly challenging time on so many levels.
- You face more scrutiny than every before. You face angry protesters speaking out against your own profession. And you still face dangerous conditions every day as you work to keep our communities safe.
- I continue to be impressed by your professionalism and your commitment to our city.
- Your work may go unheralded today. But it does not go unnoticed, nor does it go unappreciated.
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Sent: Saturday, December 05, 2015 7:33 AM
To: Collins, Adam
Subject: Re: Weekend Q&A - Please review

These are good.

From: Collins, Adam
Sent: Saturday, December 5, 2015 6:13:53 AM
To: Mitchell, Eileen; Spielfogel, David; Ewing, Clothilde; Rendina, Michael; Rountree, Janey; Patton, Stephen; Quinn, Kelley
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To: Collins, Adam;Rountree, Janey;Quinn, Kelley;Ewing, Clothilde
Cc: Spielfogel, David;Mitchell, Eileen;Rendina, Michael;Patton, Stephen
Subject: Re: Precious blood today

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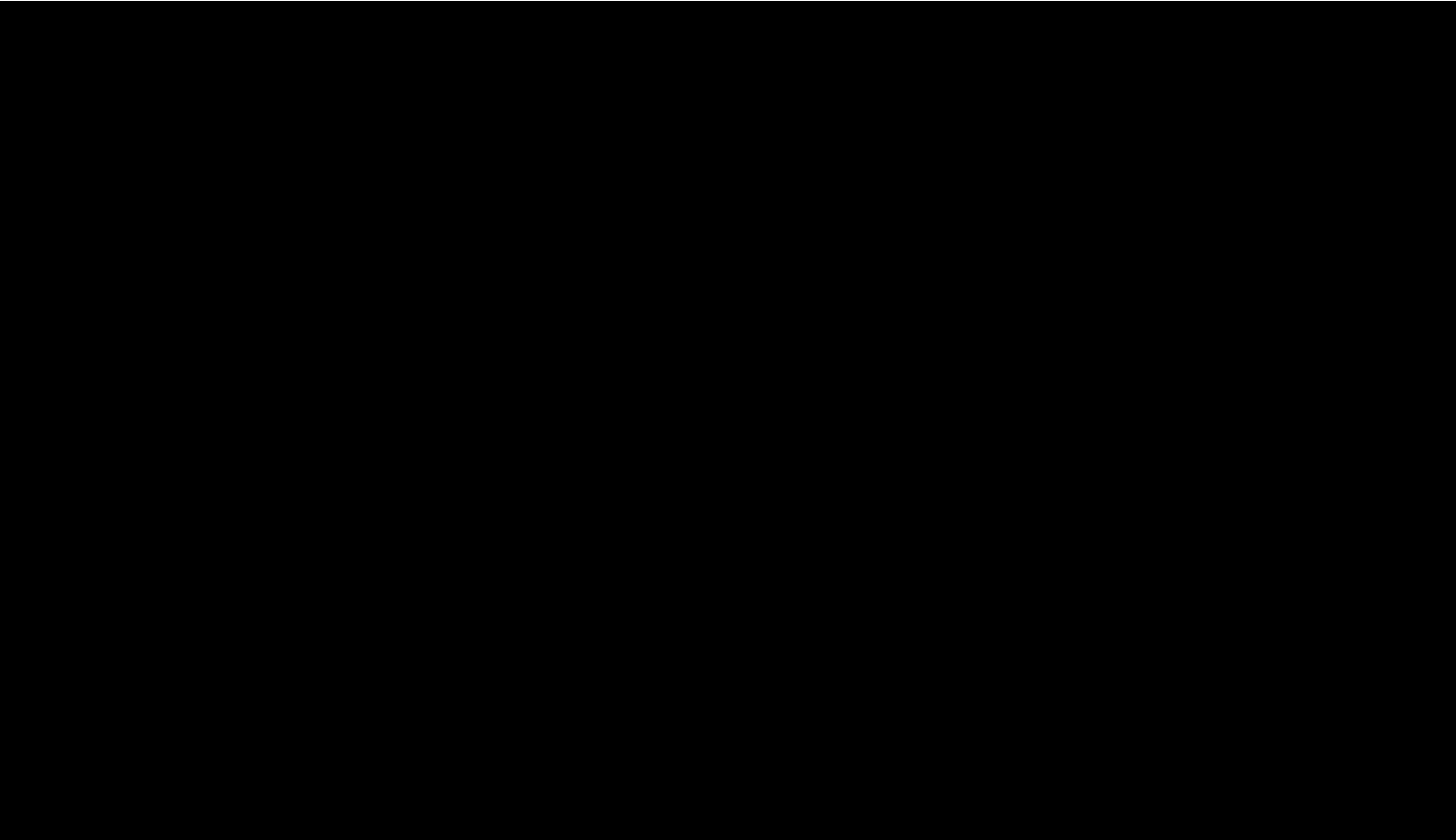
From: Collins, Adam
Sent: Saturday, December 5, 2015 9:39:04 AM
To: Rountree, Janey; Quinn, Kelley; Ewing, Clothilde; Faulman, Mike
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Subject: Re: Precious blood today

Thanks much


From: Rountree, Janey
Sent: Saturday, December 5, 2015 9:38 AM
To: Collins, Adam; Quinn, Kelley; Ewing, Clothilde; Faulman, Mike
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Sent: Saturday, December 5, 2015 9:19:44 AM
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I'm adding this as a message frame for his two audiences today. Please let me know if you have any concerns or edits. Sending to him in 15. Thanks



From: Rountree, Janey
Sent: Saturday, December 5, 2015 8:34 AM
To: Quinn, Kelley; Ewing, Clothilde
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From: Quinn, Kelley
Sent: Saturday, December 5, 2015 8:02 AM
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Cc: Collins, Adam; Spielfogel, David; Mitchell, Eileen; Rendina, Michael; Rountree, Janey; Patton, Stephen
Subject: Re: Weekend Q&A - Please review

Adam can you make sure Grant gets a copy, please?

On Dec 5, 2015, at 7:55 AM, Ewing, Clothilde <Clothilde.Ewing@cityofchicago.org> wrote:

Looks good

Sent from my BlackBerry 10 smartphone on the Verizon Wireless 4G LTE network.

From: Collins, Adam

Sent: Saturday, December 5, 2015 7:36 AM

To: Spielfogel, David; Mitchell, Eileen; Ewing, Clothilde; Rendina, Michael; Rountree, Janey; Patton, Stephen; Quinn, Kelley

Subject: RE: Weekend Q&A - Please review

Cool. Thanks. Will do

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From: "Spielfogel, David" <David.Spielfogel@cityofchicago.org>

Date: 12/05/2015 7:26 AM (GMT-06:00)

To: "Collins, Adam" <Adam.Collins@cityofchicago.org>, "Mitchell, Eileen"

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From: Roussell
Sent: Saturday, December 05, 2015 10:46 AM
To: Lewin; Jonathan H.; Guglielmi; Anthony
Subject: Re: McDonald In car video

Good!

From: Lewin, Jonathan H.
Sent: Saturday, December 05, 2015 10:23 AM
To: Guglielmi, Anthony
Cc: Roussell, James M.
Subject: RE: McDonald In car video

Looks like AP agrees with us:

<http://www.nbcchicago.com/news/local/Heard-Audio-of-Laquan-McDonald-Shooting-You-May-Have-Been-Fooled-360559161.html>

Heard audio of Chicago shooting? You may have been fooled

MICHAEL TARM and HANNAH CUSHMAN Associated Press

Hours after the city of Chicago released audio-free dashcam video of a white officer shooting a black teen 16 times, a 35-second excerpt with sound appeared online.

Viewers could see and supposedly hear Officer [Jason Van Dyke](#) firing nine rapid shots at [Laquan McDonald](#), pausing for nearly 10 seconds, then firing seven more as McDonald lay on the ground.

This video, which garnered nearly half a million views on social media, added further fuel to already simmering suspicions that police were covering something up, given Van Dyke was charged with first-degree murder on Nov. 24 — more than a year after the shooting.

But experts, city police and an Associated Press analysis concluded the video is bogus.

Ed Primeau, a Michigan-based audio and video forensics expert with 32 years in the field, examined it at his lab and concluded: "It's fake. Hands down."

Here are some reasons why he and others are convinced the audio is doctored:

GUN SHOTS

The gunfire sounds seem to match up with parts of the video, including with dust or dirt puffing into the air as bullets strike McDonald or the ground. But the shots sound more like synthesized drums than the rippling crack of the 9mm gun that, according to the charges against him, Van Dyke used.

The shots also don't sound as they should if recorded by dashcam-system microphones, Primeau said, because they don't reverberate or vary in frequency as they should. It's likely, he said, that the same sound was used for all the shots in the video. "The frequency decay of the gunshot, timbre or sound of the gunshot, as well as duration of the sound are almost identical," he said.

VOICES

The sound of officers speaking over their radios is also suspect, Primeau argued, citing sections where exactly the same words and sounds are duplicated and dubbed in. If a microphone picked up the sound of shots, he said, you'd expect it to also capture the voices of officers shouting at McDonald or each other.

At places in the video, officers also appear to move their mouths but there's no corresponding sound on the suspect video, said Primeau, who also serves on the executive committee of the American Board of Recorded Evidence.

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Chicago Police Department spokesman Anthony Guglielmi said its in-house experts also determined the audio is not authentic. The "garbled talking in the background apparently does not match this incident," he said in a statement. And, he said, "this type of recording would not be possible from the in-car camera system" that Chicago police use.

To make clear that police bias didn't influence that finding, Guglielmi has said the department would send the questionable audio-video clip "to an independent third-party to validate the findings of our forensic team."

WHO POSTED THE VIDEO?

That's not at all clear. The original source used the handle "Daily News Hub" to post it on YouTube — a handle that had posted no prior videos and that linked to a Twitter profile with only one tweet from June 2014. The owner of the accounts did not respond to requests for comment.

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From: Escalante, John J.
Sent: Thursday, November 26, 2015 1:40 PM
To: Lewin, Jonathan H.
Subject: Re: McDonald In car video

10-4. Thanks

John J. Escalante

Sent from my Verizon 4G LTE Tablet

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From: Lewin, Jonathan H.
Date: Thu, Nov 26, 2015 1:36 PM
To: Escalante, John J.;
Cc: CPIC;Guglielmi, Anthony;Andrews, Constanti G.;Betz, David C.;Caluris, Steven M.;#Superintendent;Georgas, Steve E.;Gulliford, Wayne M.;Panepinto, Leo;Ricchio, Anthony J.;Roussell, James M.;Sedevic, Mark T.;Tracy, Robert;Welch Iii, Eddie L.;Williams, Eugene E.;Lewin, Jonathan H.;
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We agree. As a commenter on YouTube pointed out, the siren and police radio track sounds like a monaural recording while the gunshots sound like a stereo recording (and possibly recorded at a different quality than the siren and police radio track), which would not be possible from the in-car camera system. Garbled talking in the background apparently does not match this incident. One of

our reviewers believes that portions of the audio may have been recorded from the Grand Theft Auto video game, but this is not confirmed.

There is no way to establish chain-of-custody for this YouTube posting. We conclude that this is not an authentic audio recording.

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On Nov 26, 2015, at 2:27 PM, Escalante, John J. <John.Escalante@chicagopolice.org> wrote:

I have listened to the audio and it does not sound like CPD zone radIo communications. I have added Deputy Chief Lewin to the email for further discussion and review tommorow or when necessary.

John J. Escalante

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From: CPIC

Date: Thu, Nov 26, 2015 1:04 PM

To: Guglielmi, Anthony; Andrews, Constanti G.; Betz, David C.; Caluris, Steven M.; Escalante, John J.; #Superintendent; Georgas, Steve E.; Gulliford, Wayne M.; Panepinto, Leo; Riccio, Anthony J.; Roussell, James M.; Sedevic, Mark T.; Tracy, Robert; Welch Iii, Eddie L.; Williams, Eugene E.;

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The below link of the McDonald shooting was posted on youtube with the caveat that it contained audio from the incident. It has been confirmed per PO Henderson of the In-Car Camera Team that the original video NEVER contained audio. The below version posted on youtube contains audio that is not from the original incident.

<https://twitter.com/anoncopwatch/status/669735197370245121>

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=h9C03sQckJk&feature=youtu.be>

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From: Guglielmi, Anthony <Anthony.Guglielmi@chicagopolice.org>
Sent: Saturday, December 05, 2015 10:53 AM
To: Collins, Adam;Rountree, Janey;McCaffrey, Bill;Quinn, Kelley;Patton, Stephen;Spielfogel, David;Mitchell, Eileen;Ewing, Clothilde
Subject: RE: Tribune -Urgent

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So everyone is on the same page, I cleaned everything up in one email so people are getting the reports, statement and background all at once.

File sizes are too big so I uploaded to google and they can be retrieved via this link

<https://drive.google.com/1>

CHICAGO POLICE DEPARTMENT STATEMENT

By City law, the Independent Police Review Authority conducts all investigations of the conduct Chicago police officers when they are involved in an officer-involved shooting. That is not handled internally at CPD. IPRA's administrative investigations to determine whether officers should be disciplined are always suspended pending criminal investigations so as not to interfere with those proceedings. CPD's case report and all videos were turned over to IPRA and state and federal prosecutors days after the shooting. The Justice Department is currently investigating any actions and statements of CPD officers in connection with this shooting. If the criminal investigation concludes that any officer participated in any wrongdoing, we will take swift action."

ON BACKGROUND

The Justice Department is currently reviewing the videos, including the Burger King video, and the statements made by CPD officers as part of their criminal investigation. Once they complete their investigation, IPRA will resume its administrative investigation to consider whether discipline, including termination, would be appropriate for any officers who responded to the incident or participated in preparing the case report. In the meantime, IPRA cannot interview the officers involved in this incident while the federal and state criminal matters are pending.

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Date: 12/05/2015 10:07 AM (GMT-06:00)

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Subject: Re: Tribune -Urgent

USA today also has this story up. Anthony, can you please reach out to Amer over there if you haven't connected already? Thanks

From: Collins, Adam

Sent: Saturday, December 5, 2015 6:00:26 AM

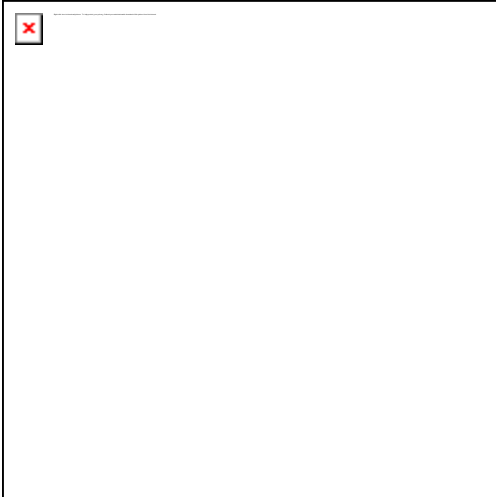
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Here is the updated Tribune story. Anthony, I think you should push back pretty hard that they need to update this for the final print edition tomorrow. If you read it, they make no mention of IPRA. As a result, to a casual reader it would appear that CPD is just doing an internal investigation of itself, which is not the case. Also, they barely use our statement. Only in a paraphrase at the end.

Laquan McDonald police reports differ dramatically from video

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Newly released police reports in Laquan McDonald shooting include accounts different from video

Hundreds of pages of newly released Chicago police reports from the fatal shooting of Laquan McDonald are most striking for one simple reason: They are dramatically at odds with the dash-cam video that has sparked protests across the city, cost the city's top cop his job, and embroiled Mayor Rahm Emanuel in scandal.

The reports, released by the city late Friday, show that Officer Jason Van Dyke and at least five other officers claim that the 17-year-old McDonald moved or turned threateningly toward officers, even though the video of the October 2014 shooting shows McDonald walking away, and the scenario sketched out by Cook County State's Attorney [Anita Alvarez](#) in charging Van Dyke with murder contends he was walking away as well.

At least one patrol officer said that McDonald was advancing on the officers in a menacing way and swung his knife at them in an "aggressive, exaggerated manner" before he was shot and killed. Officers claimed, too, that even after McDonald had been shot by Van Dyke, the teen tried to lift himself off the ground with the knife pointed toward the officers, and though he had been mortally wounded, still presented a threat.

The reports, a collection of handwritten statements from the night of the shooting, and follow-up reports in the days and months after, often refer to Van Dyke as VD and call him the victim. McDonald is O, for offender. Some are in police shorthand.

"VD believed O was attacking w/knife," said a report of Van Dyke's account. "Trying to kill VD. In defense of his life, VD backpedaled + fired. O fell to ground, continued to move/grasp knife. VD continued firing. O appeared to be attempting to get up, still holding knife. Pointing at VD."

The statements prompted police supervisors to rule McDonald's death a justifiable homicide just hours after he had been shot 16 times on South Pulaski Road and 41st Street.

With the video of the shooting as a backdrop, the reports — the first detailed accounts from the officers at the scene — offer a way to examine what Van Dyke and his colleagues say happened. Because they diverge so dramatically from the video, they suggest one possible avenue for additional investigation.

That video, which prompted the city to pay McDonald's family \$5 million without it filing a wrongful death lawsuit, shows McDonald briskly walking down the middle of the street when Van Dyke fired from the teen's left side. In charging Van Dyke with first-degree murder, prosecutors said the officer opened fire six seconds after exiting his squad car, firing 16 rounds at McDonald in about 14 seconds as the teen was walking away, and was reloading when another officer told him to hold his fire. For 13 of those seconds, McDonald was already lying on the street, prosecutors said.

The video did not show McDonald lunging toward officers as some of them claimed, although there appears to be a silver object in McDonald's right hand. The autopsy on McDonald found that he had the drug PCP in his system.

The reports hint at how Van Dyke may try to defend his actions and explain a perceived threat. A day after the shooting, Van Dyke recalled a bulletin from the department that warned about knives that also shoot bullets. Included in the reports is a December 2012 bulletin about the knife, attributed to an unnamed "Midwest intelligence organization" that warned officers to "remain cognizant of its threat to personal safety."

Van Dyke also told an investigator that he was aware of the dangers of spring-loaded knives and was familiar with the so-called 21-foot-rule that suggests a suspect armed with an edged weapon can injure an officer from that distance.

Federal officials also are investigating the shooting. A federal grand jury investigation has involved more than 80 witnesses and branched into possible obstruction of justice by the

officers at the scene, sources told the Tribune. In particular, the sources said, federal prosecutors are investigating the officers who made statements as well as the officers who prepared the reports of the statements.

Records show that a federal grand jury subpoenaed the Chicago Police Department for these same reports on Aug. 28.

Bringing charges against the officers for their statements could be difficult, however. Under federal case law, statements the officers were compelled to make as part of the police department's internal investigation cannot be used against them in any criminal prosecution.

The reports state investigators viewed the video and found them consistent with officers' accounts. The reports also note the 911 call after the shooting and radio transmissions from the scene "were consistent with the statements of the police officers."

The city has released information — including the video — in dribs and drabs, prolonging the scandal around McDonald's shooting. It was only after the video's release, in fact, that Emanuel fired Police Superintendent Garry McCarthy, saying McCarthy had lost the public trust.

That shooting unfolded as Van Dyke and his partner responded to a radio call of a man who had popped a tire with a knife. It was 50 degrees outside on a clear night, and the busy commercial street was well-lit, according to the reports. As the partner, Joseph Walsh, drove their Chevrolet Tahoe police SUV west on 40th Street, they saw McDonald running through a Burger King parking lot, "knife in hand."

Van Dyke, according to the report, exited his vehicle and drew his handgun, then stood in the street, facing north, as McDonald came toward him with a knife in his hand. McDonald, the report states, was swinging the knife wildly.

"McDonald was holding the knife in his right hand, in an underhand grip, with the blade pointed forward," the report states. "He was swinging the knife in an aggressive, exaggerated manner."

According to Van Dyke's account, he repeatedly ordered McDonald to drop the knife, which he failed to do. McDonald advanced, Van Dyke said.

"When McDonald got within 10 to 15 feet of Officer Van Dyke, McDonald looked toward Van Dyke," the report states. "McDonald raised the knife across his chest and over shoulder, pointing the knife at Van Dyke."

Van Dyke then shot McDonald until his clip was empty. No other officers fired their guns.

While some officers on the scene said in the reports that they did not see Van Dyke shoot McDonald, at least five corroborated Van Dyke's account. Walsh, for instance, said that McDonald was advancing toward him and Van Dyke, swinging the knife combatively.

Walsh said in his account that he also drew his handgun, then came around the rear of the SUV to join Van Dyke.

Walsh said he repeatedly ordered McDonald to "drop the knife" as he approached the officers.

The report says that Walsh was backing up as McDonald drew closer, swinging his knife at police officers — action that did not occur, according to the video the Emanuel administration made available after a judge ordered that it could no longer be kept from the public.

"Officer Walsh also backed up, attempting to maintain a safe distance between himself and McDonald," the reports state. "McDonald ignored the verbal direction given by both Walsh and Officer Van Dyke, and continued to advance toward the officers. When McDonald got within 12 to 15 feet of the officers, he swung the knife toward the officers in an aggressive manner."

Van Dyke opened fire and continued to shoot: "Van Dyke continued firing his weapon at McDonald continued moving on the ground, attempting to get up, while still armed with the knife."

Walsh, according to the reports, did not shoot because Van Dyke was in his line of fire. But he was certain McDonald posed a threat to the officers.

"Officer Walsh said he believed McDonald was attacking Walsh and Officer Van Dyke with the knife and attempting to kill them when the shots were fired," the reports state.

The reports say that when McDonald stopped moving, Walsh kicked the knife away.

"Threat eliminated," the report states.

Then Walsh said he told McDonald that an ambulance was on its way. He also offered some encouragement. "Hang in there," he said.

There was no discernible audio released with the dash-cam videos, however, that would corroborate what officers said at the scene.

As is the case with all police shootings, supervisors and union officials came to the scene. Just hours later, the reports suggest the direction the investigation was headed when the department made a preliminary finding that Van Dyke was justified in shooting McDonald.

One report states that three officers were "battered" by McDonald. Another lists Van Dyke as having been injured.

"Based upon information available at the time of this report it is the preliminary determination of the undersigned that Officer Van Dyke fired his weapon in compliance with Department policy. Officer Van Dyke fired his weapon in fear of his life when the offender while armed with a knife continued to approach and refused all verbal direction," Deputy Chief David McNaughton wrote in a report.

McNaughton, the incident commander on the night of the shooting, declined to comment Friday on why he cleared Van Dyke so quickly.

In December 2014, the department officially recorded the shooting as a justifiable homicide.

"McDonald committed aggravated assault against the three officers, finally forcing Officer Van Dyke, in defense of his life, to shoot and kill McDonald," according to a report of that determination.

Again and again in reports, Van Dyke's account is supported by the other officers at the scene, each one describing the teen as a threat to the veteran cop. Four officers claimed that McDonald advanced toward Van Dyke, even though the video shows him walking away. Two others said he turned or raised an arm toward him.

"She heard the officers repeatedly ordering McDonald to 'drop the knife!' as McDonald got closer and closer to the officers, continuing to wave knife," according to an account attributed to Officer Janet Mondragon.

"McDonald ignored the verbal direction and instead, raised his right arm toward Officer Van Dyke, as if attacking Van Dyke," Officer Dora Fontaine told an investigator. "At this time, Van Dyke fired multiple shots from his handgun, until McDonald fell to ground and stopped moving his right arm and hand, which still grasped the knife."

"McDonald ignored the verbal directions and continued to advance on the officers, waving knife," Officer Daphne Sebastian said.

Attempts by the Tribune to reach Van Dyke, Walsh and the other officers on the scene of McDonald's shooting were unsuccessful.

A Police Department statement late Friday night noted the federal investigation but did not speak directly to the details in the reports. The department confirmed, however, that the other officers on the scene have not been disciplined for their roles or put on desk duty. The Cook County state's attorney's office did not respond to requests for comment.

Dean Angelo Sr., the president of the police union, said it is a mistake to rely solely on the dash-cam videotape for what happened.

"The video does not show what the officers on the scene were able to see," Angelo said. "You seem to think that everyone there had the exact view of the dash cam, and that isn't the case."

How police viewed the shooting, though, was clear. In the report that closed the investigation, filed in March, a detective offered this terse assessment.

"Criminal attacked officer," the report says, "that officer killed criminal."

This story was reported and written by Tribune reporters Steve Mills, Jeremy Gorner, Todd Lighty, Annie Sweeney, Stacy St. Clair and Jason Meisner.

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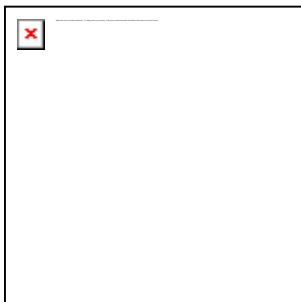
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Laquan McDonald police reports differ dramatically from video

Hundreds of pages of newly released [Chicago police](#) reports from the fatal shooting of [Laquan McDonald](#) are striking for one, simple thing: They are dramatically at odds with the dash-cam videotape that has sparked protests across Chicago, cost the city's top cop his job and embroiled Mayor [Rahm Emanuel](#) in scandal.



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The reports, released by the city late Friday, show that at least five officers, as well as Officer **Jason Van Dyke**, said that the 17-year-old McDonald moved toward officers, even though the videotape of the October 2014 shooting showed McDonald walking away.

At least one said he was advancing on the officers in a menacing way and swung his knife at them in an "aggressive, exaggerated manner" before he was shot and killed. Officers claimed, too, that even after McDonald had been shot repeatedly by Van Dyke, he tried to lift himself off the ground with the knife pointed toward the officers, suggesting that, though he had been mortally wounded, he presented a threat.

The reports are written in police shorthand, and refer to Van Dyke as VD – and call him a victim. McDonald is O, for the offender.

"VD believed O was attacking w/knife," said a report of Van Dyke's account. "Trying to kill VD. In defense of his life, VD backpedaled + fired. O fell to ground, continued to move/grasp knife. VD continued firing. O appeared to be attempting to get up. Still holding knife. Pointing at VD."

The statements, many of them handwritten, prompted police supervisors to rule McDonald's death a justifiable homicide just hours after he had been shot 16 times on South Pulaski Road and 41st Street, and then to close the case entirely on Dec. 20, two months later.

The reports also suggest a possible defense: a December 2012 bulletin from the department about a knife that shoots bullets. The threat was attributed to an unnamed "Midwest intelligence organization" and warned officers to "remain cognizant of its threat to personal safety."

In a second statement to officials, Van Dyke even mentioned the bulletin.

With the videotape of the shooting as a backdrop, the reports – the first detailed accounts from the officers at the scene -- offer a way to examine what Van Dyke and his colleagues reported. Because they diverge so dramatically from the video, they suggest a possible avenue for prosecution.

Van Dyke has been charged with murder by Cook County prosecutors, while federal officials also are investigating the shooting. A federal grand jury investigation has involved

more than 80 witnesses and branched into possible obstruction of justice by the officers at the scene, sources told the Tribune.

Bringing charges against the officers for their statement could be difficult, however. Under federal case law, statements the officers were compelled to make as part of the police department's internal investigation cannot be used against them in any criminal prosecution.

The shooting unfolded as Van Dyke and his partner were responding to a radio call of a man with a knife who had popped a tire. As the partner drove their police SUV west on 40th Street, they saw McDonald running through a Burger King parking lot, "knife in hand."

"VD exited veh.," the report of Van Dyke's account states. "Drew handgun."

Van Dyke, according to the report, then stood in the street, facing north, as McDonald came toward him with a knife in his hand.

McDonald, the report states, was swinging the knife wildly.

"Knife in r hand, underhand grip. Blade forward. Swinging knife in aggressive, exaggerated manner," the report states.

According to Van Dyke's account, he repeatedly ordered McDonald to drop the knife, which he failed to do. McDonald advanced.

"When O within 10-15 ft. looked at VD raised knife across chest, over shoulder. Pointed a knife at VD."

Van Dyke then shot McDonald.

While some officers on the scene said in the reports that they did not see Van Dyke shoot McDonald, at least five corroborated Van Dyke's account. Van Dyke's partner, Joseph Walsh, said McDonald was advancing toward him and Van Dyke, swinging the knife aggressively.

Walsh said in his account that he also drew his handgun, then came around the rear of the Chevrolet Tahoe SUV to join Van Dyke.

Walsh said he repeatedly ordered McDonald to drop the knife.

"As O approached S/B, Walsh = 'Drop the knife!' multiple times."

The report says that Walsh was backing up as McDonald drew closer, swinging his knife at police officers – action that did not occur, according to the videotape the Emanuel administration made available after a judge ruled that it could no longer be kept from the public.

"Walsh backed up, attempting to maintain safe distance. O ignored directions. Continued to advance. At 12 -15 feet O swung knife at POs in aggressive manner."

Van Dyke then opened fire and continued to shoot: "VD continued firing as O continued moving. Attempting get up. Still armed w/knife."

The account says that when McDonald stopped moving, Walsh kicked the knife away, called an ambulance and told McDonald to "Hang in there."

The police department noted in a statement that it's the responsibility of the Independent Police Review Authority to investigate police-involved shootings and said the [U.S. Justice Department](#)'s criminal investigation includes a review of the videos as well as the statements made by officers in addition to Van Dyke.

Dean Angelo, president of Lodge 7 of the Fraternal Order of Police, said in a text message to the Tribune that he did not want to comment about an ongoing investigation.

The Cook County state's attorney's office was unavailable for comment.

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Here's a clean version. Move at 915pm unless I hear otherwise

“By City law, the Independent Police Authority conducts all investigations of the conduct Chicago police officers when they are involved in an officer-involved shooting. That is not handled internally at CPD. IPRA’s administrative investigations to determine whether officers should be disciplined are always suspended pending criminal investigations so as not to interfere with those proceedings. CPD’s case report and all videos were turned over to IPRA and state and federal prosecutors days after the shooting. The Justice Department is currently investigating any actions and statements of CPD officers in connection with this shooting. If the criminal investigation concludes that any officer participated in any wrongdoing, we will take swift action.”

On background: The Justice Department is currently reviewing the videos, including the Burger King video, and the statements made by CPD officers as part of their criminal investigation. Once they complete their investigation, IPRA will resume its administrative investigation to consider whether discipline, including termination, would be appropriate for any officers who responded to the incident or participated in preparing the case report. In the meantime, IPRA cannot interview the officers involved in this incident while the federal and state criminal matters are pending.

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Apparently we have until 9:15 to get this to the Trib. I made some edits below. Nothing major though. Thoughts?

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Sent: Friday, December 04, 2015 8:44 PM

To: Collins, Adam; McCaffrey, Bill; Guglielmi, Anthony (Anthony.Guglielmi@chicagopolice.org); Quinn, Kelley; Patton, Stephen; Spielfogel, David; Mitchell, Eileen; Ewing, Clothilde

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Agree this should be a CPD response and not DOL. This is what I circulated earlier in anticipation of getting these questions but someone in comms needs to clean up:

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Please see statement

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Adding Janey

From: McCaffrey, Bill
Sent: Friday, December 4, 2015 8:26 PM
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These questions are not for Law to answer.

I also am not sure of any comment that would need to be made.

From: Lighty, Todd [<mailto:tlighty@chicagotribune.com>]
Sent: Friday, December 04, 2015 8:21 PM
To: McCaffrey, Bill
Cc: Lighty, Todd
Subject: Questions

Bill,

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I am on a very tight deadline.

Thanks,

Todd Lighty

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Subject: Re: Op-ed E-mail

Looks fine by me. Thanks

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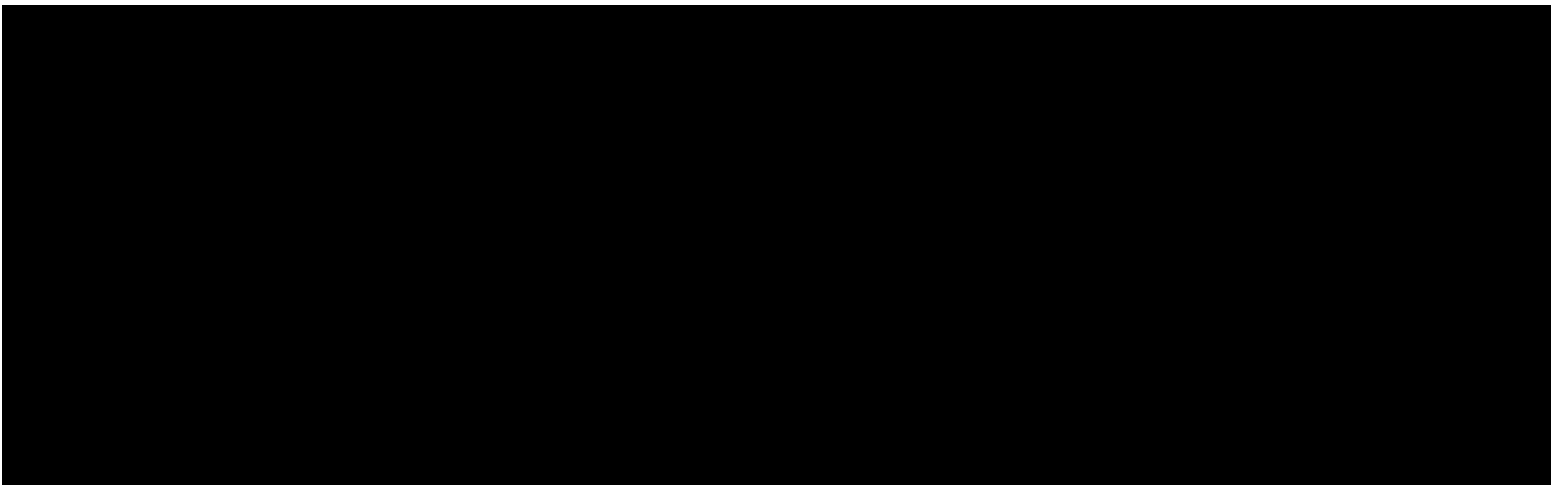
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I will not be able to review this until 3 or so.

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SUN TIMES // Mayor Rahm Emanuel // December 4, 2015

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The videotape was handled in precisely the same way such tapes and evidence have been historically.

Longstanding practice has been to release such material only after prosecutors and city investigators have finished their investigation. The reason for that was to prevent potential witnesses from tailoring their stories to fit the evidence.

Some say I should have ordered a departure from standard procedure and released the tape before the prosecutors had acted. Had I seen the video, I might have done that.

But I don't review evidence precisely because my own emotions should not interfere with criminal investigations.

The release of this type of evidence is one of many issues we need to rethink moving forward. How do we balance concerns against prematurely releasing evidence and jeopardizing prosecutions with the community's

right to see such material in a timely way? How do we promote accountability and transparency without sacrificing one for the other?

In this case, the city followed its standard policy.

Within nine days of that shooting the city collected all evidence in the case, including the dash-cam video, and turned it over to prosecutors. No one could have predicted that it would take more than a year to finish the probe. It was just as likely that charges would be filed during the campaign, in which case the video would have become public before the election.

At the end of the day, I am the mayor and I own it. I take responsibility for what happened and I will fix it. Nothing less than complete and total reform of the system and the culture will meet the standards we have to set for ourselves.

I know the history of police-community relations in Chicago. I am the mayor who agreed to provide reparations and bring important closure to the victims of Jon Burge and police torture in Chicago. I am the mayor who has committed to restoring community policing, because the only way to fight crime effectively is to build trust between officers and the residents they serve. I am the mayor who instituted body cameras for police, to reduce incidents of police misconduct as well as unfounded complaints.

So I should have known that in the light of the checkered history of misconduct in the Chicago Police Department, that the long delay in releasing the videotape could raise concerns and suspicions across our city. Our goal was to protect the integrity of the investigation. But instead of establishing trust, the prolonged period between when the shooting occurred and when charges were filed created mistrust.

We need to fix that and restore the trust that was lost.

Some have alleged that our settlement with Laquan's family was part of a cover-up. But nothing could be further from the truth. It was the lawyers for Laquan's family who approached the city on Feb. 27 and expressed a desire to settle the case quickly and without a lawsuit. The city's lawyers began discussions with the plaintiff's attorney shortly thereafter and came to an agreement in principle on March 24.

As part of that agreement lawyers for the family and the city sought to present the settlement for approval at the next City Council meeting, which was on April 15. The first possible opportunity to present the agreement to the Council's Finance Committee was on April 13. At that meeting, our Corporation Counsel, Steve Patton, explained why a settlement was in the city's best interest. Among the main reasons was the police dash-cam videotape, which he described in detail.

If there is any good to come out of this horrific incident, it has caused us to re-examine how we handle cases of police misconduct and excessive force in Chicago. And I'm committed to making the changes our city desperately needs.

If any good comes from this tragedy, it should be a historic set of reforms that prevents abuses, promotes transparency and rebuilds the confidence of all Chicagoans that they will be treated fairly. That is the marker I am setting for myself, the next police superintendent and the reform commission I've appointed. And it's one by which I expect to be measured.

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From: Ewing, Clothilde
Sent: Saturday, December 05, 2015 2:17 PM
To: Silver, Steven
Subject: Re: Op-ed E-mail

Perfect, thanks

Sent from my BlackBerry 10 smartphone on the Verizon Wireless 4G LTE network.

From: Silver, Steven
Sent: Saturday, December 5, 2015 2:15 PM
To: Ewing, Clothilde
Subject: Re: Op-ed E-mail

Yes. Sent at 1220

From: Ewing, Clothilde
Sent: Saturday, December 5, 2015 2:11:41 PM
To: Silver, Steven; Mitchell, Eileen; Bennett, Kenneth; Spielfogel, David; Rendina, Michael; Quinn, Kelley; Collins, Adam
Subject: Re: Op-ed E-mail

Did a new version go around?

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From: Ewing, Clothilde
Sent: Saturday, December 5, 2015 11:54 AM
To: Silver, Steven; Mitchell, Eileen; Bennett, Kenneth; Spielfogel, David; Rendina, Michael; Quinn, Kelley; Collins, Adam
Subject: Re: Op-ed E-mail

Sent from my BlackBerry 10 smartphone on the Verizon Wireless 4G LTE network.

From: Silver, Steven
Sent: Saturday, December 5, 2015 11:26 AM
To: Mitchell, Eileen; Ewing, Clothilde; Bennett, Kenneth; Spielfogel, David; Rendina, Michael; Quinn, Kelley; Collins, Adam
Subject: Op-ed E-mail

Here is a draft for a note you can send to both the Cabinet and Community lists with the op-ed. Let me know if this works or if you need any changes.

DRAFT

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[REDACTED]

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From: Fields, Samantha
Sent: Saturday, December 05, 2015 2:19 PM
To: [REDACTED]
Subject: Fw: (NEWS) ESQUIRE: Chicago Mayor Rahm Emanuel Is Throwing Anyone Within Arm's Reach Under the Bus

Sent from my BlackBerry 10 smartphone on the Verizon Wireless 4G LTE network.

From: NewsClips <NewsClips@cityofchicago.org>
Sent: Thursday, December 3, 2015 4:11 PM
Subject: (NEWS) ESQUIRE: Chicago Mayor Rahm Emanuel Is Throwing Anyone Within Arm's Reach Under the Bus

[Chicago Mayor Rahm Emanuel Is Throwing Anyone Within Arm's Reach Under the Bus](#)

ESQUIRE // Charles Pierce // December 3, 2015

Over the past two decades or so, I've decided that there is no more inexcusable a figure in our national politics than Rahm Emanuel, who is, for the moment, the mayor of Chicago, but also someone who, throughout his entire career, has made it quite clear that he believes political power derives from being as much of a dick as possible to the people who ostensibly are on your side. He is angry and profane, but he also remains utterly graceless and completely without charm. He alienated enough people while he was working for Bill Clinton that his tenure in the White House was shorter than it would have been otherwise. In 2006, when Howard Dean's 50-state strategy delivered the Democratic Party a whopping victory in the midterm elections, he climbed over the people who did the real work to claim credit for the landslide. (And he succeeded: he is what passes in the political elite for a "tough guy" because he says "fuck" a lot. Google "Rahm Emanuel 2006" sometime.)

He was insufferable as a member of the House of Representatives, where the standards are designed by the Constitution to be pretty damned high. His hiring as White House chief-of-staff was probably the worst personnel mistake the Obama Administration made in its early days. As mayor of Chicago, he's managed to be so horrible to the city's public school teachers that a couple of them went on hunger strike. He got re-elected because he strategically has not been a dick to anyone who would contribute a fat check to his campaigns. Now, though, he has his ass in a crack because the Chicago Police Department is running amok (again), and it looks like Emanuel put his re-election prospects ahead of telling the parents of Laquan McDonald how their son came to get shot 16 times by a Chicago patrolman.

John Kass, who is not exactly a flaming liberal, speculated today that Emanuel tacitly allowed the burial of the recently-released video of McDonald's killing because it would have hurt him in what was a close re-election fight against Chuy Garcia. Kass points out that, having already tossed police superintendent Garry McCarthy over the side, Emanuel (and his friends) may be edging Cook County State's Attorney Anita Alvarez closer to the rail.

Rahm seems to be throwing her under his bus, but he doesn't want his fingerprints on her. So his ally, David Axelrod, threw her under. Axelrod is a Rahm pal, but for years he was also the mouthpiece for former Mayor Richard Daley, and was the top political and media strategist for Obama. It's a Chicago thing. "Why did it take a year to indict a CPD officer who shot a kid 16 times?" Axelrod tweeted Tuesday night. "Would it have happened today if judge hadn't ordered video release?" That puts it on Alvarez. Does she deserve it? I don't think so. To me, she's not the issue. The video threatened Rahm Emanuel and his pursuit of power. Alvarez

told reporters she'd been waiting for the feds to issue a joint announcement with her office. That didn't happen. Funny how things work out.

A mark, that will surely leave.

In addition, Garcia, a Cook County Commissioner who forced the incumbent into a run-off only to get money-whipped in the last mayoral election, is all over Emanuel. Police violence was one of Garcia's key issues in the campaign, and he has his teeth into this story all the way back to his molars.

"The mayor has been involved in an effort to conceal information regarding this incident, this tragedy, miscarriage of justice," Garcia said in an interview on CNN. "It was obvious that the video would have had profound impact had it been released when it occurred. and the mayor has taken great steps to ensure that it's concealed." Garcia went on to say that the city's quick settlement with Laquan McDonald's family is another indication that Emanuel was trying to hide something. Garcia also says releasing the video would have had a significant impact on the runoff election between himself and the mayor.

If you ignore the fact that a slaughtered teenager is at the heart of these recent events in Chicago, there's a delicious irony in that Emanuel is now being pilloried by many of the same forces that he has mocked and insulted his entire career, despite the fact that they are vital to the electoral success of the party to which Emanuel allegedly belongs. Right now, there are calls for him to resign, which he has said he will not do. He's appointed a task force, but he doesn't want the Department of Justice to come in and try to investigate the serious endemic problems in the CPD. He can talk a little more ragtime about "regaining trust." He can yell "Fuck!" at Lake Michigan if it makes him feel better, for all the good it will do him. This is a problem he can't swear his way out of. Going around, as they say, and coming around.

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From: Ewing, Clothilde
Sent: Sunday, December 06, 2015 6:42 AM
To: Mitchell, Eileen; Spielfogel, David; Quinn, Kelley; Collins, Adam; Rountree, Janey; Patton, Stephen; Rendina, Michael
Subject: Fw: (NEWS) WGN News at 6AM: Protests surrounding the Laquan McDonald case continue

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Helpful positioning from oped.

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From: NewsClips <NewsClips@cityofchicago.org>
Sent: Sunday, December 6, 2015 6:32 AM
Subject: (NEWS) WGN News at 6AM: Protests surrounding the Laquan McDonald case continue

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ANCHOR: More protests expected today stemming from the Laquan McDonald shooting.

PROTESTORS: What do we want? Justice!

ANCHOR: Small groups of protesters blocked entrances to two stores on Michigan Avenue yesterday. There have been daily demonstrations since the video of his shooting was released two weeks ago. The city is set to release to video of another police shooting: Ronald Johnson. Jesse Jackson says there is a culture of corruption and wants federal investigation.

JACKSON: We want police culture cleaned up, the withheld information should be condemned ... they should come in with subpoena powers.

ANCHOR: He is leading a march today at 2:00 p.m. A similar sentiment in Logan Square where a smaller group of demonstrators called on mayor Emanuel to resign, they believe he participated in a coverup in the case. They say it's not right police superintendent Garry McCarthy was let go but Mayor Emanuel still has his job. Mayor Emanuel by the way strongly denies accusations that he withheld videotapes because of his reelection. He says he is taking responsibility and explained that such evidence is never released before investigation is complete he added that has he seen the video he might have broken a protocol. Emanuel wrote at the end of the day, I am the mayor and I own it. I take responsibility for what happened and I will fix it. Nothing less than complete and total reform of the system and the culture will meet the standards we have to set for ourselves.

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From: Ewing, Clothilde
Sent: Sunday, December 06, 2015 6:43 AM
To: Collins, Adam
Subject: Re:

Thanks! Will be able to look around 730.

Sent from my BlackBerry 10 smartphone on the Verizon Wireless 4G LTE network.

From: Collins, Adam
Sent: Sunday, December 6, 2015 1:03 AM
To: Ewing, Clothilde
Subject: Re:

Here's a draft. Let me know if this is what you're thinking. I can circulate in the am

From: Ewing, Clothilde
Sent: Saturday, December 5, 2015 8:37 PM
To: Collins, Adam
Subject: Re:

No worries. Hope you are doing something fun!!! I just want to make sure I am not talking off of something outdated.

Sent from my BlackBerry 10 smartphone on the Verizon Wireless 4G LTE network.

From: Collins, Adam
Sent: Saturday, December 5, 2015 8:36 PM
To: Ewing, Clothilde
Subject: Re:

yes. But it'll be late.

From: Ewing, Clothilde
Sent: Saturday, December 5, 2015 8:34 PM
To: Collins, Adam
Subject:

Can you send over topline talkers both for LM and our policy tonight? I have a call tomorrow to walk a few people through.

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From: Ewing, Clothilde
Sent: Sunday, December 06, 2015 6:44 AM
To: Gutierrez, Carl
Cc: Spector, Stephen;Breymaier, Shannon;Collins, Adam;Quinn, Kelley
Subject: Re: Surrogate list

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Sent from my BlackBerry 10 smartphone on the Verizon Wireless 4G LTE network.

From: Gutierrez, Carl
Sent: Sunday, December 6, 2015 12:54 AM
To: Ewing, Clothilde
Cc: Spector, Stephen; Breymaier, Shannon; Collins, Adam; Quinn, Kelley
Subject: RE: Surrogate list

Below are some of the names the media has been reaching out to on the LM-related issues.

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From: Ewing, Clothilde
Sent: Saturday, December 05, 2015 10:15 PM
To: Gutierrez, Carl
Cc: Spector, Stephen
Subject: Re: Surrogate list

Thank you. Please send what you find to the following:
Spector, shannon, Adam, kelley and me. Would like spector to have no later than 10am.

Sent from my BlackBerry 10 smartphone on the Verizon Wireless 4G LTE network.

From: Gutierrez, Carl
Sent: Saturday, December 5, 2015 10:11 PM
To: Ewing, Clothilde
Subject: Re: Surrogate list

Hey. FYI. Working on this.

Sent from my iPhone

On Dec 5, 2015, at 8:57 PM, Ewing, Clothilde <Clothilde.Ewing@cityofchicago.org> wrote:

[Redacted]

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From: Green, Melissa
Sent: Saturday, December 5, 2015 6:42 PM
To: Ewing, Clothilde; Quinn, Kelley
Cc: Spector, Stephen; Breymaier, Shannon; Collins, Adam; Spielfogel, David; Rendina, Michael; Rapelyea, Sean; Rountree, Janey; Mitchell, Eileen; Gutierrez, Carl
Subject: Re: Surrogate list

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From: Ewing, Clothilde
Sent: Saturday, December 5, 2015 5:40 PM
To: Quinn, Kelley
Cc: Spector, Stephen; Breymaier, Shannon; Collins, Adam; Green, Melissa; Spielfogel, David; Rendina, Michael; Rapelyea, Sean; Rountree, Janey; Mitchell, Eileen; Gutierrez, Carl
Subject: Re: Surrogate list

Great, thanks. Adding Carl to this list.

Sent from my BlackBerry 10 smartphone on the Verizon Wireless 4G LTE network.

From: Quinn, Kelley
Sent: Saturday, December 5, 2015 5:37 PM
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Cc: Spector, Stephen; Breymaier, Shannon; Collins, Adam; Green, Melissa; Spielfogel, David; Rendina, Michael; Rapelyea, Sean; Rountree, Janey; Mitchell, Eileen
Subject: Re: Surrogate list

Yes I actually already emailed Carl during the call to have him start.

On Dec 5, 2015, at 3:35 PM, Ewing, Clothilde <Clothilde.Ewing@cityofchicago.org> wrote:

Let's use this as we build surrogates - both national and local. Spector is holding the list. If you have relationships or know who should play point, then please ID that person.

Janey, if you have suggestions of public safety officials or criminal justice experts who you think may be worth trying or who you know press will go to, then please send those names around.

Melissa, can you send your list that you sent before to this group.

Please send names by 9pm tonight if you can.

Spector, when the list is compiled, let's hop on the phone and talk through next steps. Also, this will be in addition to the list you are manning on folks that we know press will go to based on who they talked to over the last week? Kelley, can Carl help with that part?

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From: Collins, Adam
Sent: Sunday, December 06, 2015 7:51 AM
To: Klinzman, Grant; Spector, Stephen
Subject: Re: This am

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This is the format I was thinking.

"He (Mayor Emanuel) loves Chicago and I'm confident that he's going to do everything he can to get to the bottom of these issues and take whatever measures are necessary to remedy them." – Former Secretary of State Hillary Clinton, December 4, 2015

<http://www.bloomberg.com/politics/articles/2015-12-05/clinton-voices-confidence-in-rahm-emanuel-as-chicago-mayor>

"I can tell you that what we did see from Mayor Emanuel in the news conference that he held yesterday was a personal commitment to following through on reforms that he believes are needed within the Chicago Police Department. The Mayor also acknowledged that those reforms are not the kinds of reforms that can be implemented overnight, can't be implemented with the flip of a switch, but rather will require the sustained commitment to implementing those reforms by the leadership of that city over the long term. And Mayor Emanuel offered up his own personal commitment to follow through on implementing those reforms." – White House Press Secretary Josh Earnest, December 2, 2015

<https://www.whitehouse.gov/the-press-office/2015/12/03/press-briefing-press-secretary-josh-earnest-12215>

"There are people who have called for Rahm Emanuel's resignation, but a lot of those people supported ... Garcia in the last election. The idea that people who weren't previously supportive of Rahm Emanuel would suddenly be supportive now fails the test of logic." – Alderman Will Burns, December 2, 2015

<http://www.cnn.com/2015/12/02/politics/rahm-emanuel-laquan-mcdonald-resignation/>

From: Collins, Adam
Sent: Sunday, December 6, 2015 7:32 AM
To: Klinzman, Grant; Spector, Stephen
Subject: This am

Hey guys-

Would either of you have some time this morning to help me compile a list of supportive quotes on police issues over the past two weeks?

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Sent: Sunday, December 06, 2015 8:27 AM
To: Ewing, Clothilde
Subject: Re:
Attachments: Talkers.docx

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Couple tweaks in the attached. Nothing major.

We could add the timeline in on McDonald, but I worry we start reaching a point of information overload.

From: Ewing, Clothilde
Sent: Sunday, December 6, 2015 8:00 AM
To: Collins, Adam
Subject:

I am sorry, I didn't redline. This is what I'm thinking. I added a few things and want to make sure they have the op-ed as well.

Perhaps I add more on LM as well. Thoughts?

And, thanks as always.

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From: Guglielmi, Anthony <Anthony.Guglielmi@chicagopolice.org>
Sent: Sunday, December 06, 2015 8:38 AM
To: Collins, Adam
Subject: RE: (NEWS) CBS2 News at 7AM: Latest updates in Laquan McDonald case

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We emailed it to the entire Media list last night...I'll hv them do it again

Anthony Guglielmi
Director, Communications & News Affairs
Office of the Police Superintendent
Chicago Police Department

Phone: 312-745-6110
Cell: [REDACTED]

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----- Original message -----

From: "Collins, Adam" <Adam.Collins@cityofchicago.org>
Date: 12/06/2015 7:52 AM (GMT-06:00)
To: "Guglielmi, Anthony" <Anthony.Guglielmi@chicagopolice.org>
Subject: Fw: (NEWS) CBS2 News at 7AM: Latest updates in Laquan McDonald case

Can you please get them your statement?

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ANCHOR: Hundreds of pages, maps, handwritten summaries from Chicago police documenting the shooting of Laquan McDonald are public and they're raising more questions. In his written account officer Jason Van Dyke says the teen was swinging the knife in an aggressive manner. He claimed McDonald stepped toward him attempting to kill him. The video shows the teen walking with a knife in his right hand. The reports show several officers repeatedly told McDonald to put the weapon down. But we can't hear that on the dash cam

because the audio was not working. The case is now the subject of a federal investigation. We e-mailed CPD, but we have not heard back from them.

MCCARTHY: The fact is for some reason, the audio wasn't working in a number of the vehicles. Usually that's either operator error or it's done intentionally.

ANCHOR: Again, we are waiting for CPD to comment on this story, but we have not heard back from them. Cook county board president Toni Preckwinkle says a federal investigation into the McDonald death is not enough.

PRECKWINKLE: The investigation alone is not going to address the structural problems we have in the police department around holding officers accountable for bad acts. 95% of the police officers are good decent people. We have to hold accountable those 5% who are not, who don't behave well or behave inappropriately so that they don't besmirch the reputations of the overwhelming majority of our officers.

ANCHOR: Preckwinkle repeated her call for cook county states attorney Anita Alvarez to step down.

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Sent: Sunday, December 06, 2015 9:23 AM
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Subject: Re: talkers

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Sent: Sunday, December 6, 2015 8:47 AM
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Question would be something to the effect of:

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CRAIN'S // Greg Hinz // December 5, 2015

If there's anything a good politician has in abundance, it's sharp survival instincts. When the inevitable crisis comes rolling down the tracks, such a pol not only avoids getting smacked but somehow catapults into the engineer's seat to drive the train.

So, what happened to Mayor Rahm Emanuel? Supposedly one of the shrewdest pols in all the land, he walked right in front of the train on the Laquan McDonald matter. And it happened not once but on multiple occasions, as he fumbled the release of the shooting video, the firing of police Superintendent Garry McCarthy and the expected onset of a federal probe into the Chicago Police Department. Why?

The answer will say much about whether Emanuel has any more lives left. More important, it will tell whether a city that desperately needs a strong, competent hand at the wheel at a time of carnage in the streets and financial chaos in Springfield still has one.

In calling current and former Emanuel insiders and others who know him well, I hear some things that suggest that, as always, there's another side to the story.

For instance, the mayor feared that if the McDonald video was released the wrong way, some cops would get their backs up and hit the city with a case of blue flu. And bad relations with some reporters, who "hate him," according to one mayoral ally, can make things look worse than they are.

But far more typically, I heard there really is a problem, and his name is Rahm Emanuel.

"He's a one-man band. That's the way he's been for five years. He micromanages everything," says an insider who knows the mayor well. "Sure, he needs a better staff. But he wouldn't listen to it anyhow."

Others make the same point: Emanuel is so focused on the short-term goal of winning the 24-hour news cycle that he gets in his own way and avoids the long-term plans needed to reach his ultimate goals. He downplayed the need for a federal probe of the Police Department, for example, even though such an investigation is coming anyhow and could provide him with the necessary cover to force unpopular but needed changes.

Emanuel "needs a Teele," says another source, referring to onetime mayoral aide Terry Teele, who in his own boisterous and convivial way was one of the few people in the world who could tell Richard M. Daley to his face when he was full of it.

Emanuel needs to think less about himself and more about the city and what's needed, says a former aide.

"He always saves his political capital for himself."

Pick a top-rate new police chief, definitely an African-American, says another source who knows the mayor well. That and do a mea culpa tour of crime-plagued neighborhoods to let residents know he really has received the message this time.

Of course, Emanuel said he was going to spend more time in the neighborhoods after Jesus “Chuy” Garcia forced him into a runoff election last winter, and it didn't last long.

Still, Emanuel's professional life is filled with journeys from down to up. He lost his gig in the Bill Clinton White House but won his way back in. He was forced into that runoff against Garcia but then improbably got a wide majority of aldermen to vote for a needed hike in property taxes, the biggest in city history.

The mayor arguably has the ability to pull another Lazarus act. But he'll have to actually do it.

Some say they saw signs that Emanuel awoke to reality late in the week. That's when he quit saying dumb things like “I'm not going to resign” and decided to release the tape in another police shooting and “welcome” a federal probe.

Ultimately, as presidential counsel and Emanuel pal David Axelrod puts it, the mayor “has a historic opportunity to bring about changes to (police) policies and practices that have been in place for time immemorial . . . while maintaining effective policing. But that won't happen overnight.”

In other words: Start driving the train, Mr. Mayor. Then, stay with it.

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SUN TIMES // Fran Spielman // December 6, 2015

African-American aldermen who approved a \$5 million settlement to the family of Laquan McDonald — before seeing the video of the shooting and before a lawsuit had even been filed — have been running for political cover by saying they were “misled.”

They have accused Corporation Counsel Stephen Patton of doing the misleading by claiming that a dashcam video that Mayor Rahm Emanuel kept under wraps until Nov. 24, when a judge ordered the city to release it, “showed some gray area.”

When they finally saw the video, aldermen viewed it as rather black and white. It shows Officer Jason Van Dyke pumping 16 rounds into McDonald’s body while the knife-wielding teen was walking away from the officer, who is now charged with first-degree murder. Many of the shots hit McDonald while he was already on the ground.

But a transcript of Patton’s testimony before the City Council’s Finance Committee on April 13, the day the settlement was approved, raises serious questions about the aldermen’s claims that they were misled.

In painstaking detail, Patton described how Officer Jason Van Dyke, whom Patton did not identify by name on that day, fired 16 shots into McDonald’s body on October 20, 2014, as five other responding officers exercised restraint.

It all started when a man called 911 to report that a knife-wielding offender had threatened him and was attempting to break into vehicles in an Archer Heights trucking yard at 41st and Kildare.

“What preceded the shooting is disputed between the plaintiffs in this case and the shooting officer. The shooting officer contends, as I understand it, that Mr. McDonald was moving toward him. He was in fear of his life. Mr. McDonald was only one car width, you know, one lane away on Pulaski. Ten, 15 feet,” Patton said on that day.

“The plaintiffs contend very vehemently that Mr. McDonald had been walking away from the police and was continuing to walk away from the police. And they contend that the videotape supports their version of the events,” he said.

Patton went on to explain to incredulous aldermen why the \$5 million settlement was in the “best interests” of Chicago taxpayers after the family initially demanded \$16 million.

“First, attorneys for the estate will argue that Mr. McDonald did not pose any immediate threat of death or great bodily harm to [Van Dyke] and that, instead, McDonald, as I mentioned before, was walking away from the police when he was shot. And they will argue that the videotape supports their version of events,” the corporation counsel said.

“The estate or plaintiffs will also argue that their position that deadly force was not justified is demonstrated by the conduct of the other officers at the scene, none of whom fired their weapon at McDonald,” he said. Patton described the shooting as a “unique case.” The first two officers to arrive on the scene followed McDonald for “some number of blocks” and “never saw fit” to discharge their weapons, he said. Neither did Van Dyke’s partner, who was “right beside him when both officers exited the vehicle with guns drawn.” “So, the plaintiffs will contend, if this matter were not resolved, that the unreasonableness of [Van Dyke’s] conduct is shown by the restraint that was shown by the other five officers, none of whom discharged their weapons,” the corporation counsel said.

“Finally, the plaintiffs will point to the fact that there were no pedestrians, automobiles, other folks who were near McDonald at the time he was shot and as to which he might have posed an imminent danger. That’s why we think the settlement makes sense on the issue of liability.”

Rather than “misleading” aldermen, Patton played it right down the middle. The only thing he did not tell aldermen is that he had seen the tape himself and could confirm the McDonald family’s version.

And the transcript shows that not a single aldermen asked the corporation counsel whether he had seen the dashboard camera video and, if so, what it showed.

When West Side Ald. Jason Ervin (29th) asked whether any of the officers had been disciplined, Patton reiterated the McDonald case was “under active current investigation by both federal and state law enforcement authorities.”

Ervin then asked Patton to give his “professional opinion” on whether Van Dyke had acted “outside the scope of employment,” thereby excusing the taxpayers from liability for the officer’s actions.

“It’s two very different issues. Scope of employment [is] very broadly interpreted by the courts and particularly [by] the 7th Circuit [Court of Appeals]. We have had that come up before,” Patton said.

“Matters that are plainly ones that the city does not condone — in some infamous cases that are absolutely reprehensible because the policeman involved was still acting with force of law and as a policeman — is within scope of authority.”

Ald. Marge Laurino (39th) asked whether Chicago Police officers “all carry” Tasers and, if they do, why officers tailing McDonald had to request a Taser.

Patton replied that “a number of” officers carry them, but the first two officers on the scene that night “did not have a Taser.”

Laurino then asked what would turn out to be a prescient question about what is now a videotape played around the world.

“That was a videotape from one of the officers? Is that correct?” she asked.

“Yes, it was a dash camera video,” the corporation counsel said.

When Laurino asked how many officers are “equipped with videotape,” Patton said he would “get back to the chair on how many of our squad cars or patrols have dashboard video cameras.”

“I suspect that is going to change the outcome of a number of cases for use because we are videotaping, correct?” Laurino said.

Patton replied, “I don’t think that this is a case that [will set a precedent]. Each one of these ... we have to look at on their own.”

Laurino replied, “But this was one piece of the puzzle that brought us to this conclusion, correct?”

Patton countered, “It is. It was an important piece of the evidence here. Not the only evidence that we considered. And I’m sure the criminal, you know, investigating authorities are considering. But it’s one piece.”

Ald. Leslie Hairston (5th) did not attend the Finance Committee meeting when the settlement was approved. But after reading the transcript, she told MSNBC last week that aldermen had been led astray.

“There was language to the effect that Laquan ‘lunged’ at the police officer. When we now see the video, that was not the case,” she said.

Ald. Howard Brookins (21st), former chairman of the City Council’s Black Caucus, made a similar statement.

“We were led to believe there was something fuzzy or something questionable that could be interpreted a different way than it was,” Brookins said then.

“We were misled. We were misled in terms of whether or not this particular tape showed some gray area where it needed to be investigated for all this period of time. It appears to everybody who has seen this tape ... that it did not and should not have taken a full year to determine what happened when all of the facts were known and it was a clear video to show it.”

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From: Green, Melissa
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To: Ewing, Clothilde; Spector, Stephen
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Below are four draft statements on Johnson and Coleman – two each from MRE and Escalante. Law is in the process of completing their review of the relevant materials in these cases and we are working on a more extensive Q&A that we will have later today when that review is complete. Additionally, we have discussed a logistical plan for the release of this information and will have that around shortly as well.

Please let me know what you think. Janey has seen each of the below statements.

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ESCALANTE JOHNSON STATEMENT

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For sure, just typed this up. The conversation touched on surrogate involvement, but also highlighted these topline discussion points. I believe these items now sit with Eileen and David for input on which to move forward.

Regarding the list of surrogates that we've compiled internally, I think the goal is to send it to Jake/Joe/Joel in the next few hours to get their feedback and for them to reach out to the talking heads to organize a call.

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On Dec 6, 2015, at 12:39 PM, Collins, Adam <Adam.Collins@cityofchicago.org> wrote:

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From: Quinn, Kelley
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[Post Nation](#)

Justice Department will launch investigation into practices of Chicago police

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By [Sari Horwitz](#), [Ellen Nakashima](#) and [Wesley Lowery](#) December 6 at 2:50 PM



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Got it.

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Subject: Re: Tomorrow

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To: Mitchell, Eileen <eileen.mitchell@cityofchicago.org>, Green, Melissa <melissa.green@cityofchicago.org>, Spielfogel, David <david.spielfogel@cityofchicago.org>, Spector, Stephen <stephen.spector@cityofchicago.org>

Agree. 

Sent from my BlackBerry 10 smartphone on the Verizon Wireless 4G LTE network.

From: Green, Melissa
Sent: Sunday, December 6, 2015 3:00 PM
To: Spector, Stephen; Spielfogel, David; Ewing, Clothilde; Mitchell, Eileen
Subject: Re: Tomorrow

 Best/MG

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Topline Notes:

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From: Spielfogel, David
Sent: Sunday, December 6, 2015 12:48 PM
To: Green, Melissa; Ewing, Clothilde; Mitchell, Eileen; Spector, Stephen
Subject: Re: Tomorrow

Have to jump for doj call. Melissa will call you in a bit to review task list.

From: Green, Melissa
Sent: Sunday, December 6, 2015 11:46 AM
To: Ewing, Clothilde; Spielfogel, David; Mitchell, Eileen; Spector, Stephen
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Subject: Re: Tomorrow

I will be on the line from about 1145 in the event we want to talk beforehand. I will plan on sending points after the call in the event they hace helpful tweaks, which I am sure they will.

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From: Green, Melissa
Sent: Sunday, December 6, 2015 10:44 AM
To: Spielfogel, David; Ewing, Clothilde; Mitchell, Eileen; Spector, Stephen
Subject: Re: Tomorrow

David,

[REDACTED]

Thank you all. Best/MG

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From: Spielfogel, David
Sent: Sunday, December 6, 2015 11:02 AM
To: Green, Melissa; Ewing, Clothilde; Mitchell, Eileen; Spector, Stephen
Subject: Re: Tomorrow

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From: Green, Melissa
Sent: Sunday, December 6, 2015 10:00 AM
To: Spielfogel, David; Ewing, Clothilde; Mitchell, Eileen; Spector, Stephen
Subject: Re: Tomorrow

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From: Spielfogel, David
Sent: Sunday, December 6, 2015 10:45 AM
To: Green, Melissa; Ewing, Clothilde; Mitchell, Eileen; Spector, Stephen
Subject: Re: Tomorrow

who is confirmed for this call?

From: Green, Melissa
Sent: Saturday, December 5, 2015 9:41 PM
To: Ewing, Clothilde; Spielfogel, David; Mitchell, Eileen; Spector, Stephen
Subject: Re: Tomorrow

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From: Ewing, Clothilde
Sent: Saturday, December 5, 2015 10:39 PM
To: Green, Melissa; Spielfogel, David; Mitchell, Eileen; Spector, Stephen
Subject: Re: Tomorrow

Agree on this approach. Can u send number again please?

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From: Green, Melissa
Sent: Saturday, December 5, 2015 9:34 PM
To: Spielfogel, David; Ewing, Clothilde; Mitchell, Eileen; Spector, Stephen
Subject: Re: Tomorrow

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From: Spielfogel, David
Sent: Saturday, December 5, 2015 9:27 PM
To: Green, Melissa; Ewing, Clothilde; Mitchell, Eileen; Spector, Stephen
Subject: Re: Tomorrow

Melissa do u have a call in number or want to use mine? It's the one we used today.

Best time in my mind is whenever they are available and Clo can be on to walk through tps.

Thanks for coordinating.

From: Green, Melissa
Sent: Saturday, December 5, 2015 6:52 PM
To: Ewing, Clothilde; Mitchell, Eileen; Spector, Stephen; Spielfogel, David
Subject: Re: Tomorrow

Noon CST it is. Thanks. Will send around outlook with a conf call in a bit. Best/MG

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From: Ewing, Clothilde
Sent: Saturday, December 5, 2015 7:32 PM
To: Green, Melissa; Mitchell, Eileen; Spector, Stephen; Spielfogel, David
Subject: Re: Tomorrow

Eileen, can you do 12 central or a pocket between 9 and 10? f you guys don't need me on then I can do the top of 1, but will need to drop off soon after.

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From: Green, Melissa
Sent: Saturday, December 5, 2015 6:25 PM
To: Ewing, Clothilde; Mitchell, Eileen; Spector, Stephen; Spielfogel, David
Subject: Re: Tomorrow

I can do anytime and so can the DC 3 Js...just let me know.

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From: Ewing, Clothilde
Sent: Saturday, December 5, 2015 7:11 PM
To: Mitchell, Eileen; Green, Melissa; Spector, Stephen; Spielfogel, David
Subject: Re: Tomorrow

If that's the only time people can do, i'll make it work, but would prefer a bit earlier.

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From: Mitchell, Eileen
Sent: Saturday, December 5, 2015 6:10 PM
To: Green, Melissa; Spector, Stephen; Ewing, Clothilde; Spielfogel, David
Subject: RE: Tomorrow

Can we try for 1:00 p CT?

From: Green, Melissa
Sent: Saturday, December 05, 2015 5:52 PM
To: Spector, Stephen; Ewing, Clothilde; Spielfogel, David; Mitchell, Eileen
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Subject: Re: DRAFT - statements

Will do

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To: Collins, Adam; Mitchell, Eileen; Ewing, Clothilde; Quinn, Kelley; Rountree, Janey; Patton, Stephen; Rendina, Michael
Subject: Re: DRAFT - statements

Let's discuss in person at our 5pm. Have some thoughts. Also pls bring paper versions for those who aren't on this chain, [REDACTED].

From: Collins, Adam
Sent: Sunday, December 6, 2015 1:49 PM
To: Mitchell, Eileen; Spielfogel, David; Ewing, Clothilde; Quinn, Kelley; Rountree, Janey; Patton, Stephen; Rendina, Michael
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Below are four draft statements on Johnson and Coleman – two each from MRE and Escalante. Law is in the process of completing their review of the relevant materials in these cases and we are working on a more extensive Q&A that we will have later today when that review is complete. Additionally, we have discussed a logistical plan for the release of this information and will have that around shortly as well.

Please let me know what you think. Janey has seen each of the below statements.

MRE JOHNSON STATEMENT

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ESCALANTE JOHNSON STATEMENT

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MRE COLEMAN STATEMENT

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FYI - Lynn just called me and asked if we have a comment.

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Chicago Sun Times // Lynn Sweet

Attorney General Loretta Lynch will launch a Civil Rights Division investigation of the Chicago Police Department in the wake of the Laquan McDonald police shooting the Chicago Sun-Times learned on Sunday.

A person familiar with the situation told the Sun-Times the inquiry will look into the practices of the Chicago police in what is expected to be a wide-ranging probe. The official announcement is expected in the coming days.

Lynch is acting after having Civil Rights Division lawyers consider what now are many requests for an investigation – which is the department's standard process. She is briefed regularly on the review and expects to make a decision very soon, the official said.

Lynch is taking action on what is called a “pattern or practice” inquiry after calls for Justice Department intervention came from a string of elected officials and activists, including Illinois Attorney General Lisa Madigan and Sen. Dick Durbin.

Hundreds of pages of police reports released late Friday by the city of Chicago reveal that official police accounts of the shooting conflict with what the dashcam video on a police cruiser recorded.

While the video shows 16 bullets pumped into the 17-year-old in a matter of seconds from one officer as the teen was moving away from police, cops on the scene during the Oct. 20, 2014, shooting indicated that McDonald was threatening them with a knife.

Police officer Jason Van Dyke, who is white, is charged with the first-degree murder of McDonald, an African American.

That it took 13 months for Van Dyke to be charged and a court order to force the city of Chicago to publicly release the video that led to protests and calls for the resignations of top officials, including Mayor Rahm Emanuel and Cook County State’s Attorney Anita Alvarez. Last week, in an effort to tamp down protests, Emanuel fired Police Supt. Garry McCarthy. A pattern or practice review determines whether there are unlawful policing practices in a police department. If there is an agreement that remedies need to take place, the negotiated deal is overseen by a federal judge who appoints an independent monitor. If there is no agreement, the Justice Department can go to federal court and seek an order.

According to the Justice Department, “in addition to gathering information directly from community members, all pattern and practice investigations involve interviewing police and local officials, gathering information from other criminal justice stakeholders, observing officer activities through ride-alongs and other means, and reviewing documents and specific incidents that are relevant to the investigation.

“At the conclusion of an investigation, the division issues a public report detailing the findings. If the investigation finds no systemic violations of constitutional or federal statutory rights by the law enforcement agency, the division will state that and close the investigation. If, on the other hand, there are findings of patterns or practices of misconduct, the division will articulate precisely what those patterns or practices are, and will identify any systemic deficiencies underlying those patterns.”

The Justice Department launched a pattern or practice investigation into the Ferguson, Mo., Police Department after the shooting of Michael Brown and in Baltimore after the death of Freddie Gray.

This civil inquiry would be separate from a pending joint federal and state criminal investigation launched after the shooting of McDonald.

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Cc: Ewing, Clothilde;Green, Melissa
Subject: Following-up from Chicago
Attachments: Surrogates List.xlsx; Talkers - December 6.docx

Joel, Joe, and Jake:

Thank you for taking the time out of your Sunday afternoon to speak with us. We greatly appreciate your insight.

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[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

Moving forward, let Clo and me know of any feedback that you may have, and feel free to route any folks our way. Thank you again.

Appreciatively,

Stephen Spector and Clo Ewing

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Cc: Collins, Adam
Subject: Draft release
Attachments: IPRAChiefRelease.docx

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Can you pls check my language and add what you'd like about Scott. Need asap.

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David Spielfogel
Office of the Mayor
312-744-2818 (o)

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Sent: Sunday, December 06, 2015 6:04 PM
To: Guglielmi, Anthony;Ahern, Mary Ann (NBCUniversal, WMAQ)
Subject: Re: CPD Statement Regarding Release of LaQuan McDonald Case File

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Hey Mary Ann-

Attributable to me

“We will let the Department of Justice address what action they will or will not choose to take, but as was made clear last week, we welcome the engagement of the Department of Justice as we work to restore trust in our police department and improve our system of police accountability.”

From: Guglielmi, Anthony <Anthony.Guglielmi@chicagopolice.org>
Sent: Sunday, December 6, 2015 6:03 PM
To: Ahern, Mary Ann (NBCUniversal, WMAQ)
Cc: Collins, Adam
Subject: RE: CPD Statement Regarding Release of LaQuan McDonald Case File

M - Mayor's office is handling this one as a city response, copying Adam

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Sent: Sunday, December 06, 2015 6:12 PM
To: Mitchell, Eileen; Spielfogel, David; Ewing, Clothilde; Rountree, Janey
Subject: Fw: privileged communication
Attachments: 149847735_1.DOCX

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FYI.

From: Gorelick, Jamie <Jamie.Gorelick@wilmerhale.com>
Sent: Sunday, December 6, 2015 6:04:08 PM
To: Patton, Stephen
Cc: Adebile, Debo; Gurney, Brent; Gorelick, Jamie
Subject: privileged communication

Steve –

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- | [REDACTED]
- | [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

Best –

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From: Rendina, Michael
Sent: Sunday, December 06, 2015 10:07 PM
To: Chavez, Claudia;Fields, Samantha
Cc: Rapelyea, Sean
Subject: Re: Call for Subject Matter Hearing

Sent from my BlackBerry 10 smartphone on the Verizon Wireless 4G LTE network.

From: Chavez, Claudia
Sent: Sunday, December 6, 2015 9:54 PM
To: Rendina, Michael; Fields, Samantha
Cc: Rapelyea, Sean
Subject: Fwd: Call for Subject Matter Hearing

See below and attached. Lopez just shared with Sean and me.

Sent from [Outlook](#)

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From: "Lopez, Raymond" <Raymond.Lopez@cityofchicago.org>
Date: Sun, Dec 6, 2015 at 7:52 PM -0800
Subject: Fwd: Call for Subject Matter Hearing
To: "Fields, Samantha" <Samantha.Fields@cityofchicago.org>, "Rapelyea, Sean" <Sean.Rapelyea@cityofchicago.org>, "Chavez, Claudia" <Claudia.Chavez@cityofchicago.org>

I think MRE should go to this & vow to make all truths known. He needs to get ahead of the curve. "Rebuilding trust by removing the stain"

/rl

Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

From: "Moore, David" <David.Moore@cityofchicago.org>
Date: December 6, 2015 at 9:20:34 PM CST
To: "Cochran, Willie" <Willie.Cochran@cityofchicago.org>, "1stwardmoreno@gmail.com" <1stwardmoreno@gmail.com>, "Pawar, Ameya" <Ameya.Pawar@cityofchicago.org>, "Beale, Anthony" <Anthony.Beale@cityofchicago.org>, "Reboyas, Ariel" <Ariel.Reboyas@cityofchicago.org>, "Reilly, Brendan" <Brendan.Reilly@cityofchicago.org>, "Austin, Carrie" <Carrie.Austin@cityofchicago.org>, "Curtis, Derrick" <derrick.curtis@cityofchicago.org>, "Solis, Daniel" <Daniel.Solis@cityofchicago.org>,

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Subject: RE: Call for Subject Matter Hearing

Dear Colleagues,

I want to send a gentle reminder about tomorrow's press conference that will take place at **10:00 a.m. on the 2nd floor** of City Hall. The press conference will call for a subject matter hearing concerning the Laquan McDonald case through the Rules and Ethics Committee.

This hearing is an opportunity for us to be proactive about addressing the many questions that our constituents have for us as well as holding our leadership - and ourselves- accountable to make sure that justice prevails at all levels. It is important that we build trust with Chicago's communities through our demonstrated commitment to transparency.

Many of you have already answered the call to stand together tomorrow morning. I hope that we send a strong, uplifting message to the city through our actions.

Respectfully,

David Moore
Alderman, 17th Ward

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December 1, 2015

Dear Esteemed Colleagues:

The revelations over the past week have demonstrated both the need for wide-reaching reforms in our public safety policy, and the need to address systemic issues of public integrity. All of us work hard every day to earn the trust of our constituents and operate with the utmost transparency and integrity. I believe it is our responsibility to seek that same transparency by calling for a full Subject Matter Hearing to allow for City Council members to gain a full understanding of the circumstances surrounding the Laquan McDonald case.

This is our opportunity to demonstrate leadership and a willingness to do the right thing by the people that we are called to serve. This subject matter hearing through the Rules & Ethics Committee is an opportunity to hear from the members of our administration - including our Mayor - about the details surrounding this case. Please see the attached document that outlines the content of the proposed hearing. We owe it to the families of Laquan McDonald, Rekia Boyd, and so many others who have experienced delays and denials of justice. We also owe it to the residents of the City of Chicago who are relying on us to preserve the integrity of the public institutions that they entrusted into our care.

I will be reaching out to you in the coming days and asking for your support for this Subject Matter Hearing. I hope to stand alongside you as we move forward together.

In service,

David Moore
Alderman, 17th Ward



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- The Laquan McDonald case is the latest in a pattern of incidents that compromise the integrity of public office-holders whose duties are to serve as good stewards of public resources and the public trust. (See: former Comptroller Amer Ahmad, former CPS CEO Barbara Byrd Bennett, Homan Square, etc.)
- Our constituents are questioning our integrity because of the city council's role, - and the Black Caucus in particular—in the 13 month delay and cover-up in this case.
- The city used taxpayer funds to have city attorneys fight to keep the footage hidden, although the footage should have been made public according to open records laws in the State of Illinois. In addition to the \$5 million given to the family, how much did it cost taxpayers to fight the video's release?
- The City Council voted to approve the settlement without having seen the dashcam footage. Many of our colleagues said they were misled by corporation counsel.
- I am calling for a full subject matter hearing for City Council in order to gain further insight into the processes that were put in play and decisions that were made by the Mayor and his surrogates regarding the Laquan McDonald case.
- This subject matter hearing is necessary because as Aldermen we were elected to represent our constituents, we are their voice, we're supposed to be the stewards of their taxpayer dollars and we deserve to know what happened in the Laquan McDonald case.
- Our constituents rely on us to be a conduit to City Hall. It would be irresponsible of us to not take this opportunity to get answers to the questions that we have about this case.
- I want to emphasize that this is not about calling for Mayor Emanuel's resignation. It's simply doing the responsible thing, which is to ensure that Mayor Emanuel answers the questions that we, the City Council have about this case. This is necessary to restore trust in our leadership. Our reputations have been compromised not just because of this case, but because of a pattern of decisions that implicate ongoing corruption in City Hall.
- We can either stick our heads in the sand and hope this goes away or we can do our jobs as City Council members find out if there was a deliberate delay and cover up, and do the responsible thing—which is to foster the transparency and honesty the public is demanding and the mayor and police superintendent claim they support.

- I am choosing to stand on the side of the people and I think we should demonstrate our willingness to stand together.
- In addition to the subject matter hearing, I am working with a team of lawyers and public policy experts to draft ordinances related to overhauling IPRA, guidelines for the use and storage of bodycam and dashcam footage, and a review of CPD protocols to identify areas where policies can be changed.
- This is our chance to do the right thing when so many things have gone wrong. I'm asking you to stand with me in calling for a Subject Matter Hearing with City Council. This is our chance to do the right thing by our constituents. The entire city, and the world, is watching.

From: Collins, Adam
Sent: Monday, December 07, 2015 5:20 AM
To: Petty, Lauren (NBCUniversal, WMAQ)
Subject: Re: Is the Mayor talking about police reform at City Council meeting on Wednesday?

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From: Petty, Lauren (NBCUniversal, WMAQ) <Lauren.Petty@nbcuni.com>
Sent: Monday, December 7, 2015 5:19 AM
To: Collins, Adam
Subject: RE: Is the Mayor talking about police reform at City Council meeting on Wednesday?

Thanks Adam.

Lauren Petty
Reporter, NBC Chicago
Cell: 312.485.0091
lauren.petty@nbcuni.com

From: Collins, Adam [<mailto:Adam.Collins@cityofchicago.org>]
Sent: Monday, December 07, 2015 5:19 AM
To: Petty, Lauren (NBCUniversal, WMAQ); McCraney, Lacey (NBCUniversal)
Subject: Re: Is the Mayor talking about police reform at City Council meeting on Wednesday?

Yes. Here's the info.

Chicago - like nearly every large city - has a long, challenging history of police-community relations, and today we stand at a crossroads. This morning the Mayor is calling a special meeting of the City Council where he will deliver an address to discuss the city's past, the present issues we are all grappling with, and the path forward as we work to restore trust in our police department and build the future we all want to see for Chicago. The Mayor will deliver his address this Wednesday at 9 am, ahead of the regularly scheduled City Council meeting later in the day.

From: Petty, Lauren (NBCUniversal, WMAQ) <Lauren.Petty@nbcuni.com>
Sent: Monday, December 7, 2015 4:35 AM
To: Collins, Adam; McCraney, Lacey (NBCUniversal)
Subject: Is the Mayor talking about police reform at City Council meeting on Wednesday?

Hi Adam,

Saw the following in a Trib article and hoping you can confirm?

“Also late Sunday, [City Hall](#) said Emanuel plans to deliver a speech on police reform to the City Council on Wednesday morning.”



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Thank you,

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From: Rountree, Janey
Sent: Monday, December 07, 2015 7:34 AM
To: Meares, Tracey
Subject: Re: Time to talk today?

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Thanks for the vm - I worked quite a bit on the bill from my vantage point at city hall and asked our intergovt folks to reach out to the bill sponsor to do press on it in the last week. I don't know if that did not happen because the sponsor was reluctant or because the ask didn't happen amidst other chaos. Will follow up today.

From: Meares, Tracey <tracey.meares@yale.edu>
Sent: Monday, December 7, 2015 4:48:21 AM
To: Rountree, Janey
Subject: Re: Time to talk today?

I understand. Do check out the police reform legislation

Sent from my iPhone

On Dec 6, 2015, at 11:37 PM, Rountree, Janey <Janey.Rountree@cityofchicago.org> wrote:

Tracey - I did not have a single free moment to give you a call today and likely won't tomorrow - but would like to speak with you further later this week. I'll reach out on Tuesday to set up a time. I appreciate your advice and perspective.

Janey

From: Rountree, Janey
Sent: Saturday, December 5, 2015 11:43 AM
To: Meares, Tracey
Subject: Re: Time to talk today?

Great, between 3 -4:30 EST would be best for me.

From: Meares, Tracey <tracey.meares@yale.edu>
Sent: Saturday, December 5, 2015 11:13 AM
To: Rountree, Janey
Subject: Re: Time to talk today?

I can call after 3pm my time today

Sent from my iPhone

On Dec 5, 2015, at 11:48 AM, Rountree, Janey <Janey.Rountree@cityofchicago.org> wrote:

Tracey,

You may remember me from VRS meetings or conferences over the past few years (or possibly from meetings with John Feinblatt and Liz Glazer when I worked for Mayor Bloomberg), but I wanted to re-introduce myself. I handle the public safety portfolio for Mayor Emanuel and have been helping to manage the City's response to the Laquan McDonald shooting and will be helping to shape the path forward along with our Acting Superintendent. Do you have a few minutes to talk today about a few things coming up next week? I can make myself available at any time. My cell is (919) 949-7376.

Janey

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From: Rountree, Janey
Sent: Monday, December 07, 2015 7:56 AM
To: Anthony Guglielmi
Subject: Fw: Today's Q&A
Attachments: 2015.12.07 - Daily Press Guidance.docx

From: Collins, Adam
Sent: Monday, December 7, 2015 6:12:51 AM
To: Mitchell, Eileen; Spielfogel, David; Ewing, Clothilde; Rendina, Michael; Rountree, Janey; Quinn, Kelley; Patton, Stephen; Bennett, Kenneth
Subject: Today's Q&A

Attached is today's Q&A. Please take a look and let me know if you have any questions or edits. I will get this to MRE at 7:30. It may need to be updated during the day depending on whether or not DOJ has any kind of announcement.

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From: Spielfogel, David
Sent: Monday, December 07, 2015 9:09 AM
To: Magana, Jasmine;Ewing, Clothilde;Silver, Steven
Cc: Castro, Veronica
Subject: Re: speech
Attachments: Rahm Emanuel Speech-5.docx

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updated attached.

From: Magana, Jasmine
Sent: Monday, December 7, 2015 9:05 AM
To: Ewing, Clothilde; Spielfogel, David; Silver, Steven
Cc: Castro, Veronica
Subject: RE: speech

Yes, please send over. We have nothing at the moment.

From: Ewing, Clothilde
Sent: Monday, December 07, 2015 9:05 AM
To: Magana, Jasmine; Spielfogel, David; Silver, Steven
Cc: Castro, Veronica
Subject: Re: speech

Can get it to you in 5 unless David already got it to you.

Sent from my BlackBerry 10 smartphone on the Verizon Wireless 4G LTE network.

From: Magana, Jasmine
Sent: Monday, December 7, 2015 8:58 AM
To: Ewing, Clothilde; Spielfogel, David; Silver, Steven
Cc: Castro, Veronica
Subject: speech

Do we have an updated copy of his speech? He would like to read.

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From: Collins, Adam
Sent: Monday, December 07, 2015 9:31 AM
To: Mitchell, Eileen; Spielfogel, David; Ewing, Clothilde; Rendina, Michael; Rountree, Janey; Quinn, Kelley; Patton, Stephen; Bennett, Kenneth
Subject: Re: Today's Q&A
Attachments: 2015.12.07 - Daily Press Guidance.docx

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Attached is an updated Q&A for MRE

From: Collins, Adam
Sent: Monday, December 7, 2015 7:38 AM
To: Mitchell, Eileen; Spielfogel, David; Ewing, Clothilde; Rendina, Michael; Rountree, Janey; Quinn, Kelley; Patton, Stephen; Bennett, Kenneth
Subject: RE: Today's Q&A

To recap, I will,



Let me know if I missed anything. Updating q and a momentarily

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Date: 12/07/2015 6:12 AM (GMT-06:00)
To: "Mitchell, Eileen" <Eileen.Mitchell@cityofchicago.org>, "Spielfogel, David" <David.Spielfogel@cityofchicago.org>, "Ewing, Clothilde" <Clothilde.Ewing@cityofchicago.org>, "Rendina, Michael" <Michael.Rendina@cityofchicago.org>, "Rountree, Janey" <Janey.Rountree@cityofchicago.org>, "Quinn, Kelley" <Kelley.Quinn@cityofchicago.org>, "Patton, Stephen" <Stephen.Patton@cityofchicago.org>, "Bennett, Kenneth" <Kenneth.Bennett@cityofchicago.org>
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From: Laws, Lisa
Sent: Monday, December 07, 2015 9:37 AM
To: Deal, Joe
Subject: RE: Update Chain: Thursday 12/3

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From: Deal, Joe
Sent: Monday, December 07, 2015 9:36 AM
To: Laws, Lisa
Subject: RE: Update Chain: Thursday 12/3

I'm going to send an update chain based on Rich's last report.

From: Laws, Lisa
Sent: Friday, December 04, 2015 9:25 AM
To: Henry, Vance; Deal, Joe; Escareno, Rosa; Rapelyea, Sean; Hall, Abby; Quinn, Kelley; Ewing, Clothilde; Mitchell, Eileen; Spielfogel, David; Rendina, Michael; Harte, Meghan; Negron, Michael; Faulman, Mike; Bennett, Kenneth; Rountree, Janey; Watkins, Victoria
Subject: RE: Update Chain: Thursday 12/3

Good Morning All,

Two new events added, one today and one tomorrow

Planned Protests for 12/4 (Friday)

- **12/4 (Friday)**
 - 10:30am: Press Conference/Prayer Vigil - Clergy United for Reform and Equality (CURE)
 - Group will hold a press conference at 4060 S. Pulaski
 - They are gathering at 10:00am and plan to be done by noon.
 - 11:00am: DOJ Protest
 - Location: City Hall, 5th Floor
 - Group will assemble at City Hall to file complaints with the DOJ regarding CPD brutality survivors.
 - Noon: "MARCH FOR JUSTICE"
 - Location: City Hall
 - Participants: Commissioner Boykin will be other Elected Officials, Faith-Based Leaders, Youth Leaders, Community Activists and Concerned Citizens
 - group will march around City Hall 16 times in remembrance of Laquan McDonald

Upcoming Events

- **12/5 (Saturday)**
 - 12:30pm: "Shut Down The County"
 - Location: Cook County Criminal Court , 2600 S. California Ave
 - group will assemble at the Criminal Courts Building to "Shut Down the County" and demand the resignation of Anita Alvarez.

○ *Note: Date may change for the event based on comments*

● **12/6 (Sunday)**

- 1:30pm: "MARCH FOR JUSTICE" - PUSH Coalition
 - Group plans to assemble on Van Buren and State, Walk NB on State and WB on Randolph to the Thompson Center.
 - Participants: Commissioner Boykin will be other Elected Officials, Faith-Based Leaders, Youth Leaders, Community Activists and Concerned Citizens
 - Estimated # of Participants: 1000

As always, Will update when details are available.

From: Laws, Lisa

Sent: Thursday, December 03, 2015 5:53 PM

To: Henry, Vance; Deal, Joe; Escareno, Rosa; Rapelyea, Sean; Hall, Abby; Quinn, Kelley; Ewing, Clothilde; Mitchell, Eileen; Spielfogel, David; Rendina, Michael; Harte, Meghan; Negron, Michael; Faulman, Mike; Bennett, Kenneth; Rountree, Janey; Watkins, Victoria

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 - **Vance, do you have any other info?**

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As always, Will update when details are available.

From: Laws, Lisa

Sent: Thursday, December 03, 2015 9:34 AM

To: Henry, Vance; Deal, Joe; Escareno, Rosa; Rapelyea, Sean; Hall, Abby; Quinn, Kelley; Ewing, Clothilde; Mitchell, Eileen; Spielfogel, David; Rendina, Michael; Harte, Meghan; Negron, Michael; Faulman, Mike; Bennett, Kenneth; Rountree, Janey; Watkins, Victoria

Subject: Update Chain: Thursday 12/3

Good Morning All,

Permitted Protests

- There are no planned permitted protests today

Potential Protests

- Between 0930-1130 hrs, Cook County Building 69 W Washington, a group of ministers, union members, and people from the community plan to stage a 16 hour sit-in calling for Anita Alvarez to resign.

Potential Protests for Tomorrow: 12/4

- "MARCH FOR JUSTICE"
 - Location: City Hall
 - Participants: Commissioner Boykin will be other Elected Officials, Faith-Based Leaders, Youth Leaders, Community Activists and Concerned Citizens

Will update when details are available.

From: Henry, Vance

Sent: Monday, November 30, 2015 7:49 PM

To: Laws, Lisa; Deal, Joe; Escareno, Rosa; Rapelyea, Sean; Hall, Abby; Quinn, Kelley; Ewing, Clothilde; Mitchell, Eileen; Spielfogel, David; Rendina, Michael; Harte, Meghan; Negron, Michael; Faulman, Mike; Bennett, Kenneth; Rountree, Janey; Watkins, Victoria

Subject: Re: Update Chain: Monday 11/30

Hey Team,

Quick update, I'm just leaving protest at CPD HQ.

Following protest, I met with organizers and faith leaders and they informed me, participating churches, advocacy organizations and activist will be planning to host the next protest at City Hall in a week.

Good night, Team.

From: Laws, Lisa

Sent: Monday, November 30, 2015 7:12:09 PM

To: Deal, Joe; Escareno, Rosa; Rapelyea, Sean; Hall, Abby; Quinn, Kelley; Ewing, Clothilde; Mitchell, Eileen; Spielfogel, David; Rendina, Michael; Harte, Meghan; Negron, Michael; Faulman, Mike; Bennett, Kenneth; Rountree, Janey; Watkins, Victoria; Henry, Vance

Subject: Re: Update Chain: Monday 11/30

Currently monitoring ongoing protest at 3510 S Michigan.

Combination of two groups: one originating at 35th and King (approx 100 people), the other from a church in the 9th District (approx 100 people) for a total of 200.

Group 2 seems to be heading back to the church while Group 1 remains in place.

Will send updates when available, as well as any planned activity for tomorrow.

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Sent: Monday, November 30, 2015 9:58 AM

To: Deal, Joe; Escareno, Rosa; Rapelyea, Sean; Hall, Abby; Quinn, Kelley; Ewing, Clothilde; Mitchell, Eileen; Spielfogel, David; Rendina, Michael; Harte, Meghan; Negron, Michael; Faulman, Mike; Bennett, Kenneth; Rountree, Janey; Watkins, Victoria; Henry, Vance

Subject: Update Chain: Monday 11/30

Good Morning,

As Joe mentioned Saturday, we are monitoring the following two events for today.

Permitted Protest

- 1200 – 1400hrs City Hall 121 N LaSalle St City Hall. NAACP March for Police Reform.
 - Assembly: 1130hrs with a step off at 1200hrs
 - Line of March: North on LaSalle to Randolph, east on Randolph to Clark, south on Clark to Washington, west on Washington to LaSalle, north on LaSalle back to 121 N. LaSalle and then disband.
 - Approximately 100 people expected

Potential Protest

- 1800 – 1900hrs 3510 S Michigan Ave Chicago Police HQ

I will update the group should any other events arise.

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From: Guidice, Richard
Sent: Monday, December 07, 2015 9:50 AM
To: Deal, Joe;Laws, Lisa
Subject: Fwd: Projection for December 07-12 2015

morning, below is what we have now this could change after release of next video---

----- Original Message -----

Subject: Projection for December 07-12 2015

From: Cityops <ome1.Cityops@cityofchicago.org>

To: "Guidice, Richard" <Richard.Guidice@cityofchicago.org>

CC:

Please see the projected protests for this week

Monday, December 7th

1000hrs; Protest

Cook County Courthouse, 2600 S California

Campaign: Regarding Police Brutality

1200-1300hrs; Protest March

Prizker Park, 310 S State St

Campaign: "Flood the System Chicago Day of Action-Flood, Blockade, Occupy and Shut Down the Systems that Jeopardize Our Future!" The group will "take part in a creative action that targets the institutions that profit from putting people in prison, home foreclosure, gentrification and climate change."

1345hrs; Protest (sit-in)

City Hall, 121 N LaSalle

Campaign: Laquan McDonald and reform

Thursday, December 10th

1700hrs; Protest

Federal Plaza, 230 S Dearborn

Campaign: "Protest Dept of Justice Complicity in Police Crimes," and will present an open letter and complaint to US Attorney Loretta Lynch.

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From: Deal, Joe
Sent: Monday, December 07, 2015 9:56 AM
To: Laws, Lisa
Subject: Re: Update Chain: Thursday 12/3

Please do. Thanks.

From: Laws, Lisa
Sent: Monday, December 7, 2015 9:53 AM
To: Deal, Joe
Subject: RE: Update Chain: Thursday 12/3

The newest one has better info, I can send if you're busy.

From: Deal, Joe
Sent: Monday, December 07, 2015 9:36 AM
To: Laws, Lisa
Subject: RE: Update Chain: Thursday 12/3

I'm going to send an update chain based on Rich's last report.

From: Laws, Lisa
Sent: Friday, December 04, 2015 9:25 AM
To: Henry, Vance; Deal, Joe; Escareno, Rosa; Rapelyea, Sean; Hall, Abby; Quinn, Kelley; Ewing, Clothilde; Mitchell, Eileen; Spielfogel, David; Rendina, Michael; Harte, Meghan; Negron, Michael; Faulman, Mike; Bennett, Kenneth; Rountree, Janey; Watkins, Victoria
Subject: RE: Update Chain: Thursday 12/3

Good Morning All,

Two new events added, one today and one tomorrow

Planned Protests for 12/4 (Friday)

- **12/4 (Friday)**
 - 10:30am: Press Conference/Prayer Vigil - Clergy United for Reform and Equality (CURE)
 - Group will hold a press conference at 4060 S. Pulaski
 - They are gathering at 10:00am and plan to be done by noon.
 - 11:00am: DOJ Protest
 - Location: City Hall, 5th Floor
 - Group will assemble at City Hall to file complaints with the DOJ regarding CPD brutality survivors.
 - Noon: "MARCH FOR JUSTICE"
 - Location: City Hall
 - Participants: Commissioner Boykin will be other Elected Officials, Faith-Based Leaders, Youth Leaders, Community Activists and Concerned Citizens
 - group will march around City Hall 16 times in remembrance of Laquan McDonald

**CHAIN CONTINUES AS
PREVIOUSLY PRODUCED**

From: Quinn, Kelley
Sent: Monday, December 07, 2015 10:40 AM
To: Rodriguez, Eve;Ewing, Clothilde;Patton, Stephen;McCaffrey, Bill;Spector, Stephen
Cc: Collins, Adam
Subject: Re: Check ins with networks and cable

Thanks, Eve. Please make a round of calls to ethnic radio and see who's doing what today. Thanks!

From: Rodriguez, Eve
Sent: Monday, December 7, 2015 10:32 AM
To: Ewing, Clothilde; Patton, Stephen; McCaffrey, Bill; Spector, Stephen
Cc: Collins, Adam; Quinn, Kelley
Subject: RE: Check ins with networks and cable

AA Radio

WVON – 1690 AM
Perry Small Show

Aired the DOJ Presser live

Anita Alvarez must go, and we cannot get her reelected

Arrogance of the Mayor to ask the Supt to step down, he was telling Suzanne Le Mignot that morning that the Mayor had his back.

They are going to continue the protests and I support the protest 160% and I support them.

Now the reporters are asking the questions. They are lying! The police reports do not match, they are false reports and if they are found planting evidence on suspects, they need to go to jail too.

It's about race, they gave McCarthy a standing ovation at the Irish lunch, a standing ovation!

If you don't vote and you put Anita Alvarez in office again, something is WRONG with you.

According to Sneed, the the Irish luncheon

- Emanuel spoke and skedaddled.
- The rest were seated within spitting distance of each other at the same rectangular head table.
- They did not greet, speak, or acknowledge each other.
- McCarthy, who had been invited to the luncheon before he was canned, was given a prolonged and sustained standing ovation.
- Emanuel was not.
- Emanuel worked the room before lunch.
- McCarthy, who was swamped with well-wishers before lunch, sat quietly next to several empty seats at the far end of the head table.
- Alvarez and Preckwinkle, who looked like the smoke bomb sisters, kept their distance on the same side of the elongated table.
- Preckwinkle sported a smile. Alvarez was into stern and scowl.
- Richie? Well, he looked great.
- Emanuel didn't go near Richie. Richie didn't go near Emanuel.
- Emanuel didn't go near McCarthy. McCarthy didn't go near Emanuel.
- Alvarez scurried in and out of the event before dessert. Preckwinkle was into meet and greet.

I'm going to say that a room full of white people giving a standing ovation to McCarthy. What if the kid that was shot was white from Mt. Greenwood?

If you have a room full of white people giving the Supt. a standing ovation – that is a problem.

The top paid officials in the police and fire dept. are white and Emanuel is up there but some make more than him.

The Alderman are misled about everything, they come out and say there were misled. They are misled about everything.

The City Atty Patton went to council to talk to them about the settlement, and none of them had any questions? Only the white Ald. Laurino?

All DOJ has to do is talk to the IPRA chief who was fired, there is misconduct here.

Back to Irish luncheon, a standing ovation, 1,500 people, what are you applauding him for? What?

She spoke to ATTY Antonio M. Romanucci who talked about:

- McCarthy critic since he came here, the stop and frisk practice that affected 100s of thousands of people. The practices from the East Coast. They did not work here, you can't stop people based on race.
- I've worked on cases for over 30 years, the cover up in CPD has been going on for year, cops cover for cops. There has been misconduct. Excessive use of force. These are deep rooted issues within the department. IPRA needs to be independent, not run by the city.
- No police officer has lost their job or faced criminal charges for excess force.
- Tomorrow starts the Glenn Evans trial.
- New era w/ policing, w/ cameras everywhere where we can see for ourselves.
- When you look at the McDonald case, why it took so long, the video is so compelling, so chilling, it was political. I don't think anyone could have estimated what it's done, everyone involved knew about it but it was kept because of the political reasons.
- The BK Video, right now we should be furious that the 80 mins is missing, there has been NO explanation why the video is missing, no good explanation or reason. The BK people say that everything was working until we see CPD officers there playing w/ the equipment.
- This needs to be investigated, it's evidence that the police make agreement w/ each other to cover for each other.
- If you take away other angles of the shooting, it's harder for them to make the story work for them, that Laquan was running towards them.
- The cars w/ no audio is another thing, when those lights go on, the microphones go on and the officers have the option to turn the mic off which should not be an option.

WGCI – 107.5 FM

Taking calls on Chiraq film

Music

From: Ewing, Clothilde

Sent: Monday, December 07, 2015 9:16 AM

To: Patton, Stephen; McCaffrey, Bill; Spector, Stephen; Rodriguez, Eve

Cc: Collins, Adam; Quinn, Kelley

Subject: Re: Check ins with networks and cable

Thank you. Will get back to you asap.

Sent from my BlackBerry 10 smartphone on the Verizon Wireless 4G LTE network.

From: Patton, Stephen

Sent: Monday, December 7, 2015 9:09 AM

To: McCaffrey, Bill; Spector, Stephen; Ewing, Clothilde; Rodriguez, Eve

Cc: Collins, Adam; Quinn, Kelley

Subject: Re: Check ins with networks and cable

I can also work in earlier times.

From: McCaffrey, Bill
Sent: Monday, December 7, 2015 9:04:46 AM
To: Spector, Stephen; Ewing, Clothilde; Rodriguez, Eve; Patton, Stephen
Cc: Collins, Adam; Quinn, Kelley
Subject: RE: Check ins with networks and cable

Steve is free to talk to everyone after MRE's 3 pm presser ends. We may need to set up a conference call to make the timing work. Maybe one call with print boards and one call with tv producers?

From: Spector, Stephen
Sent: Monday, December 07, 2015 8:38 AM
To: Ewing, Clothilde; Rodriguez, Eve; Patton, Stephen; McCaffrey, Bill
Cc: Collins, Adam; Quinn, Kelley
Subject: Re: Check ins with networks and cable

We're on it and will report back.

From: Ewing, Clothilde
Sent: Monday, December 7, 2015 8:26 AM
To: Spector, Stephen; Rodriguez, Eve; Patton, Stephen; McCaffrey, Bill
Cc: Collins, Adam; Quinn, Kelley
Subject: Check ins with networks and cable

Please make sure those are happening and that we have folks listening to radio this morning.

Regardless of what people are asking for, I want backgrounders set up with Patton and producing and editorial teams and msnbc, nbc and networks. I also would like us to touch base with editorial boards both local and nyt and wapo this afternoon, but they should know they are coming.

Sent from my BlackBerry 10 smartphone on the Verizon Wireless 4G LTE network.

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From: Laws, Lisa
Sent: Monday, December 07, 2015 10:51 AM
To: Deal, Joe
Subject: RE: Update Chain: Monday 12/7

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From: Deal, Joe
Sent: Monday, December 07, 2015 10:50 AM
To: Laws, Lisa
Subject: Re: Update Chain: Monday 12/7

Make sure someone is watching the noon location. Try to get an estimate of numbers around 11:30.

From: Laws, Lisa
Sent: Monday, December 7, 2015 10:03 AM
To: Henry, Vance; Deal, Joe; Escareno, Rosa; Rapelyea, Sean; Hall, Abby; Quinn, Kelley; Ewing, Clothilde; Mitchell, Eileen; Spielfogel, David; Rendina, Michael; Harte, Meghan; Negron, Michael; Faulman, Mike; Bennett, Kenneth; Rountree, Janey; Watkins, Victoria
Subject: Update Chain: Monday 12/7

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 - Location: Prizker Park, 310 S State St
 - The group will “take part in a creative action that targets the institutions that profit from putting people in prison, home foreclosure, gentrification and climate change.”

- **1:45pm: Sit-In - Laquan McDonald and reform**
 - Location: City Hall

Upcoming Protests

Thursday, 12/10/15

- 5:00pm: "Protest Dept of Justice Complicity in Police Crimes"
 - Location: Federal Plaza, 230 S Dearborn
 - "Protest Dept of Justice Complicity in Police Crimes," and will present an open letter and complaint to US Attorney Loretta Lynch.

Will update when details become available.

Lisa M. Laws | Deputy Chief Operating Officer | Office of Mayor Rahm Emanuel

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Sent: Monday, December 07, 2015 10:54 AM
To: Patton, Stephen;Rountree, Janey;Notz, Jane
Cc: Mitchell, Eileen
Subject: FW: Petition to the Cook County Local Records Commission: records of Chicago police misconduct allegations
Attachments: Petition.records commission.Futterman and Liskow.pdf
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From: Samantha Liskow [<mailto:liskows@gmail.com>]
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To: Toni.preckwinkle@cookcountyil.gov; pamela.cummings@cookcountyil.gov; Martha.Martinez@cookcountyil.gov; tasha.cruzat@cookcountyil.gov; Mayor Emanuel; Spielfogel, David; Bannon, Brian; Bever, Greta; anita.alvarez@cookcountyil.gov; garvin.ambrose@cookcountyil.gov; Kathleen.mckee@cookcountyil.gov; Lawrence.Wilson@cookcountyil.gov; Ivana.Dabizljevic@cookcountyil.gov; djoens@ilsos.net; jessewhite@ilsos.net
Cc: Craig Futterman
Subject: Petition to the Cook County Local Records Commission: records of Chicago police misconduct allegations

Dear Local Records Commission Chair, members and designees,

Please find attached our petition regarding the retention schedule for records of allegations against Chicago police officers, and the resulting investigations.

Sincerely,
Samantha Liskow
Craig Futterman

December 6, 2015

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Cook County Local Records Commission

Martha Martinez, Chair

Dear Chair, Members & Designees of the Cook County Local Records Commission:

We petition the Commission to adopt a permanent retention schedule for all records relating to complaints and investigations of misconduct by Chicago police officers.

For 50 years, the City of Chicago and its police department have documented civilian allegations of abuse by police, as well as the resulting investigations into those charges. This information is contained in so-called “complaint register” and “log number” files.

The police department’s retention schedule for these files is a mere five years. This contrasts with many categories of Chicago police records that are afforded permanent protection. For example, the CPD maintains all freedom of information requests permanently. (Page 11, [CPD retention schedule](#).) Also permanently stored are salary records, “major incident” reports, and over two dozen other document categories.¹

Notably, the five-year retention period for police misconduct investigation records appears to hail from July 1973, with no review since. (Page 5, [CPD retention schedule](#).) It is high time for a re-review. Decades of police misconduct records have not yet been deleted per the retention schedule, and are therefore still available. The public need for and interest in these documents is intense, and the records must be accorded the same protection already given so many documents about Chicago police activities.

The undersigned attorneys brought the *Kalven* case in which the Illinois Appellate Court declared last year, in a watershed for open records, that police misconduct allegations are public. Since then, however, the bulk of Chicago’s misconduct documents remain hidden from the public, and imminent destruction of the records is possible.

¹ In addition to the many records that are permanently retained, numerous record categories have retention periods longer than the five years afforded complaint registers. For example, the CPD maintains personnel information for 60 years. (Page 18, [CPD retention schedule](#).) At least 90 categories of Chicago Police Department records have retention rates longer than five years. The retention schedule is found at: http://directives.chicagopolice.org/forms/CPD_11.717_Alphabetical.pdf.

The Chicago police unions have asked arbitrators to require the City to destroy all police misconduct allegation records, except those from the past five years, and an arbitrator recently issued an opinion supporting their position. The public was not permitted a role in the arbitration, but the public may lose decades of public records about its police force.

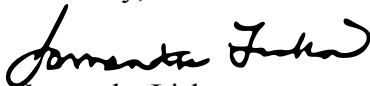
The destruction of the records would contribute to grave miscarriages of justice. Evidence of patterns of abuse by officers who are currently on the force, and continuing to harm civilians, will go up in smoke. Laquan McDonald would be alive if the City of Chicago had examined Officer Van Dyke's history of brutality complaints and acted on it. The records must be preserved and examined to prevent the killing of another child.

Another example: numerous men, detained for decades in Illinois prisons, are fighting for freedom on the grounds that they were tortured into false confessions by notorious police commander Burge, and other officers. Should the City purge its records of misconduct allegations against Burge and others, these petitioners lose potentially crucial evidence. This is but one evidentiary consequence of wholesale destruction of the records.

A permanent retention schedule for Chicago complaint register and log number files would, simply, bring records of allegations of misconduct in line with the many Chicago police documents for which this Commission has already granted permanent protection.

I will be attending your December Commission meeting and am happy to answer any questions. Thank you very much for your attention to this issue.

Sincerely,



Samantha Liskow, attorney

Craig Futterman, Clinical Professor of Law, University of Chicago Law School

CC:

Members of the Cook County Local Records Commission:

Martha Martinez, Chair, Cook County Chief Administrative Officer and designee for President Preckwinkle

Anita Alvarez, Cook County State's Attorney

Rahm Emanuel, Mayor of the City of Chicago

David Joens, Director of State Archives, and designee for Secretary White

Toni Preckwinkle, Cook County Board President

Jesse White, Secretary of State and State Archivist

Lawrence L. Wilson, Cook County Comptroller

Designees:

Brian Bannon, designee for Mayor Emanuel

Greta Bever, designee for Brian Bannon

Ivana Dabizljevic, designee for Comptroller Wilson

Kathleen McKee, designee for State's Attorney Alvarez

From: Patton, Stephen
Sent: Monday, December 07, 2015 11:09 AM
To: Notz, Jane; Martinico, Joseph; Peters, Lynda
Subject: FW: Petition to the Cook County Local Records Commission: records of Chicago police misconduct allegations
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FYI. Please review and let me know your analysis and recommendations.

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We should meet on this tonight when dust settles to decide where we're headed.

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Sent: Monday, December 07, 2015 11:18 AM
To: Update_List;Rountree, Janey;Bennett, Kenneth
Subject: Fwd: social media

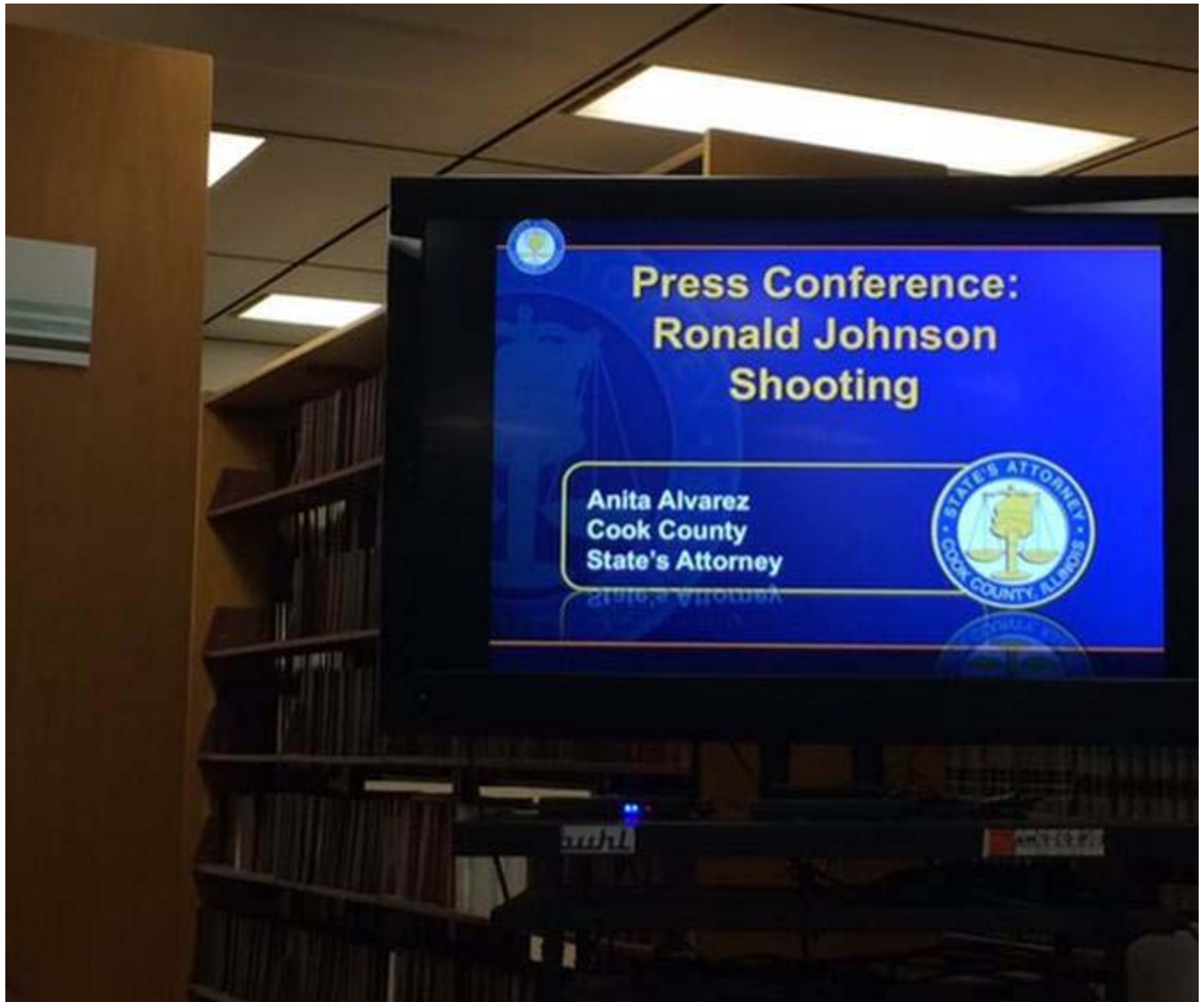
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Darlene Hill FOX 32 @darlene_hill 5m5 minutes ago
@LarryYellen has confirmed "NO CHARGES" will be filed against the #Chicago Police officer in the Ronald Johnson Shooting. @fox32news Live!

Mary Ann Ahern @MaryAnnAhernNBC 27s27 seconds ago
Breaking: More heads roll #CPD Chief of Detectives Dean Andrews resigns, also involved Koschman

From: Klinzman, Grant
Sent: Monday, December 07, 2015 11:05 AM
To: Ellis, Kiera; PRESS_LIST
Subject: RE: social media

Steve Schmadeke @SteveSchmadeke 2m2 minutes ago
Press conference with SA Anita Alvarez to begin soon. Am told she'll use 911 audio and video stills of shooting



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From: Ellis, Kiera
Sent: Monday, December 07, 2015 10:55 AM
To: PRESS_LIST
Subject: RE: social media

Crain's Chicago @CrainsChicago 3m3 minutes ago
Can Emanuel change his spots? To recover from #LaquanMcDonald scandal, he must trib.al/iBtVKeH via @greghinz

If there's anything a good politician has in abundance, it's sharp survival instincts. When the inevitable crisis comes rolling down the tracks, such a pol not only avoids getting smacked but somehow catapults into the engineer's seat to drive the train.

So, what happened to Mayor Rahm Emanuel? Supposedly one of the shrewdest pols in all the land, he walked right in front of the train on the Laquan McDonald matter. And it happened not once but

on multiple occasions, as he fumbled the release of the shooting video, the firing of police Superintendent Garry McCarthy and the expected onset of a federal probe into the Chicago Police Department. Why?

The answer will say much about whether Emanuel has any more lives left. More important, it will tell whether a city that desperately needs a strong, competent hand at the wheel at a time of carnage in the streets and financial chaos in Springfield still has one.

In calling current and former Emanuel insiders and others who know him well, I hear some things that suggest that, as always, there's another side to the story.

For instance, the mayor feared that if the McDonald video was released the wrong way, some cops would get their backs up and hit the city with a case of blue flu. And bad relations with some reporters, who "hate him," according to one mayoral ally, can make things look worse than they are.

But far more typically, I heard there really is a problem, and his name is Rahm Emanuel.

"He's a one-man band. That's the way he's been for five years. He micromanages everything," says an insider who knows the mayor well. "Sure, he needs a better staff. But he wouldn't listen to it anyhow."

Others make the same point: Emanuel is so focused on the short-term goal of winning the 24-hour news cycle that he gets in his own way and avoids the long-term plans needed to reach his ultimate goals. He downplayed the need for a federal probe of the Police Department, for example, even though such an **investigation is coming** anyhow and could provide him with the necessary cover to force unpopular but needed changes.

Emanuel "needs a Teele," says another source, referring to onetime mayoral aide Terry Teele, who in his own boisterous and convivial way was one of the few people in the world who could tell Richard M. Daley to his face when he was full of it.

Emanuel needs to think less about himself and more about the city and what's needed, says a former aide. "He always saves his political capital for himself."

Pick a top-rate new police chief, definitely an African-American, says another source who knows the mayor well. That and do a mea culpa tour of crime-plagued neighborhoods to let residents know he really has received the message this time.

Of course, **Emanuel said** he was going to spend more time in the neighborhoods after Jesus "Chuy" Garcia forced him into a runoff election last winter, and it didn't last long.

Still, Emanuel's professional life is filled with journeys from down to up. He lost his gig in the Bill Clinton White House but won his way back in. He was forced into that runoff against Garcia but then improbably got a wide majority of aldermen to vote for a needed **hike in property taxes**, the biggest in city history.

The mayor arguably has the ability to pull another Lazarus act. But he'll have to actually do it.

Some say they saw signs that Emanuel awoke to reality late in the week. That's when he quit saying dumb things like "I'm not going to resign" and decided to release the tape in another police shooting and "welcome" a federal probe.

Ultimately, as presidential counsel and Emanuel pal David Axelrod puts it, the mayor “has a historic opportunity to bring about changes to (police) policies and practices that have been in place for time immemorial . . . while maintaining effective policing. But that won't happen overnight.”

In other words: Start driving the train, Mr. Mayor. Then, stay with it.

From: Klinzman, Grant
Sent: Monday, December 07, 2015 10:53 AM
To: Ellis, Kiera; PRESS_LIST
Cc: Rendina, Michael
Subject: RE: social media

Mary Ann Ahern @MaryAnnAhernNBC 6m6 minutes ago
New Alderman want @ChiCouncil hearings into #LaquanMcDonald, says Justice invest not enough #Rahm



0 retweets0 likes

From: Klinzman, Grant
Sent: Monday, December 07, 2015 10:29 AM
To: Ellis, Kiera; PRESS_LIST
Subject: RE: social media

Peter Frost @peterfrost 29m29 minutes ago

Yes, Chicago is in dire financial straits. But this overly simplistic piece of demagoguery misses many points. [.nyp.st/1IJCnjo](http://nyp.st/1IJCnjo)

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To: PRESS_LIST
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NY POST OPINION

Rahm Emanuel's Chicago is looking a lot like 1974 New York

Chicago's pensions are a mess. Crime is raging out of control. Mayor Rahm Emanuel, formerly of the Obama White House, is raising taxes to fund his budget. He even had to fire his police chief amid racial unrest.

And yet, Wall Street thinks the Second City is a pretty swell place for people to invest their money.

Do the money men know something their clients, mainly small investors looking for a safe bet, don't? Actually, no — they're both a little bit greedy when brokerage commissions are at stake and largely clueless when it comes to predicting fiscal calamity amid liberal profligacy, which is why average investors should avoid Chicago as if it were New York back in the 1970s.

That begins by ignoring Wall Street's recent touting of Chicago debt as if it were triple-A paper. For the record, it isn't.

In fact, at least one rating agency puts the city's debt in the below-investment-grade, "junk-bond" category. And yet Barclays over the summer said Chicago bonds "present attractive strategic opportunities." Investors are listening: Prices of city debt that matures in 20 years have rallied over the past two months even as the fiscal picture there continues to look bleaker by the day.

“What Chicago is facing is a bit of math problem,” is how one broker spun the news. “They have a very large number that needs to be addressed. It’s pretty clear that they can eventually pay their debts. It’s hard to find a better, broader economy.”

Oh really? I can think of plenty of other places with better and broader economies: Texas, with its mix of energy, finance, high-tech and agriculture, to name just one. And, I might add, this is the same warped reasoning dished out by brokers just before New York’s fiscal crisis in the 1970s — and, for that matter, the fiscal crisis crushing Puerto Rico today.

Enabling Emanuel. First a little reality: Wall Street is pushing Chicago debt in large part because city taxpayers are still shelling out more money, in terms of higher interest rates, to entice investors to buy the bonds than they have in the past, despite the recent rally in prices.

So in a sense, the bond market has been an enabler of Emanuel’s mishandling of the city’s economy. Having an active market to sell debt provides short-term cover so he can continue to keep government large and raise property taxes to pay for additional largesse, such as a huge unfunded pension liability.

Chasing away the middle class. But if history is any guide, this short-term gain will lead to massive long-term pain.

The property-tax increase is aimed directly at the people the city needs most: middle-class homeowners. Think of it this way — Emanuel is telling the city’s middle class they should pay more to remain in the city despite the city’s burgeoning crime rate, not to mention its lousy, and scandal-tarred, school system.

Again, if history is any guide, Chicago’s middle class will bolt, just as they did in 1970s New York, squeezing the city even further. Recall: New York’s declining tax base was one of the main reasons for the city’s brush with default on some bond payments in 1975, sparking the broader fiscal crisis that took years to recover from.

Likewise, Puerto Rico is seeing an exodus of its middle and entrepreneurial class amid high taxes and soaring rates, and it too is on the edge of default.

Again, Wall Street didn’t put out the warning signs on New York’s debt until the default nearly occurred; as for Puerto Rico, I know many people whose brokers coaxed them to keep bonds even as the fiscal conditions began to deteriorate years ago.

Clueless in Chicago. Sadly, Emanuel appears to have no clue that the steps he's taking to deal with the city's myriad woes are part of a long-standing playbook of what to avoid when confronted with such turmoil.

On one level, it should surprise no one; his political patron is the economically clueless President Obama, the former community organizer and Chicago pol, who has spent eight years attacking wealth creators as the root of all evil.

Even sadder — particularly for the people of Chicago — is that there's no loyal opposition to his liberalism other than even-more-insane liberalism from left-wing radicals who made Emanuel look moderate.

New York City, even in the volatile 1960s and '70s, had an active Conservative Party, guided by the inimitable National Review editor and public intellectual Bill Buckley. Buckley ran for mayor and lost — but his conservative principles continued to thrive in think tanks and op-ed pages like this one so much that by 1993, New Yorkers elected Rudy Giuliani who succeeded in massively reforming city government.

The people of Puerto Rico weren't blessed with a loyal opposition; nor are the people of Chicago. It's a good reason to sell your bonds now.

From: Ellis, Kiera
Sent: Monday, December 07, 2015 10:24 AM
To: PRESS_LIST
Subject: RE: social media



Mayor calls special meeting of City Council before regular meeting - Wed. Dec 9 at 9 am regarding the CPD:

Dear Ms. Mendoza:

I hereby call a special meeting of the City Council of the City of Chicago, to be convened at 9:00 a.m. on Wednesday, December 9, 2015, in the City Council Chamber in City Hall, for the following purpose and for no other purpose whatsoever:

To receive a Message from the Mayor regarding the Chicago Police Department.

Very truly yours,



Mayor

From: Ellis, Kiera
Sent: Monday, December 07, 2015 10:23 AM
To: PRESS_LIST
Subject: RE: social media

CNN Breaking News @cnnbrk

Justice Department investigating if Chicago police engaged in a "pattern or practice" of violating federal law cnn.it/21JrDxa

From: Rodriguez, Eve
Sent: Monday, December 07, 2015 9:53 AM
To: Klinzman, Grant; PRESS_LIST
Cc: Rendina, Michael; SchedulingAndAdvance
Subject: RE: social media



[Aldertrack @Aldertrack](#) 9m9 minutes ago [Chicago, IL](#)

Graphic distributed by Black youth activist groups this morning. No ID or link for "Coalition of Accountability"

SHUT DOWN CITY COUNCIL PROTEST

DECEMBER 9TH @ 9:00 AM

"UNCOVER THE COVER UP"

Sponsored by Coalition Of Accountability



From: Klinzman, Grant
Sent: Monday, December 07, 2015 9:49 AM
To: PRESS_LIST
Subject: social media



Potash @LarryPotash 3m3 minutes ago

WGN confirms that there will be no charges in the Ronald Johnson case @WGNNews

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From: Silver, Steven
Sent: Monday, December 07, 2015 11:27 AM
To: Spielfogel, David;Quinn, Kelley
Cc: Collins, Adam;Ewing, Clothilde
Subject: RE: remarks for today
Attachments: Fairley Appt.-MRE_updated3.docx

Ok. We misunderstood. That makes more sense. Attached here.

From: Spielfogel, David
Sent: Monday, December 07, 2015 11:25 AM
To: Silver, Steven; Quinn, Kelley
Cc: Collins, Adam; Ewing, Clothilde
Subject: RE: remarks for today

This is the speech. I am asking for TODAY'S remarks. Need asap

From: Silver, Steven
Sent: Monday, December 07, 2015 11:20 AM
To: Quinn, Kelley; Spielfogel, David
Cc: Collins, Adam; Ewing, Clothilde
Subject: RE: remarks for today

It will take some time to track down what he wants to add. But if you want to see where he is going, here is the redline. Obviously I will clean up where I was typing fast to get his edits. Working as fast as I can.

From: Quinn, Kelley
Sent: Monday, December 07, 2015 11:18 AM
To: Spielfogel, David
Cc: Silver, Steven; Collins, Adam; Ewing, Clothilde
Subject: Re: remarks for today

Silver, how they coming?

On Dec 7, 2015, at 11:14 AM, Spielfogel, David <David.Spielfogel@cityofchicago.org> wrote:

Really need these now.

From: Quinn, Kelley
Sent: Monday, December 07, 2015 11:02 AM
To: Spielfogel, David
Cc: Silver, Steven; Collins, Adam; Ewing, Clothilde
Subject: Re: remarks for today

They just walked out and have to reconcile some things

On Dec 7, 2015, at 10:57 AM, Spielfogel, David <David.Spielfogel@cityofchicago.org> wrote:

Okay but need asap because we have to add stuff and get it vetted.

From: Quinn, Kelley
Sent: Monday, December 07, 2015 10:54 AM
To: Spielfogel, David
Cc: Collins, Adam; Ewing, Clothilde
Subject: Re: remarks for today

Silver and Clo are in with him right now going over them. We do not have.

On Dec 7, 2015, at 10:51 AM, Spielfogel, David <David.Spielfogel@cityofchicago.org> wrote:

Can I get current version asap.

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David Spielfogel
Mayor's Office
City of Chicago
312-744-2818 (o)

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From: Green, Melissa
Sent: Monday, December 07, 2015 11:34 AM
To: Ewing, Clothilde; Spector, Stephen
Cc: Collins, Adam
Subject: RE: talkers

I got it. yes my email is a mess get lots of thing very late. Pain in the ass...

From: Ewing, Clothilde
Sent: Monday, December 07, 2015 12:34 PM
To: Green, Melissa; Spector, Stephen
Cc: Collins, Adam
Subject: Re: talkers

No, I sent this email on Sunday. We are good on emails.

Sent from my BlackBerry 10 smartphone on the Verizon Wireless 4G LTE network.

From: Green, Melissa
Sent: Monday, December 7, 2015 11:28 AM
To: Ewing, Clothilde; Spector, Stephen
Cc: Collins, Adam
Subject: RE: talkers

I sent jake, joel and joe's email. Is that what you mean. Can send again. I have call into Nutter's person. Once I get them, I am going to offer her time with Janey and you or David. Then Mayor will need to call Nutter

From: Ewing, Clothilde
Sent: Monday, December 07, 2015 12:27 PM
To: Green, Melissa; Spector, Stephen
Cc: Collins, Adam
Subject: Re: talkers

This was sent yesterday about jake, Joel and Joe.

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From: Green, Melissa
Sent: Monday, December 7, 2015 11:18 AM
To: Spector, Stephen; Ewing, Clothilde
Cc: Collins, Adam
Subject: RE: talkers

Who is everyone? Sorry for all the questions but just making sure I understand

From: Spector, Stephen
Sent: Monday, December 07, 2015 12:17 PM
To: Ewing, Clothilde; Green, Melissa
Cc: Collins, Adam
Subject: Re: talkers

Do we have updated talkers that Melissa and others can get to surrogates? I can work on an updated set unless there's already new language.

From: Ewing, Clothilde
Sent: Sunday, December 6, 2015 1:17 PM
To: Spector, Stephen; Green, Melissa
Subject: Fw: talkers

There is a redline in here, but please clean up and use for when we send to the three along with the surrogate list? Melissa, do we have everyone's email addresses? I understand we aren't ready to send yet, but once we are, want to make sure we have what we need.

Sent from my BlackBerry 10 smartphone on the Verizon Wireless 4G LTE network.

From: Collins, Adam <Adam.Collins@cityofchicago.org>
Sent: Sunday, December 6, 2015 10:22 AM
To: Ewing, Clothilde
Cc: Spielfogel, David
Subject: RE: talkers

Attached

----- Original message -----

From: "Ewing, Clothilde" <Clothilde.Ewing@cityofchicago.org>
Date: 12/06/2015 10:15 AM (GMT-06:00)
To: "Collins, Adam" <Adam.Collins@cityofchicago.org>
Cc: "Spielfogel, David" <David.Spielfogel@cityofchicago.org>
Subject: Fw: talkers

Adam, any chance you can make that tweak? Will be away from computer for next 1.5 hours

Sent from my BlackBerry 10 smartphone on the Verizon Wireless 4G LTE network.

From: Spielfogel, David <David.Spielfogel@cityofchicago.org>
Sent: Sunday, December 6, 2015 10:12 AM
To: Ewing, Clothilde; Mitchell, Eileen; Collins, Adam; Patton, Stephen; Rountree, Janey; Rendina, Michael
Subject: Re: talkers

looks good. in first bullet, should be

it

From: Ewing, Clothilde
Sent: Sunday, December 6, 2015 8:39 AM
To: Spielfogel, David; Mitchell, Eileen; Collins, Adam; Patton, Stephen; Rountree, Janey; Rendina, Michael
Subject: talkers

Please see the talking points that I would like to get to Paul, Joe and Joel. H/T Adam who helped with this. Please send any edits by 11 if you can. [REDACTED]

Question would be something to the effect of:

[REDACTED]

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From: Ewing, Clothilde
Sent: Monday, December 07, 2015 11:36 AM
To: Green, Melissa; Spector, Stephen
Cc: Collins, Adam
Subject: Re: talkers

Yes

Sent from my BlackBerry 10 smartphone on the Verizon Wireless 4G LTE network.

From: Green, Melissa
Sent: Monday, December 7, 2015 11:35 AM
To: Ewing, Clothilde; Spector, Stephen
Cc: Collins, Adam
Subject: RE: talkers

From: Ewing, Clothilde
Sent: Monday, December 07, 2015 12:34 PM
To: Green, Melissa; Spector, Stephen
Cc: Collins, Adam
Subject: Re: talkers

Updated will be sent right after anita is done.

Sent from my BlackBerry 10 smartphone on the Verizon Wireless 4G LTE network.

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Cc: Collins, Adam
Subject: Re: talkers

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Sent from my BlackBerry 10 smartphone on the Verizon Wireless 4G LTE network.

From: Green, Melissa
Sent: Monday, December 7, 2015 11:18 AM
To: Spector, Stephen; Ewing, Clothilde

**CHAIN CONTINUES AS
PREVIOUSLY PRODUCED**

From: Burns, William
Sent: Monday, December 07, 2015 12:13 PM
To: Fields, Samantha;Rapelyea, Sean
Subject: Fwd: CUL Forum -- Truth and Justice for All: Advancing Police and Community Accountability
Attachments: image003.jpg

Sam/Sean

FYI

Will

Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

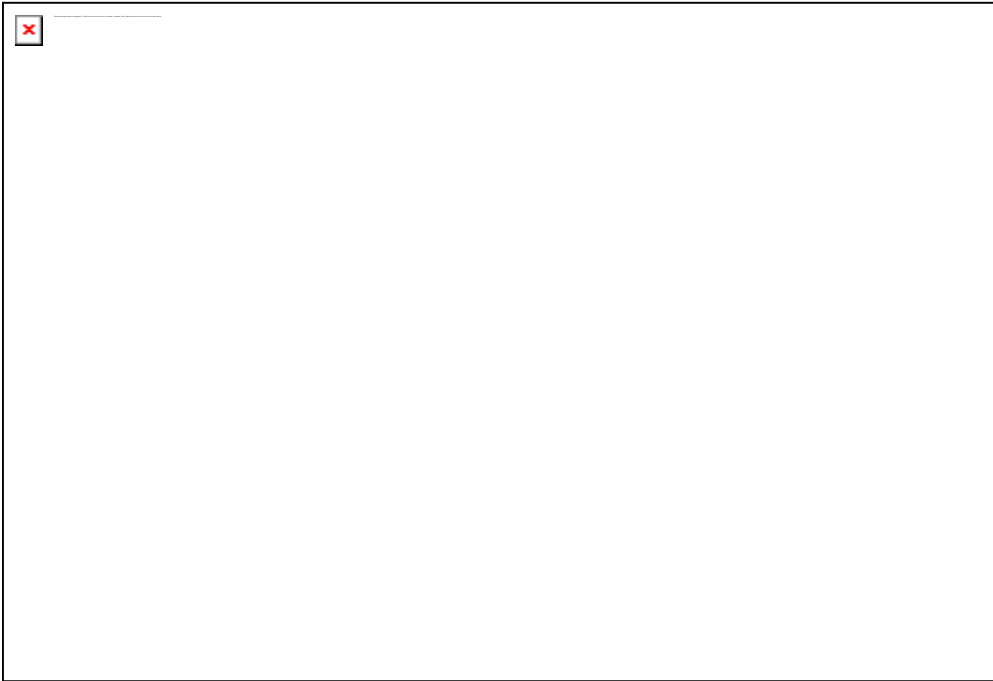
From: "Hurdlik, Carl" <cchurdlik@cps.edu>
Date: December 7, 2015 at 11:23:51 CST
To: undisclosed-recipients;;
Subject: CUL Forum -- Truth and Justice for All: Advancing Police and Community Accountability

FYL.....

Good Morning,

Please find below a media advisory Chicago Urban League's External Affairs Office distributed on Friday. Also attached (and below) is a flyer. We encourage you to share with your networks to raise awareness about the event. As well, please tweet/retweet/like/share on CUL's social media platforms.

Link to press release. <http://bit.ly/1THwidC>

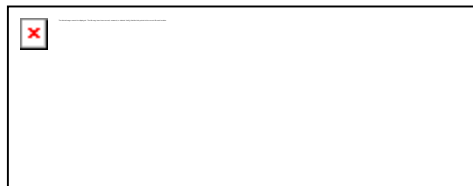


Sincerely,



Andrew J. Wells | Director

Workforce Development Center



CONTACT: Paula Thornton Greear [773-451-3536](tel:773-451-3536) (office), [773-892-5427](tel:773-892-5427) (cell)
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MEDIA ADVISORY

Chicago Urban League to Hold Community Forum

Truth and Justice for All: Advancing Police and Community Accountability

What: “Truth and Justice for All: Advancing Police and Community Accountability” will examine the need for improved policing practices by the Chicago Police Department (CPD) following the death of Laquan McDonald. The Chicago Urban League (CUL) brings together a panel of the nation’s leading voices on social justice and legal issues for a critical discussion on how to reform the CPD and why reform is necessary. Community members will have the opportunity to verbalize their growing frustrations and recommend ways to improve relations between their neighborhoods and the CPD.

Confirmed Panelists:

Lorenzo Davis, former Chicago Police Department investigator

Craig Futterman, Clinical Professor of Law, The University of Chicago, and Founder, Civil Rights Accountability Project

Jamie Kalven, The Invisible Institute

Trina Reynolds, Black Youth Project 100

Shari Runner, Interim President & CEO, Chicago Urban League

Paul Strauss, Co-Director of Litigation for the Chicago Lawyers’ Committee for Civil Rights Under Law and Director of the CLC’s Employment Opportunities Project

Rufus Williams, President and CEO of BBF Family Services

*Representatives from Mayor Emanuel’s office have also been invited to participate

Moderator: **Dometi Pongo**, News Anchor, WVON 1690AM

Where: Chicago Urban League, 4510 South Michigan Ave., Chicago, IL 60653

When: **Wednesday, December 9, 2015 * 6:00 p.m. – 8:30 p.m. (CST)**

“We can no longer allow African American lives to be taken without accountability. The long-standing lack of transparency and due process has earned mistrust in law enforcement,” said Shari Runner, Interim President & CEO, CUL. “This forum will allow us to begin the conversation about what we need to do to heal the police and community relationship.”

About the Chicago Urban League

Established in 1916, the Chicago Urban League works for economic, educational and social progress for African Americans and promotes strong sustainable communities through advocacy, collaboration and innovation. For more information, visit www.thechicagourbanleague.org. Find us on [Facebook](#) or follow us on [Twitter](#).

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From: Green, Melissa
Sent: Monday, December 07, 2015 12:17 PM
To: Ewing, Clothilde
Subject: FW: Following-up from Chicago
Attachments: Surrogates List.xlsx; Talkers - December 6.docx

[REDACTED]

From: Spector, Stephen
Sent: Sunday, December 06, 2015 5:32 PM
To: joel@gpg.com; joe@gpg.com; Jake.Siewert@gs.com
Cc: Ewing, Clothilde; Green, Melissa
Subject: Following-up from Chicago

Joel, Joe, and Jake:

Thank you for taking the time out of your Sunday afternoon to speak with us. We greatly appreciate your insight.

Following up on the call, I'm sending around a few items for your review.

[REDACTED]

Moving forward, let Clo and me know of any feedback that you may have, and feel free to route any folks our way. Thank you again.

Appreciatively,

Stephen Spector and Clo Ewing

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From: OPEMayor
Sent: Monday, December 07, 2015 12:18 PM
Subject: Sun Times Editorial
Attachments: Sun_Times_Editorial_12.5.15.pdf

Follow Up Flag: Follow up
Flag Status: Completed

Dear Colleagues,

In case you have not had a chance to read it yet, I wanted to share with you the Mayor's piece that was published in the Tribune and the Sun Times this weekend. In his op-ed, the Mayor directly addresses the tragic shooting of Laquan McDonald and the specific steps that the City took in the aftermath to help set the record straight.

Most importantly, the Mayor reiterated that he takes full responsibility for ensuring that officers are held accountable for any abuses and restoring trust between police and the residents of Chicago to help ensure that a tragedy like this never happens again.

If you have any thoughts or questions, please do not hesitate to reach out to me.

Best,

Eileen

Eileen Mitchell
Office of the Mayor
(312)744-6246

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SUN TIMES // Mayor Rahm Emanuel // December 4, 2015

Rahm Emanuel was first elected mayor of Chicago in 2011 and reelected on April 7, 2015.

Chicago is facing a defining moment on the issues of crime and policing and the even larger issues of truth and justice. To meet this moment, we need to conduct a painful but honest reckoning of what went wrong — not just in one instance, but over decades. Then we need to determine what to do differently to ensure that incidents like this don't happen again.

We cannot afford to have any resident of our city living in fear of the police and distrusting their words and actions. And we cannot allow the crimes of a small number of officers to taint the good work of the vast majority who put their lives on the line every day.

What happened last October 2014 on South Pulaski Road should never have happened. Systems should have been in place to prevent it. Supervision and leadership at every level of the police department and the oversight agencies should have come into play. They didn't, and that has to change.

What I strongly reject is the suggestion that the videotape of the McDonald shooting was withheld from the public because of the election. Here are the facts:

The videotape was handled in precisely the same way such tapes and evidence have been historically. Longstanding practice has been to release such material only after prosecutors and city investigators have finished their investigation. The reason for that was to prevent potential witnesses from tailoring their stories to fit the evidence.

Some say I should have ordered a departure from standard procedure and released the tape before the prosecutors had acted. Had I seen the video, I might have done that. But I don't review evidence precisely because my own emotions should not interfere with criminal investigations.

The release of this type of evidence is one of many issues we need to rethink moving forward. How do we balance concerns against prematurely releasing evidence and jeopardizing prosecutions with the community's right to see such material in a timely way? How do we promote accountability and transparency without sacrificing one for the other?

In this case, the city followed its standard policy.

Within nine days of that shooting the city collected all evidence in the case, including the dash-cam video, and turned it over to prosecutors. No one could have predicted that it would take more than a year to finish the probe. It was just as likely that charges

would be filed during the campaign, in which case the video would have become public before the election.

At the end of the day, I am the mayor and I own it. I take responsibility for what happened and I will fix it. Nothing less than complete and total reform of the system and the culture will meet the standards we have to set for ourselves.

I know the history of police-community relations in Chicago. I am the mayor who agreed to provide reparations and bring important closure to the victims of Jon Burge and police torture in Chicago. I am the mayor who has committed to restoring community policing, because the only way to fight crime effectively is to build trust between officers and the residents they serve. I am the mayor who instituted body cameras for police, to reduce incidents of police misconduct as well as unfounded complaints.

So I should have known that in the light of the checkered history of misconduct in the Chicago Police Department, that the long delay in releasing the videotape could raise concerns and suspicions across our city. Our goal was to protect the integrity of the investigation. But instead of establishing trust, the prolonged period between when the shooting occurred and when charges were filed created mistrust.

We need to fix that and restore the trust that was lost.

Some have alleged that our settlement with Laquan's family was part of a cover-up. But nothing could be further from the truth. It was the lawyers for Laquan's family who approached the city on Feb. 27 and expressed a desire to settle the case quickly and without a lawsuit. The city's lawyers began discussions with the plaintiff's attorney shortly thereafter and came to an agreement in principle on March 24.

As part of that agreement lawyers for the family and the city sought to present the settlement for approval at the next City Council meeting, which was on April 15. The first possible opportunity to present the agreement to the Council's Finance Committee was on April 13. At that meeting, our Corporation Counsel, Steve Patton, explained why a settlement was in the city's best interest. Among the main reasons was the police dash-cam videotape, which he described in detail.

If there is any good to come out of this horrific incident, it has caused us to re-examine how we handle cases of police misconduct and excessive force in Chicago. And I'm committed to making the changes our city desperately needs.

If any good comes from this tragedy, it should be a historic set of reforms that prevents abuses, promotes transparency and rebuilds the confidence of all Chicagoans that they will be treated fairly. That is the marker I am setting for myself, the next police superintendent and the reform commission I've appointed. And it's one by which I expect to be measured.

From: Spielfogel, David
Sent: Monday, December 07, 2015 12:20 PM
To: Collins, Adam; Mitchell, Eileen
Cc: Ewing, Clothilde; Quinn, Kelley; Rountree, Janey; Deal, Joe; Patton, Stephen; Rendina, Michael
Subject: RE: final johnson statement

I am fine with that but it's new and not my wheelhouse.

From: Collins, Adam
Sent: Monday, December 07, 2015 12:19 PM
To: Mitchell, Eileen; Spielfogel, David
Cc: Ewing, Clothilde; Quinn, Kelley; Rountree, Janey; Deal, Joe; Patton, Stephen; Rendina, Michael
Subject: RE: final johnson statement

Here's his edited version. [REDACTED]

From: Mitchell, Eileen
Sent: Monday, December 07, 2015 12:17 PM
To: Spielfogel, David
Cc: Collins, Adam; Ewing, Clothilde; Quinn, Kelley; Rountree, Janey; Deal, Joe; Patton, Stephen; Rendina, Michael
Subject: Re: final johnson statement

Hold for now - reviewing again

Eileen Mitchell
Office of the Mayor
(312) 744-6246 (office)
(312) [REDACTED] (mobile)

On Dec 7, 2015, at 12:10 PM, Spielfogel, David <David.Spielfogel@cityofchicago.org> wrote:

I am still good with this. defer to you if everyone has signed off.

From: Collins, Adam
Sent: Monday, December 07, 2015 12:08 PM
To: Ewing, Clothilde; Spielfogel, David; Quinn, Kelley; Mitchell, Eileen; Rountree, Janey; Deal, Joe; Patton, Stephen; Rendina, Michael
Subject: RE: final johnson statement

This is the format with the links and statements

From: Ewing, Clothilde
Sent: Monday, December 07, 2015 12:04 PM
To: Spielfogel, David; Collins, Adam; Quinn, Kelley; Mitchell, Eileen; Rountree, Janey; Deal, Joe; Patton, Stephen; Rendina, Michael
Subject: RE: final johnson statement

No, I wanted you to see the copy

From: Spielfogel, David
Sent: Monday, December 07, 2015 12:03 PM
To: Ewing, Clothilde; Collins, Adam; Quinn, Kelley; Mitchell, Eileen; Rountree, Janey; Deal, Joe; Patton, Stephen; Rendina, Michael
Subject: RE: final johnson statement

This is the format that it's going out in? who hasn't approved? Has to go now.

From: Ewing, Clothilde
Sent: Monday, December 07, 2015 12:02 PM
To: Collins, Adam; Spielfogel, David; Quinn, Kelley; Mitchell, Eileen; Rountree, Janey; Deal, Joe; Patton, Stephen; Rendina, Michael
Subject: RE: final johnson statement

No further edits came in

MRE JOHNSON STATEMENT

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ESCALANTE JOHNSON STATEMENT

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From: Collins, Adam
Sent: Monday, December 07, 2015 12:00 PM
To: Spielfogel, David; Quinn, Kelley; Mitchell, Eileen; Rountree, Janey; Ewing, Clothilde; Deal, Joe; Patton, Stephen; Rendina, Michael
Subject: RE: final johnson statement

Clo has the latest versions. Not sure if there were updates

----- Original message -----

From: "Spielfogel, David" <David.Spielfogel@cityofchicago.org>

Date: 12/07/2015 11:56 AM (GMT-06:00)

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OVERALL MESSAGE

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Q&A

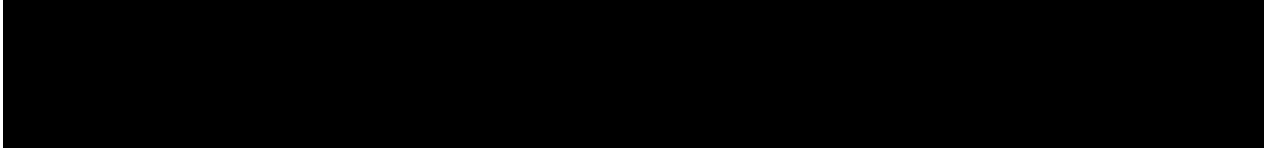
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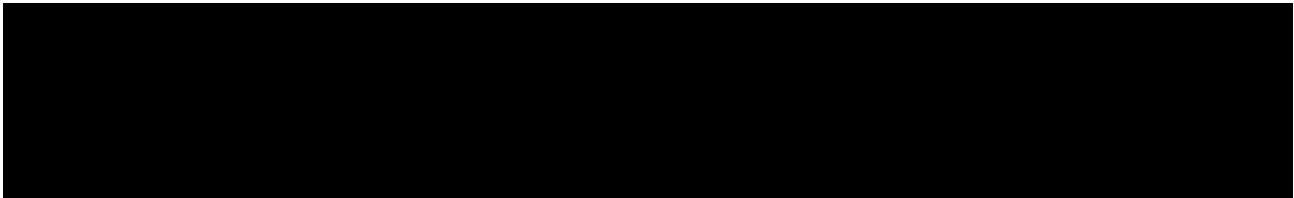
Can Rahm survive this?

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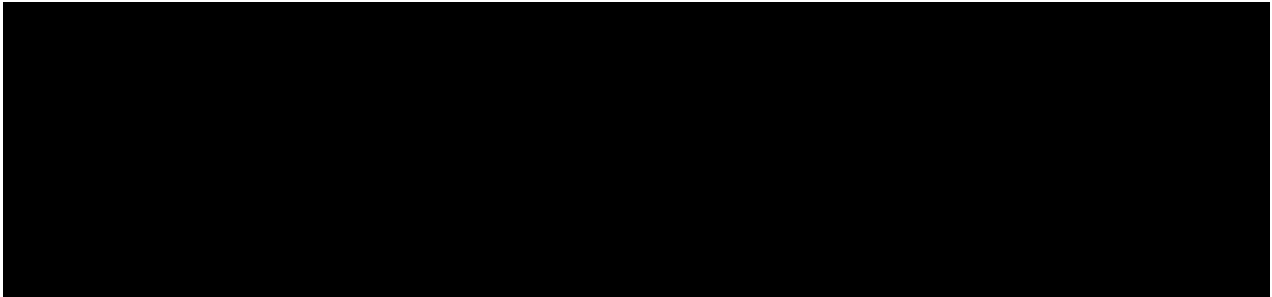
Do you think an op-ed is enough to set the record straight and to confidence people they should trust him?

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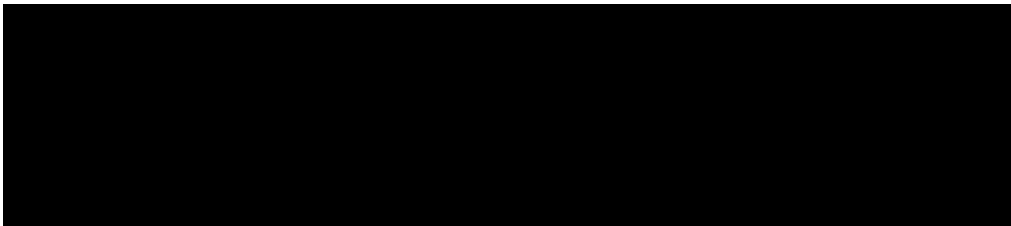
Many are saying that he sacrificed McCarthy and now the head of IPRA to save his own job.

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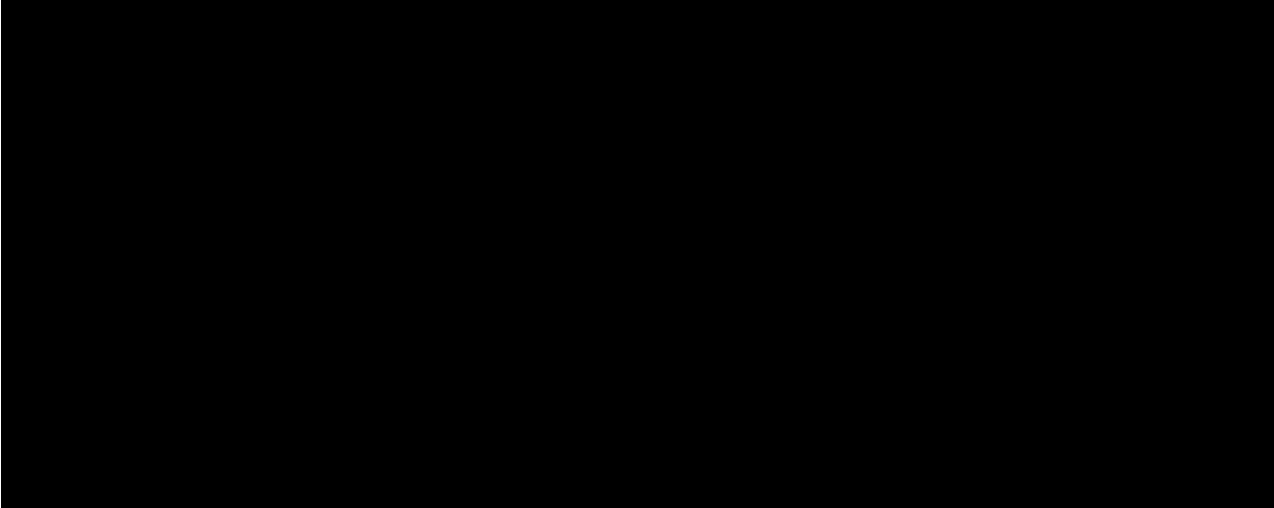
After two weeks of protests and tension in Chicago, the city is bracing for the release of another video. There are reports that the police account is again inconsistent with the video – and that police may have planted a gun at the scene. Even if it's not true, how can anyone trust them?

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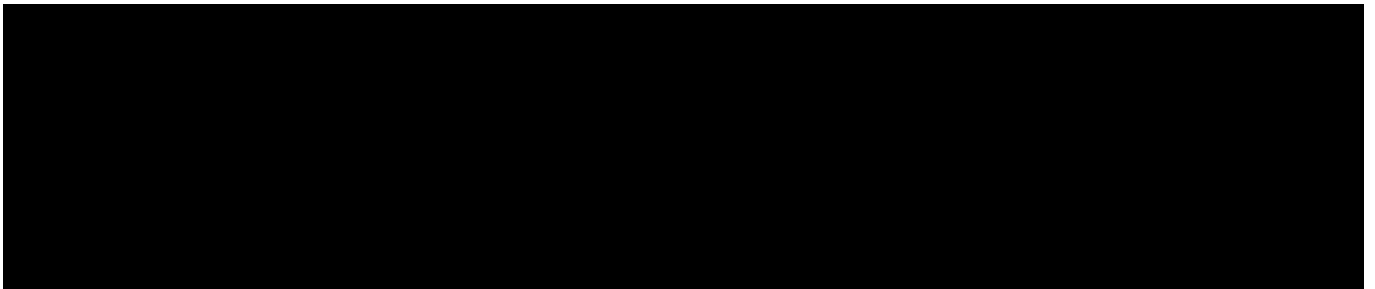
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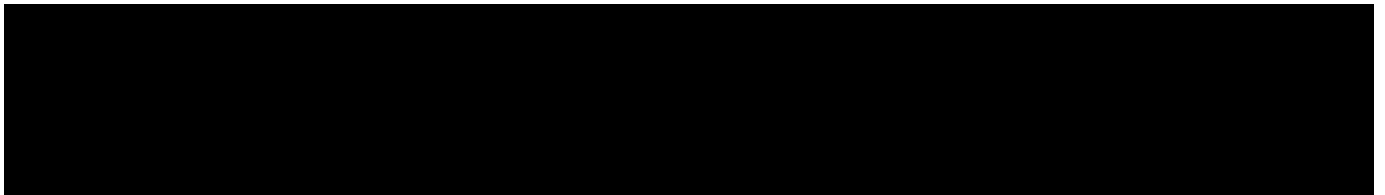
The City paid the family of Laquan McDonald \$5 million a week after the Mayor's re-election, and then spent months more trying to keep the video from becoming public. It wasn't until a judge forced its release that the video came out.

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Do you really think Rahm didn't see the video?

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Police Misconduct in Chicago: I Own It; I'll Fix It

By Rahm Emanuel

Chicago is facing a defining moment on the issues of crime and policing and the even larger issues of truth and justice. To meet this moment, we need to conduct a painful but honest reckoning of what went wrong – not just in one instance, but over decades. Then we need to determine what to do differently to ensure that incidents like this don't happen again.

We cannot afford to have any resident of our city living in fear of the police and distrusting their words and actions. And we cannot allow the crimes of a small number of officers to taint the good work of the vast majority who put their lives on the line every day.

What happened last October 2014 on South Pulaski Road should never have happened. Systems should have been in place to prevent it. Supervision and leadership at every level of the police department and the oversight agencies should have come into play.

They didn't, and that has to change.

What I strongly reject is the suggestion that the videotape of the McDonald shooting was withheld from the public because of the election. Here are the facts:

The videotape was handled in precisely the same way such tapes and evidence have been historically. Longstanding practice has been to release such material only after prosecutors and city investigators have finished their investigation. The reason for that was to prevent potential witnesses from tailoring their stories to fit the evidence.

Some say I should have ordered a departure from standard procedure and released the tape before the prosecutors had acted. Had I seen the video, I might have done that. But I don't review evidence precisely because my own emotions should not interfere with criminal investigations.

The release of this type of evidence is one of many issues we need to rethink moving forward. How do we balance concerns against prematurely releasing evidence and jeopardizing prosecutions with the community's right to see such material in a timely way? How do we promote accountability and transparency, without sacrificing one for the other?

In this case, the city followed its standard policy.

Within nine days of that shooting the city collected all evidence in the case, including the dash-cam video, and turned it over to prosecutors. No one could have predicted that it would take more than a year to finish the probe. It was just as likely that charges would be filed during the campaign, in which case the video would have become public before the election.

At the end of the day, I am the mayor and I own it. I take responsibility for what happened and I will fix it. Nothing less than complete and total reform of the system and the culture will meet the standards we have to set for ourselves.

I know the history of police-community relations in Chicago. I am the mayor who agreed to provide reparations and bring important closure to the victims of Jon Burge and police torture in Chicago. I am the mayor who has committed to restoring community policing, because the only way to fight crime effectively is to build trust between officers and the residents they serve. I am the mayor who instituted body cameras for police, to reduce incidents of police misconduct as well as unfounded complaints.

So I should have known that in the light of the checkered history of misconduct in the Chicago Police Department, that the long delay in releasing the videotape could raise concerns and suspicions across our city. Our goal was to protect the integrity of the investigation. But instead of establishing trust, the prolonged period between when the shooting occurred and when charges were filed created mistrust. We need to fix that and restore the trust that was lost.

Some have alleged that our settlement with Laquan's family was part of a cover-up. But nothing could be further from the truth. It was the lawyers for Laquan's family who approached the city on February 27th and expressed a desire to settle the case quickly and without a lawsuit. The city's lawyers began discussions with the plaintiff's attorney shortly thereafter and came to an agreement in principle on March 24th.

As part of that agreement lawyers for the family and the city sought to present the settlement for approval at the next City Council meeting, which was on April 15th. The first possible opportunity to present the agreement to the Council's Finance Committee was on April 13th. At that meeting, our Corporation Counsel, Steve Patton, explained why a settlement was in the city's best interest. Among the main reasons was the police dash-cam videotape, which he described in detail.

If there is any good to come out of this horrific incident, it has caused us to re-examine how we handle cases of police misconduct and excessive force in Chicago. And I'm committed to making the changes our city desperately needs.

If any good comes from this tragedy, it should be a historic set of reforms that prevents abuses, promotes transparency and rebuilds the confidence of all Chicagoans that they will be treated fairly. That is the marker I am setting for myself, the next police superintendent and the reform commission I've appointed. And it's one by which I expect to be measured.

ALLEGATIONS OF A COVER UP

How do you explain the timing of the City's settlement in the Laquan McDonald shooting, right after your re-election?

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What do you make then of the fact that after police went through the videos at the Burger King, and now there is a chunk of video missing that would have captured this shooting?

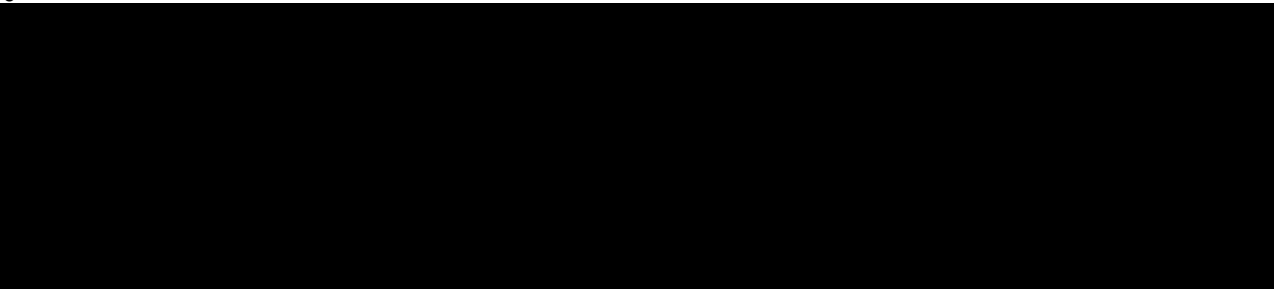
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COMPLAINTS ABOUT THE TASK FORCE

People say this task force is just another effort in a long series of efforts to whitewash a fundamental cultural issue in CPD?

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How do you respond to those who are concerned your newly appointed task force is not independent, and therefore can't change the culture at CPD?

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Why add two people who used to work at CPD – Hiram Grau and Lori Lightfoot?

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RONALD JOHNSON VIDEO

You said last week that you would release the Johnson video this week. Why not just do it now? Why wait?

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Have you seen the video?

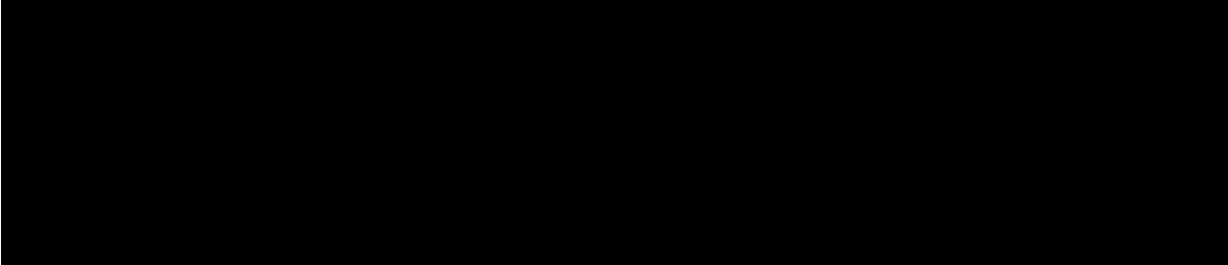
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You were quick to find fault with Jason Van Dyke, even before you saw the video. Has it been described to you and what are your feelings about the officer's actions?

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- While it is always very hard to watch someone be shot and killed, regardless of the circumstances, from what I have been told there are other factors in this case that are being considered by prosecutors.
- My hope is that in the coming days they are able conclude their investigation and shed further light on this case.

Are you suggesting they will bring charges? Have you heard that is the case?

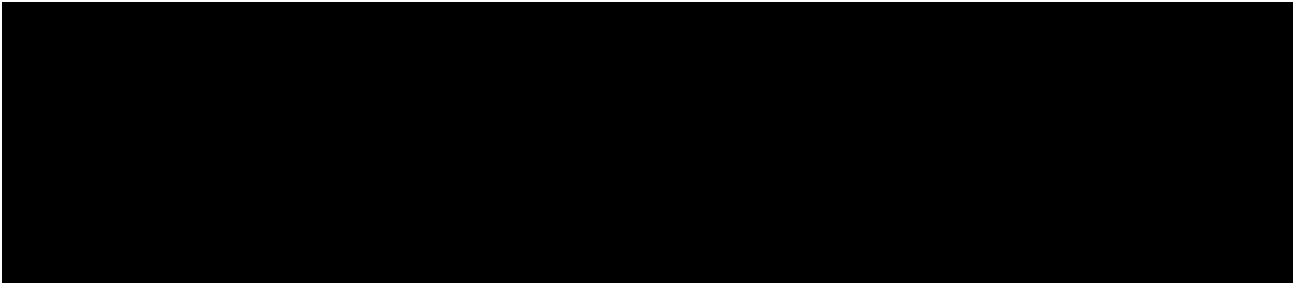
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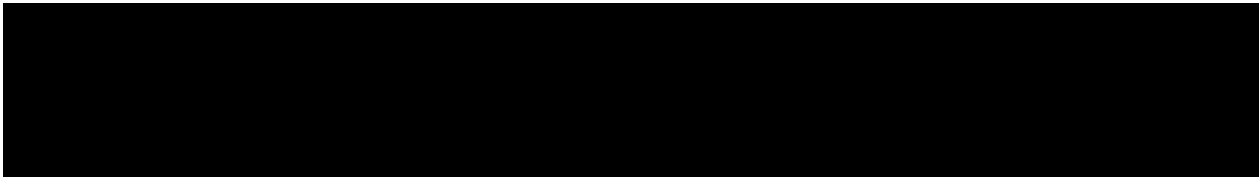
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POLITICS/CALLS TO RESIGN/FUTURE

Bernie Sanders yesterday said that anyone who was involved in covering up the Laquan McDonald case should resign. Though he didn't mention any names, you have to assume he's talking about you. How do you respond?

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You said last week you would not resign, yet the calls continue to grow louder. At what point will you have to reconsider?

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Could you have won the election had these videos come out before?

[REDACTED]

POSSIBLE DOJ INVESTIGATION

What is your hope for what DOJ will do here?

- [REDACTED]

Have you spoken to DOJ about a possible investigation into CPD, or has your office?

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Cover Up

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Reelection Conspiracy



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Subject: Updated Wednesday speech
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Here is the updated with redline edits from prep this morning. About to go back in with him for prep. Will bring clean copies and redline his additional edits.

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CPD will send in 10. It includes all raw videos and audio, a link to the combined video and audio, and the underlying case files.

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Cc: Roussel, James M. (James.Roussel@chicagopolice.org);Adam Collins
(adam.collins@cityofchicago.org)
Subject: Review of LM case file

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Superintendent,
Per our conversation earlier, below is a draft response to the question about your review of the Laquan McDonald shooting and case report. Please feel free to edit this or add detail where my version is not accurate.

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On background: [Redacted]

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Sent: Monday, December 07, 2015 12:45 PM
To: Ewing, Clothilde; Green, Melissa; Spector, Stephen
Subject: Re:

Did you get the MRE statement on Johnson?

From: Ewing, Clothilde
Sent: Monday, December 7, 2015 12:25 PM
To: Collins, Adam; Green, Melissa; Spector, Stephen
Subject: Re:

Sent from my BlackBerry 10 smartphone on the Verizon Wireless 4G LTE network.

From: Ewing, Clothilde
Sent: Monday, December 7, 2015 12:21 PM
To: Collins, Adam; Green, Melissa; Spector, Stephen
Subject: Re:

Thank you!

Sent from my BlackBerry 10 smartphone on the Verizon Wireless 4G LTE network.

From: Collins, Adam

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From: Deal, Joe
Sent: Monday, December 07, 2015 12:59 PM
To: Laws, Lisa
Subject: RE: Update Chain: Monday 12/7

Ok.

From: Laws, Lisa
Sent: Monday, December 07, 2015 12:52 PM
To: Deal, Joe
Subject: RE: Update Chain: Monday 12/7

I'm just going to head to oemc

From: Deal, Joe
Sent: Monday, December 07, 2015 12:51 PM
To: Laws, Lisa
Subject: RE: Update Chain: Monday 12/7

Are you following this one? Are they on the move? Blocking traffic?

From: Laws, Lisa
Sent: Monday, December 07, 2015 12:32 PM
To: Deal, Joe
Subject: RE: Update Chain: Monday 12/7

Currently approx. 40 on site.

From: Deal, Joe
Sent: Monday, December 07, 2015 11:36 AM
To: Laws, Lisa
Subject: Re: Update Chain: Monday 12/7

Thanks.

From: Laws, Lisa
Sent: Monday, December 7, 2015 11:34 AM
To: Deal, Joe
Subject: RE: Update Chain: Monday 12/7

OC has limited view, can't see anyone out there at the moment. No reports of any activity from CPD.

From: Deal, Joe
Sent: Monday, December 07, 2015 11:32 AM
To: Laws, Lisa
Subject: Re: Update Chain: Monday 12/7

Count?

From: Deal, Joe
Sent: Monday, December 7, 2015 10:50 AM
To: Laws, Lisa
Subject: Re: Update Chain: Monday 12/7

Make sure someone is watching the noon location. Try to get an estimate of numbers around 11:30.

From: Laws, Lisa
Sent: Monday, December 7, 2015 10:03 AM
To: Henry, Vance; Deal, Joe; Escareno, Rosa; Rapelyea, Sean; Hall, Abby; Quinn, Kelley; Ewing, Clothilde; Mitchell, Eileen; Spielfogel, David; Rendina, Michael; Harte, Meghan; Negron, Michael; Faulman, Mike; Bennett, Kenneth; Rountree, Janey; Watkins, Victoria
Subject: Update Chain: Monday 12/7

Good Morning All,

Planned Protests for 12/7 (Monday)

- **10:00am: Regarding Police Brutality**
 - Location: Cook County Courthouse, 2600 S California

- **Noon – 1:30pm: “Flood the System Chicago Day of Action-Flood, Blockade, Occupy and Shut Down the Systems that Jeopardize Our Future!”**
 - Location: Prizker Park, 310 S State St
 - The group will “take part in a creative action that targets the institutions that profit from putting people in prison, home foreclosure, gentrification and climate change.”

- **1:45pm: Sit-In - Laquan McDonald and reform**
 - Location: City Hall

Upcoming Protests

Thursday, 12/10/15

- 5:00pm: "Protest Dept of Justice Complicity in Police Crimes"
 - Location: Federal Plaza, 230 S Dearborn
 - "Protest Dept of Justice Complicity in Police Crimes," and will present an open letter and complaint to US Attorney Loretta Lynch.

Will update when details become available.

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From: Silver, Steven
Sent: Monday, December 07, 2015 1:11 PM
To: Ewing, Clothilde
Cc: Mitchell, Eileen; Spielfogel, David; Collins, Adam; Quinn, Kelley; Rendina, Michael; Bennett, Kenneth; Collier, Laurie
Subject: RE: letters
Attachments: 12.7_Public_Safety_Annoucements_Cabinet_and_Aldermanic_Version_dr1.docx; 12.7_Public_Safety_Annoucements_Community_Version_dr1.docx

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Here are two drafts – a version for cabinet and Aldermen and a version for the community list. I will pull together relevant attachments in a PDF and send separately. Let me know any edits you need to these.

From: Ewing, Clothilde
Sent: Sunday, December 06, 2015 9:52 PM
To: Silver, Steven
Cc: Mitchell, Eileen; Spielfogel, David; Collins, Adam; Quinn, Kelley; Rendina, Michael; Bennett, Kenneth; Collier, Laurie
Subject: letters

We will need letters prepped to send to cabinet, aldermen and OPE list regarding public safety updates. Steve, please come see me tomorrow morning and I can walk you through it. Emails will go out after Mayor's press conference in the afternoon, but should be ready to go as close to his conclusion as possible.

Thanks!

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From: Spector, Stephen
Sent: Monday, December 07, 2015 1:19 PM
To: PRESS_LIST;Update_List;Rountree, Janey;Bennett, Kenneth
Subject: ST: Black aldermen urge Justice Dept. to investigate police hiring

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Black aldermen urge Justice Dept. to investigate police hiring
Chicago Sun Times // Fran Spielman

The U.S. Justice Department's sweeping civil rights investigation is a "golden opportunity" to restore public trust in the Chicago Police Department shattered by the Laquan McDonald shooting video, but black aldermen say the feds must go beyond deadly force, excessive force and unconstitutional patterns of policing to include police hiring.

Ald. Anthony Beale (9th), former chairman of the City Council's Police Committee, has called independently administered background checks and psychological exams the "tools used to weed out and disqualify" minorities.

That's a claim Police Supt. Garry McCarthy called "absolutely absurd" before being fired for becoming what Mayor Rahm Emanuel called a "distraction" in the furor over the Laquan McDonald shooting video.

Now that McCarthy is gone and the feds are putting the Chicago Police Department under the microscope, Beale seized the chance to renew his claims about policing hiring.

"We definitely want [Attorney General Loretta Lynch] to look at the hiring practices that systematically exclude minorities. That is a huge first step into having the department reflect the community to where you don't have situations like this in the future," Beale said.

"This is a golden opportunity for the Justice Department to come in and clean up what we've been talking about for so many years — the injustices that happen within the police department going all the way from hiring to firing. ... If we can scrub the department from beginning to the end, [we can] put trust back into a city that has lost its trust in the police department."

Beale also urged the Justice Department to examine why there was no audio in the Laquan McDonald and Ronald Johnson dashcam shooting videos.

"There may be some officers who don't want to be recorded, so they systematically install the batteries backwards," Beale said, citing conversations with several officers.

"Once they do that thorough investigation and see why each one of those officers' squad car batteries were installed backwards, I don't think that's a coincidence. Once she comes in and gets to the bottom of that, you will not have those audio dashcams not working because of those batteries being installed backwards."

If the Justice Department uncovers an unconstitutional pattern of discriminatory policing, the result would be judicial oversight and the appointment of a federal monitor similar to the one that rode heard over city hiring for nearly a decade after top aides to former Mayor Richard M. Daley were convicted of rigging city hiring.

Ald. Will Burns (4th), one of Mayor Rahm Emanuel's staunchest supporters, considers that a good thing, even though it's certain to cost millions Chicago can ill afford.

"\$500 million in settlements for excessive force lawsuits [over the last decade] is also very expensive. And the loss of trust in the community ... is very costly when you're trying to find wrongdoers and folks who are shooting up neighborhoods. So, in the cost-benefit analysis, the benefits will far outweigh the cost," Burns said.

"If you look at cities like Pittsburgh, Cleveland, Baltimore and Los Angeles, it's led to significant reforms. Justice Department recommendations are enforceable through a consent decree, which will mean there is oversight over Chicago to make sure their recommendations are actually implemented, as opposed to sitting on a shelf somewhere. And the city cannot get out of it until it has complied completely with the recommendations."

Burns, Beale and Ald. Carrie Austin (34th) urged Emanuel not to wait for the outcome of the sweeping federal investigation to fire police officers who tailored their reports to the story being told by Officer Jason Van Dyke, who has been charged with first-degree murder in the McDonald case.

They did that by claiming — even though the video shows otherwise — that McDonald was swinging a small knife in his hand in an "aggressive, exaggerated manner" and "attempting to get up" even after being shot.

"That's despicable for them to have lied on their report of what took place, and the video shows different," Austin said.

Burns branded lying on a police report a "major infraction" that requires immediate termination.

"The police reports, and all the information that was released, is what makes people believe there was a cover-up. If there hadn't been a dashcam video, it's very possible those officers' interpretations of what happened that night would have become the record on that case," Burns said.

"We have to move quickly in this city to demonstrate that kind of stuff is not going to be permitted. That's the only way you restore confidence — by holding people accountable who don't follow the rules."

Last week, Emanuel fired McCarthy in the unrelenting furor over the Laquan McDonald video and the city's decision to wait until a week after the mayoral election to authorize a \$5 million settlement to the McDonald family, but keep the incendiary video under wraps until a judge ordered the city to release it.

Late Sunday, Scott Ando, chief administrator of the Independent Police Review Authority, was also forced out.

Austin strongly disagreed with the mayor's decision to throw Ando under the bus.

"I thought he was doing a good job. I really do. ... He was not allowing shootings to just go unnoticed, and you throw him out the door for that? I don't think that was fair," Austin said.

The Justice Department's sweeping civil rights investigation was not enough to stop rookie Ald. David Moore (17th) from demanding that the City Council hold an investigative hearing into the Laquan McDonald case. Moore said it's not a matter of playing "gotcha" with Emanuel, but rather about giving the mayor an opportunity to explain why he fought so hard to keep the video under wraps.

But Beale, Burns and Austin said they see no need for a City Council investigation. They called it "grandstanding" by a rookie alderman aimed at shedding "more heat than light."

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From: Spector, Stephen
Sent: Thursday, December 03, 2015 3:30 PM
To: Quinn, Kelley;McCaffrey, Bill;Collins, Adam;Klinzman, Grant
Subject: RE: NYT response

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Sounds good. I think Monica's deadline is imminent so let me know if there's anything we can do to ensure it gets to her.

From: Quinn, Kelley
Sent: Thursday, December 03, 2015 3:25 PM
To: Spector, Stephen; McCaffrey, Bill; Collins, Adam; Klinzman, Grant
Subject: Re: NYT response

I will tweak this but looks good!

From: Spector, Stephen
Sent: Thursday, December 3, 2015 3:21 PM
To: McCaffrey, Bill; Quinn, Kelley; Collins, Adam; Klinzman, Grant
Subject: NYT response

Think we should get back to her on the second question – *How does the Mayor respond to suggestions by some that politics - and his re-election bid in particular -- played a role in keeping the dashcam private and reaching a quick settlement in the case before a suit was even filed?*

Here's a proposed response based on the Q&As but welcome your edits.

Any suggestion that politics played a role in this investigation is false. Within days of the incident, the City promptly turned over the dashcam video to prosecutors. The City decided not to make the video public in order to protect an ongoing investigation, a decision that was in line with the family's request not to release the video. And when the family of Laquan McDonald proactively reached out to the City to negotiate a settlement, the City publicly presented the case to Chicago's City Council members and recommended a settlement figure significantly lower than the family's initial request.

The most important thing we can do to learn from this tragedy is bring the needed changes and reforms to prevent it from ever happening again. That is why Mayor Emanuel created a task force to do a top-to-bottom review of the system of oversight and accountability that is currently in place for Chicago's police officers. One of the task force's key objection is to identify ways to improve transparency in these cases without compromising ongoing investigations.

From: Spector, Stephen
Sent: Thursday, December 03, 2015 10:54 AM

To: McCaffrey, Bill; Quinn, Kelley; Collins, Adam

Subject: RE: Mayor Emanuel Statement on Police Accountability Reviews - FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

Follow-up from Davey:

Yes, I have talked on background to Patton and have that quote.

However, I still have those questions for the Mayor or his office. These are not questions Law Dept can answer, I am told by them.

Let me simplify them into the bare necessities -- two questions -- at this point:

1) When did the Mayor first become conscious of the Laquan McDonald shooting and the city's dashcam of it? The law department told me the mayor would certainly have been aware of it during the settlement conversations that started on Feb. 27. But when was his first briefing on/awareness of the case and of the dash cam? Was it before Feb. 27? After? And how was he made aware of it? Briefing with Mr. Patton? Briefing with Garry McCarthy? Some other way?

2) How does the Mayor respond to suggestions by some that politics - and his re-election bid in particular -- played a role in keeping the dashcam private and reaching a quick settlement in the case before a suit was even filed?

I am of course delighted if you all want to talk any of this through with me more.

My story is overdue. Do you think someone could respond soon? Please let me know.

Best,

Monica

From: McCaffrey, Bill

Sent: Thursday, December 03, 2015 10:28 AM

To: Quinn, Kelley; Spector, Stephen; Collins, Adam

Subject: RE: Mayor Emanuel Statement on Police Accountability Reviews - FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

We spoke to her about this and she has the timing.

She also has the quote from Steve that the plaintiff's attorneys were driving the timing.

I can walk Stephen through it.

From: Quinn, Kelley

Sent: Thursday, December 03, 2015 10:22 AM

To: Spector, Stephen; Collins, Adam; McCaffrey, Bill

Subject: Re: Mayor Emanuel Statement on Police Accountability Reviews - FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

Adding others for help

On Dec 3, 2015, at 10:20 AM, Spector, Stephen <Stephen.Spector@cityofchicago.org> wrote:

Do you want me to pull together a response to "community concerns about the timing of all of this given that it was an election year?"

> On Dec 1, 2015, at 4:39 PM, Davey, Monica <davey@nytimes.com> wrote:

>

> How does the mayor/you respond to concerns and suspicions in the community about the timing of all of this given that

it was an election year?

> (i.e. That the mayor was re-elected on April 7 and the settlement was struck on April 15 and that the city fought to keep the video private until last week.)

> Any response to those concerns about timing?

10:54 AM (23 hours ago)

Davey, Monica <davey@nytimes.com>

to Kelley

Kelley:

I am trying to develop a timeline of what the city knew and when on the dashcam video. I know the family approached the city on Feb. 27.

When was the mayor first made aware of the dashcam video? Or the family's approach? When did the mayor first get briefed by the corporation counsel on what the situation was?

Can you talk? Or can we discuss via email?

I'm at [312 543 4883](tel:3125434883)

Thanks

9:57 AM (5 minutes ago)

From: Quinn, Kelley

Sent: Thursday, December 03, 2015 9:57 AM

To: Spector, Stephen

Subject: Re: FW: Mayor Emanuel Statement on Police Accountability Reviews - FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

I don't remember what her other questions are. Can you find out. I'm going to try to run to the doctor.

From: Spector, Stephen

Sent: Thursday, December 3, 2015 9:54 AM

To: Quinn, Kelley

Subject: FW: FW: Mayor Emanuel Statement on Police Accountability Reviews - FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

From: Davey, Monica [<mailto:davey@nytimes.com>]

Sent: Thursday, December 03, 2015 9:53 AM

To: Spector, Stephen

Subject: Re: FW: Mayor Emanuel Statement on Police Accountability Reviews - FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

Got it, thanks

I do have other questions that I sent yesterday and the day before but never heard back from Kelley on.

Should I be reaching out to you with those instead? I really need to talk to someone from there today on a story I am writing.

Please let me know if you're the person I should talk to?

Monica

On Thu, Dec 3, 2015 at 9:52 AM, Spector, Stephen <Stephen.Spector@cityofchicago.org> wrote:
Hi Monica –

I want to make sure you saw this. Let me know if you have any questions.

Thanks,

Stephen Spector
Office of the Mayor | Deputy Press Secretary

From: Mayor's Press Office
Sent: Thursday, December 03, 2015 9:21 AM
Subject: Mayor Emanuel Statement on Police Accountability Reviews - FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE



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CITY OF CHICAGO

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE
December 3, 2015

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MAYOR EMANUEL STATEMENT ON POLICE ACCOUNTABILITY REVIEWS

"Many things must happen to restore trust in the Chicago Police Department and I welcome efforts and ideas that can help us achieve that important goal. I want to clarify my comments from yesterday and I want to be clear that the City welcomes engagement by the Department of Justice when it comes to looking at the systemic issues embedded in CPD.

First and foremost, we need answers as to what happened in the Laquan McDonald case, which is why the United States Attorney should swiftly conclude his year-long investigation and shed light on what happened that night, and the actions of everyone involved.

As it relates to a longer-term review of our police department and efforts to improve police accountability, I am open to anything that will help give us answers and restore the trust that is critical to our public safety efforts. I trust the Department of Justice to make the right decision based on the facts and the law. Like every Chicagoan, I want to get to a place where we're permanently addressing the entrenched issues in our police department. Our

residents deserve that, as do our police officers. Adherence to civil rights and effective crime fighting go hand in hand."

Background:

- On Tuesday, Mayor Emanuel announced that a six-member Police Accountability Task Force would immediately begin a top-to-bottom review of the system of oversight and accountability training and transparency that is currently in place at CPD.
- In his speech, Mayor Emanuel said: "Every day, we must ensure the checks and balances are in place to keep the confidence of Chicagoans ... There are systemic challenges that will require sustained reform. It is a work in progress as we continue to build confidence in our police force."
- Additionally, on Wednesday during a discussion with Politico, Mayor Emanuel was asked a question of whether CPD violated the constitution and federal laws. He responded to that question in the context of the Laquan McDonald case. See the exchange below:

Q: Yesterday, the Illinois Attorney General requested the US Department of Justice Civil Rights Division investigation whether practices by the Chicago Police Department violate the constitution and federal laws. Do you worry that's the case?

A: No. I want everybody to remember this. First, the city had a civil – there's kind of three legal tracks and three kinds of oversights. On February 27, the family came and approached the city. We reached a settlement in and around the civil case and then took it to the City Council. If you go and look back at what Steve Patton said in front of City Council, a lot of that was there and in public domain. Immediately after the incident, back in February 2014 – so 14 months ago, within weeks, I think two weeks -- the U.S. attorney and the State's Attorney both opened up investigations with the FBI as an investigatory body. They had all materials, all the tapes, all the background. We settled – as I said – in April. But started in the discussions end of February when the family approached. As you now know, the State's attorney concluded her investigation. There's an ongoing investigation by the U.S. Attorney's Office here in Chicago with the FBI. My view is that given the period of time they've had the information, like everybody else, I await their conclusion. They are looking into this situation and all the aspects around it. I think an additional layer prior to the completion of this, in my view, would be misguided. And if you notice, they are doing a thorough job, given that they had the information two weeks after, just immediately after the incident. They are doing a thorough job, and hitting the restart button on a whole new investigation does not get you to the conclusion in an expedited fashion.

Q: But those are two different things. What she's looking at is a civil rights investigation. It would look at pattern and practice at the police department. It would be a more sweeping view. Other cities have done it – would you welcome that?

A: Well, what I would first welcome is the conclusion of the existing investigation by the U.S. Attorneys right now that's present. I think that one of the reasons I asked the former head of the Civil Rights Division, Deval Patrick, to be an outside adviser and senior adviser to this working commission is because it's exactly the question he is

familiar with and he has a different set of eye -- I think is essential. Before the U.S. Justice Department would ask the local U.S. Attorney and FBI to take on additional work, I would them to complete the work – I understand these are very hard cases. And so they are taking on and look at all the perspectives around this case.

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From: Collins, Adam
Sent: Thursday, December 03, 2015 1:08 PM
To: Quinn, Kelley;McCaffrey, Bill
Cc: Klinzman, Grant;Breymaier, Shannon
Subject: RE: Statement on Ronald Johnson Case

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The Trib had someone there. He said it in a gaggle

From: Quinn, Kelley
Sent: Thursday, December 03, 2015 1:03 PM
To: McCaffrey, Bill
Cc: Collins, Adam; Klinzman, Grant; Breymaier, Shannon
Subject: Re: Statement on Ronald Johnson Case

He heard it from MRE. What more do they want?

On Dec 3, 2015, at 12:51 PM, McCaffrey, Bill <Bill.McCaffrey@cityofchicago.org> wrote:

FYI. Told him I would check, but not sure there is much for me to add if you are responding.

From: Meisner, Jason R [<mailto:jmeisner@chicagotribune.com>]
Sent: Thursday, December 03, 2015 12:50 PM
To: McCaffrey, Bill
Subject: RE: Statement on Ronald Johnson Case

Hi Bill – apparently the boss has told WTTW that city will drop efforts to block Ronald Johnson video’s release. Can you please confirm? I’m having our City Hall people check with mayor’s office.
Jason

From: McCaffrey, Bill [<mailto:Bill.McCaffrey@cityofchicago.org>]
Sent: Tuesday, December 01, 2015 6:12 PM
To: Meisner, Jason R
Subject: Re: Statement on Ronald Johnson Case

Still on this. What is your cell number?

Sent from my iPhone

On Dec 1, 2015, at 3:47 PM, Meisner, Jason R <jmeisner@chicagotribune.com> wrote:

Thanks – can I use the background and refer to it as the city’s version of the events leading up to the shooting?

From: McCaffrey, Bill [<mailto:Bill.McCaffrey@cityofchicago.org>]
Sent: Tuesday, December 01, 2015 3:30 PM

To: Meisner, Jason R
Subject: Statement on Ronald Johnson Case

Jason,

Here the statement and some background.

Bill

“The top priority is preserving and maintaining the integrity of any investigation into police misconduct, regardless of which agency is conducting the inquiry. In light of the recent court ruling that FOIA law does not protect evidence held by one agency while another is investigating, the City is currently re-examining when this video should be released. This case is still under investigation by IPRA, but has stark differences from the Laquan McDonald case, including a recovered gun.”

Background

The decedent in this instance is Ronald Johnson, a 25 year old member of the Black P. Stone gang with prior arrests and convictions, including a guilty plea of aggravated battery of a police officer in 2008, being charged of threatening to shoot his girlfriend and pleading guilty to domestic battery and gang activity in 2011.

Prior to the incident, Johnson was at a gang party and shortly after leaving, he was involved in a shooting. Multiple 911 calls reported shots fired from the area he was in along with a description of the suspected shooter. Mr Johnson fit the description.

Officers were immediately sent to the scene and spotted Johnson in an alley behind the location of the gang party, and Johnson fled and ran around the corner directly into other officers who attempt to take Mr. Johnson into custody.

Johnson struggled and broke free knocking one of the officers to the ground and brandished a gun. Officers saw the gun and multiple times yelled for Johnson to drop the gun.

Johnson was running with the gun directly towards other responding officers and posed an active threat to the police and the public.

Fearing for his safety and the safety of his fellow officers, Officer George Hernandez fired striking Mr. Johnson once in the back of the leg and once in the shoulder.

Mr. Johnson was disarmed and the gun was recovered. An ambulance transported Johnson to the hospital where he he died.

Officer Hernandez has no prior complaints of excessive force.

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From: Henry, Vance
Sent: Thursday, December 03, 2015 4:00 PM
To: Deal, Joe;Laws, Lisa
Cc: Bennett, Kenneth;Quinn, Kelley
Subject: Fw: Fwd: Prayer Virgil and press conference for Laquan McDonald Friday , December 4th
Attachments: HenryVance_BlockStRqst2015_12_3v2.docx
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FYI

From: Aldophus Kindle <aldophus@gmail.com>
Sent: Thursday, December 3, 2015 3:52:10 PM
To: Henry, Vance
Subject: Fwd: Prayer Virgil and press conference for Laquan McDonald Friday , December 4th

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From: **Aldophus Kindle** <aldophus@gmail.com>
Date: Thursday, December 3, 2015
Subject: Prayer Virgil and press conference for Laquan McDonald Friday , December 4th
To: Samantha.stivers@cityofchicago.org

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From: **Aldophus Kindle** <aldophus@gmail.com>
Date: Thursday, December 3, 2015
Subject: Prayer Virgil and press conference for Laquan McDonald Friday , December 4th
To: Vance.henry@cityofchicago.org

Per our previous conversations, please find the attached letter. The same details are included in the previous text I sent to your phone.

Thank you so much on behalf of the ministers working on this matter. Al kindle

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Clergy United for Reform and Equality (CURE)

15406 S. Lexington, Harvey IL 60426

December 3, 2015

Mr. Vance Henry
Special Assistant to Mayor Rahm Emanuel
121 N. Lasalle Street
Chicago, Illinois 60601

Dear Mr. Henry,

Thank you for agreeing to work with us on the important matter of securing the site of a peaceful prayer vigil and press conference at 4060 S. Pulaski.

Per your previous conversations with Mr. Kindle, on Friday, December 4 at 11:00 AM, the Clergy United for Reform and Equality (CURE) will hold a press conference at 4060 S. Pulaski to articulate our concerns about the Laquan McDonald situation.

We request that the 40th Street service road just north of the Burger King restaurant be blocked from 10:00 AM until 12:00 PM (noon). We will begin gathering at 10:00 AM, commence the press conference at 10:30 AM, and be finished by 12:00 PM.

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Apostle Carl White, Jr. and Reverend Leslie Sanders

From: Collins, Brooke
Sent: Thursday, December 03, 2015 4:01 PM
To: PRESS_LIST
Subject: Esquire-Chicago Mayor Rahm Emanuel Is Throwing Anyone Within Arm's Reach Under the Bus

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From: Henry, Vance
Sent: Thursday, December 03, 2015 4:06 PM
To: Deal, Joe;Laws, Lisa;Bennett, Kenneth;Quinn, Kelley
Subject: Prayer Virgil and press conference for Laquan McDonald Friday , December 4th

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December 3, 2015

Mr. Vance Henry
Special Assistant to Mayor Rahm Emanuel
121 N. Lasalle Street
Chicago, Illinois 60601

Dear Mr. Henry,

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From: Koronides, Christine
Sent: Thursday, December 03, 2015 5:55 PM
To: Green, Melissa;Gonez, Manuel
Subject: FW: Alert: Sen. Dick Durbin: Durbin Requests DOJ Investigation of Chicago Police Department Policies & Practices

This was reported on earlier – but just came through in announcements:

12.03.15

Durbin Requests DOJ Investigation of Chicago Police Department Policies & Practices

[WASHINGTON, D.C.] – Following a meeting at the White House on criminal justice reform, U.S. Senator Dick Durbin (D-IL) spoke with Attorney General Loretta Lynch to request a Department of Justice Civil Rights Division investigation of the Chicago Police Department (CPD)’s policies and practices. Durbin asked for the investigation in a letter that can be found [HERE](#).

“The shooting death of Laquan McDonald is just one of a number of troubling incidents that have frayed the relationship between the CPD and the community it serves, and in truth, this most recent incident is only the latest in a series of troubling events over many years. These incidents raise serious concerns about whether the CPD has in place appropriate policies and practices to prevent civil rights violations. An impartial investigation by the Justice Department can help identify those areas where the CPD has fallen short and guide the CPD onto a better course,” Durbin wrote.

“The men and women of law enforcement risk their lives every day to protect us, and it is incumbent upon them to live up to the standards they have sworn to uphold,” Durbin continued. “The overwhelming majority of law enforcement officers are conscientious and professional. Nevertheless, there is undeniable evidence that some have abused the authority given them.”

From: Bloomberg Government [<mailto:alerts@bgov.com>]
Sent: Thursday, December 03, 2015 6:48 PM
To: Koronides, Christine
Subject: Alert: Sen. Dick Durbin: Durbin Requests DOJ Investigation of Chicago Police Department Policies & Practices



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First and foremost, we need answers as to what happened in the Laquan McDonald case, which is why the United States Attorney should swiftly conclude his year-long investigation and shed light on what happened that night, and the actions of everyone involved.

As it relates to a longer-term review of our police department and efforts to improve police accountability, I am open to anything that will help give us answers and restore the trust that is critical to our public safety efforts. I trust the Department of Justice to make the right decision based on the facts and the law. Like every Chicagoan, I want to get to a place where we're permanently addressing the entrenched issues in our police department. Our residents deserve that, as do our police officers. Adherence to civil rights and effective crime fighting go hand in hand."

Background:

- On Tuesday, Mayor Emanuel announced that a six-member Police Accountability Task Force would immediately begin a top-to-bottom review of the system of oversight and accountability training and transparency that is currently in place at CPD.
- In his speech, Mayor Emanuel said: "Every day, we must ensure the checks and balances are in place to keep the confidence of Chicagoans ... There are systemic challenges that will require sustained reform. It is a work in progress as we continue to build confidence in our police force."
- Additionally, on Wednesday during a discussion with Politico, Mayor Emanuel was asked a question of whether CPD violated the constitution and federal laws. He responded to that question in the context of the Laquan McDonald case. See the exchange below:

Q: Yesterday, the Illinois Attorney General requested the US Department of Justice Civil Rights Division investigation whether practices by the Chicago Police Department violate the constitution and federal laws. Do you worry that's the case?

A: No. I want everybody to remember this. First, the city had a civil – there's kind of three legal tracks and three kinds of oversights. On February 27, the family came and approached the city. We reached a settlement in and around the civil case and then took it to the City Council. If you go and look back at what Steve Patton said in front of City Council, a lot of that was there and in public domain. Immediately after the incident, back in February 2014 – so 14 months ago, within weeks, I think two weeks -- the U.S. attorney and the State's Attorney both opened up investigations with the FBI as an investigatory body. They had all materials, all the tapes, all the background. We settled – as I said – in April. But started in the discussions end of February when the family approached. As you now know, the State's attorney concluded her investigation. There's an ongoing investigation by the U.S. Attorney's Office here in Chicago with the FBI. My view is that given the period of time they've had the information, like everybody else, I await their conclusion. They are looking into this situation and all the aspects around it. I think an additional layer prior to the completion of this, in my view, would be misguided. And if you notice, they are doing a thorough job, given that they had the information two weeks after, just immediately after the incident. They are doing a thorough job, and hitting the restart button on a whole new investigation does not get you to the conclusion in an expedited fashion.

Q: But those are two different things. What she's looking at is a civil rights investigation. It would look at pattern and practice at the police department. It would be a more sweeping view. Other cities have done it – would you welcome that?

A: Well, what I would first welcome is the conclusion of the existing investigation by the U.S. Attorneys right now that's present. I think that one of the reasons I asked the former head of the Civil Rights Division, Deval Patrick, to be an outside adviser and senior adviser to this working commission is because it's exactly the question he is familiar with and he has a different set of eye -- I think is essential. Before the U.S. Justice Department would ask the local U.S. Attorney and FBI to take on additional work, I would them to complete the work – I understand these are very hard cases. And so they are taking on and look at all the perspectives around this case.

From: Quinn, Kelley
Sent: Friday, December 04, 2015 7:49 PM
To: Collins, Adam
Subject: Re: From Mark Peters, The Wall Street Journal

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Laquan had to go out under foia

On Dec 4, 2015, at 7:41 PM, Collins, Adam <Adam.Collins@cityofchicago.org> wrote:

Do you know which ones?

From: Quinn, Kelley
Sent: Friday, December 4, 2015 7:40 PM
To: Collins, Adam
Subject: Fwd: From Mark Peters, The Wall Street Journal

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From: "Peters, Mark" <mark.peters@dowjones.com>
Date: December 4, 2015 at 7:25:08 PM CST
To: "Quinn, Kelley" <Kelley.Quinn@cityofchicago.org>
Subject: **From Mark Peters, The Wall Street Journal**

Good evening. Are you comment tonight on the police reports released by the law department a few hours ago? I can be reached at 312-750-4141.

Best,
Mark

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Mark Peters

Reporter, Chicago bureau

The Wall Street Journal

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From: George Cardenas [REDACTED]
Sent: Friday, December 04, 2015 9:02 PM
To: Chavez, Claudia
Cc: Fields, Samantha; Rapelyea, Sean; Akinlemibola, Grace; Beatty, Elizabeth (Beth); Ituassu, Erika; Johnson, Robert
Subject: Re: Sun-Times Article and Tribune Op-Ed

What about hearings?? Date ?

George Cardenas
[REDACTED]

Sent from my iPhone

On Dec 4, 2015, at 7:27 PM, Chavez, Claudia <Claudia.Chavez@cityofchicago.org> wrote:

Hi Alderman – We wanted to share the following and attached article and Op-Ed with you.

Sun-Times:

Interim top cop puts officers on notice about squad car audio, video

<http://chicago.suntimes.com/opinion/7/71/1154852/mayor-emanuel-police-misconduct-ill-fix>

Tribune:

Rahm Emanuel op-ed: I own the problem of police brutality, and I'll fix it

<http://www.chicagotribune.com/news/opinion/commentary/ct-rahm-emanuel-laquan-mcdonald-police-perspec-20151204-story.html>

Please let us know if you have any questions.

Claudia

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<Sun-Times_Interim top cop puts officers on notice about squad car audio.pdf>

<Tribune_Rahm Emanuel op.pdf>

From: Rapelyea, Sean
Sent: Friday, December 04, 2015 9:14 PM
To: Logan, Cherita;Clarisol Duque;Audra Wilson;WheelerGrange, Robyn;Paucar, Theresa
Cc: Green, Melissa
Subject: Fw: Sun-Times Article and Tribune Op-Ed
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From: Green, Melissa
Sent: Sunday, December 06, 2015 4:27 PM
To: Joel Johnson;jake.siewert@gs.com;joe@gpg.com
Subject: Fw: ST: Attorney General will launch probe of Chicago Police

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From: Spector, Stephen <Stephen.Spector@cityofchicago.org>
Sent: Sunday, December 6, 2015 5:16 PM
To: Mitchell, Eileen; Spielfogel, David; Quinn, Kelley; Collins, Adam; Klinzman, Grant; Ewing, Clothilde; Green, Melissa; Rendina, Michael; Rountree, Janey; Patton, Stephen; McCaffrey, Bill
Subject: ST: Attorney General will launch probe of Chicago Police

Attorney General will launch probe of Chicago Police

Chicago Sun Times // Lynn Sweet

Attorney General Loretta Lynch will launch a Civil Rights Division investigation of the Chicago Police Department in the wake of the Laquan McDonald police shooting the Chicago Sun-Times learned on Sunday.

A person familiar with the situation told the Sun-Times the inquiry will look into the practices of the Chicago police in what is expected to be a wide-ranging probe. The official announcement is expected in the coming days.

Lynch is acting after having Civil Rights Division lawyers consider what now are many requests for an investigation – which is the department’s standard process. She is briefed regularly on the review and expects to make a decision very soon, the official said.

Lynch is taking action on what is called a “pattern or practice” inquiry after calls for Justice Department intervention came from a string of elected officials and activists, including Illinois Attorney General Lisa Madigan and Sen. Dick Durbin.

Hundreds of pages of police reports released late Friday by the city of Chicago reveal that official police accounts of the shooting conflict with what the dashcam video on a police cruiser recorded.

While the video shows 16 bullets pumped into the 17-year-old in a matter of seconds from one officer as the teen was moving away from police, cops on the scene during the Oct. 20, 2014, shooting indicated that McDonald was threatening them with a knife.

Police officer Jason Van Dyke, who is white, is charged with the first-degree murder of McDonald, an African American.

That it took 13 months for Van Dyke to be charged and a court order to force the city of Chicago to publicly release the video that led to protests and calls for the resignations of top officials, including Mayor Rahm Emanuel and Cook County State's Attorney Anita Alvarez. Last week, in an effort to tamp down protests, Emanuel fired Police Supt. Garry McCarthy. A pattern or practice review determines whether there are unlawful policing practices in a police department. If there is an agreement that remedies need to take place, the negotiated deal is overseen by a federal judge who appoints an independent monitor. If there is no agreement, the Justice Department can go to federal court and seek an order.

According to the Justice Department, "in addition to gathering information directly from community members, all pattern and practice investigations involve interviewing police and local officials, gathering information from other criminal justice stakeholders, observing officer activities through ride-alongs and other means, and reviewing documents and specific incidents that are relevant to the investigation.

"At the conclusion of an investigation, the division issues a public report detailing the findings. If the investigation finds no systemic violations of constitutional or federal statutory rights by the law enforcement agency, the division will state that and close the investigation. If, on the other hand, there are findings of patterns or practices of misconduct, the division will articulate precisely what those patterns or practices are, and will identify any systemic deficiencies underlying those patterns."

The Justice Department launched a pattern or practice investigation into the Ferguson, Mo., Police Department after the shooting of Michael Brown and in Baltimore after the death of Freddie Gray.

This civil inquiry would be separate from a pending joint federal and state criminal investigation launched after the shooting of McDonald.

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From: Gonez, Manuel
Sent: Monday, December 07, 2015 10:46 AM
To: Green, Melissa;Koronides, Christine
Subject: FW: Op-Ed by Mayor Rahm Emanuel in the Chicago Sun-Times and Chicago Tribune - FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE
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Sent: Saturday, December 05, 2015 1:14 PM
Subject: Op-Ed by Mayor Rahm Emanuel in the Chicago Sun-Times and Chicago Tribune - FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

Op-Ed by Mayor Rahm Emanuel in the Chicago Sun-Times and Chicago Tribune

The following op-ed by Mayor Rahm Emanuel appears in the [Chicago Sun-Times](#) and [Chicago Tribune](#) this weekend:

Chicago is facing a defining moment on the issues of crime and policing and the even larger issues of truth and justice. To meet this moment, we need to conduct a painful but honest reckoning of what went wrong — not just in one instance, but over decades. Then we need to determine what to do differently to ensure that incidents like this don't happen again.

We cannot afford to have any resident of our city living in fear of the police and distrusting their words and actions. And we cannot allow the crimes of a small number of officers to taint the good work of the vast majority who put their lives on the line every day.

What happened last October 2014 on South Pulaski Road should never have happened. Systems should have been in place to prevent it. Supervision and leadership at every level of the police department and the oversight agencies should have come into play.

They didn't, and that has to change.

What I strongly reject is the suggestion that the videotape of the McDonald shooting was withheld from the public because of the election. Here are the facts:

The videotape was handled in precisely the same way such tapes and evidence have been historically. Longstanding practice has been to release such material only after prosecutors and city investigators have finished their investigation. The reason for that was to prevent potential witnesses from tailoring their stories to fit the evidence.

Some say I should have ordered a departure from standard procedure and released the tape before the prosecutors had acted. Had I seen the video, I might have done that. But I don't review evidence precisely because my own emotions should not interfere with criminal investigations.

The release of this type of evidence is one of many issues we need to rethink moving forward. How do we balance concerns against prematurely releasing evidence and jeopardizing prosecutions with the community's right to see such material in a timely way? How do we promote accountability and transparency, without sacrificing one for the other?

In this case, the city followed its standard policy.

Within nine days of that shooting the city collected all evidence in the case, including the dash-cam video, and turned it over to prosecutors. No one could have predicted that it would take more than a year to finish the probe. It was just as likely that charges would be filed during the campaign, in which case the video would have become public before the election.

At the end of the day, I am the mayor and I own it. I take responsibility for what happened and I will fix it. Nothing less than complete and total reform of the system and the culture will meet the standards we have to set for ourselves.

I know the history of police-community relations in Chicago. I am the mayor who agreed to provide reparations and bring important closure to the victims of Jon Burge and police torture in Chicago. I am the mayor who has committed to restoring community policing, because the only way to fight crime effectively is to build trust between officers and the residents they serve. I am the mayor who instituted body cameras for police, to reduce incidents of police misconduct as well as unfounded complaints.

So I should have known that in the light of the checkered history of misconduct in the Chicago Police Department, that the long delay in releasing the videotape could raise concerns and suspicions across our city. Our goal was to protect the integrity of the investigation. But instead of establishing trust, the prolonged period between when the shooting occurred and when charges were filed created mistrust. We need to fix that and restore the trust that was lost.

Some have alleged that our settlement with Laquan's family was part of a cover-up. But nothing could be further from the truth. It was the lawyers for Laquan's family who approached the city on February 27 and expressed a desire to settle the case quickly and without a lawsuit. The city's lawyers began discussions with the plaintiff's attorney shortly thereafter and came to an agreement in principle on March 24.

As part of that agreement lawyers for the family and the city sought to present the settlement for approval at the next City Council meeting, which was on April 15. The first possible opportunity to present the agreement to the Council's Finance Committee was on April 13. At that meeting, our Corporation Counsel, Steve Patton, explained why a settlement was in the city's best interest. Among the main reasons was the police dash-cam videotape, which he described in detail.

If there is any good to come out of this horrific incident, it has caused us to re-examine how we handle cases of police misconduct and excessive force in Chicago. And I'm committed to making the changes our city desperately needs.

If any good comes from this tragedy, it should be a historic set of reforms that prevents abuses, promotes transparency and rebuilds the confidence of all Chicagoans that they will be treated fairly. That is the marker I am setting for myself, the next police superintendent and the reform commission I've appointed. And it's one by which I expect to be measured.

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From: Green, Melissa
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To: wstachelberg@americanprogress.org
Subject: Chicago
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Hey there, want to make sure you have latest on Chicago and what Mayor and City is doing and has done. If you guys are going to be talker on this, we would love to brief you. Lots going on and lots to the issue. Please let me know your thoughts. Best/MG

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Melissa Green

Director, Federal Affairs Office
Office of Mayor Rahm Emanuel
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From: Green, Melissa
Sent: Monday, December 07, 2015 12:45 PM
To: Collins, Adam;Ewing, Clothilde;Spector, Stephen
Subject: RE:

No I didn't

From: Collins, Adam
Sent: Monday, December 07, 2015 1:45 PM
To: Ewing, Clothilde; Green, Melissa; Spector, Stephen
Subject: Re:

Did you get the MRE statement on Johnson?

From: Ewing, Clothilde
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To: Collins, Adam; Green, Melissa; Spector, Stephen
Subject: Re:

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From: Ewing, Clothilde
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From: Collins, Adam
Sent: Monday, December 7, 2015 12:20 PM
To: Ewing, Clothilde; Green, Melissa; Spector, Stephen
Subject: RE:

I'm hoping to have this done in the next couple minutes.

From: Ewing, Clothilde
Sent: Monday, December 07, 2015 12:20 PM
To: Green, Melissa; Collins, Adam; Spector, Stephen
Subject: Fw:

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Subject: FW: MAYOR EMANUEL ANNOUNCES TASK FORCE ON POLICE ACCOUNTABILITY
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Hi Melissa, here you go.

From: Mayor's Press Office
Sent: Tuesday, December 01, 2015 9:53 AM
To: Mayor's Press Office
Subject: MAYOR EMANUEL ANNOUNCES TASK FORCE ON POLICE ACCOUNTABILITY



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December 1, 2015

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MAYOR EMANUEL ANNOUNCES TASK FORCE ON POLICE ACCOUNTABILITY

*Five-Member Panel Will Work to Improve the Accountability, Oversight
and Training of Chicago's Police Force*

Mayor Rahm Emanuel today announced the creation of a task force to review the system of accountability, oversight and training that is currently in place for Chicago's police officers. The *Task Force on Police Accountability* will recommend reforms to the current system to improve independent oversight of police misconduct, ensure officers with repeated complaints are identified and evaluated appropriately, and establish best practice for release of videos of police-involved incidents.

"The shooting of Laquan McDonald requires more than just words," Mayor Emanuel said. "It requires that we act; that we take more concrete steps to prevent such abuses in the future, secure the safety and the rights of all Chicagoans, and build stronger bonds of trust between our police and the communities they're sworn to serve."

The task force will be co-chaired by five respected leaders in criminal justice:

- Sergio Acosta is a partner at Hinshaw & Culbertson and a former federal prosecutor
- Joe Ferguson is Inspector General of the City of Chicago and a former federal prosecutor
- Hiram Grau is the former Director of the Illinois State Police and former Deputy Superintendent of the Chicago Police Department
- Lori Lightfoot is president of the Chicago Police Board, a partner at Mayer Brown and a former federal prosecutor
- Randolph Stone is a professor at the University of Chicago Law School, director of the Criminal and Juvenile Justice Project Clinic, and a former Cook County Public Defender

Former Massachusetts Governor and Chicago native Deval Patrick will serve as a senior advisor to the task force. Patrick also served as U.S. Assistant Attorney General for the Civil Rights Division under President Bill Clinton.

The task force is charged with:

- Improving independent oversight of police misconduct. In response to prior complaints concerning the investigation of police-involved shootings and other claims of serious police misconduct, the City Council created a new, independent, civilian-led agency in 2006 to conduct such investigations – the Independent Police Review Authority. The task force will examine if there are additional changes that should now be made to improve the quality, independence or timeliness of IPRA's investigations of police-involved shootings and excessive force.
- Examining the best ways to ensure officers with repeated complaints are identified and evaluated appropriately. The CPD has previously adopted programs to identify and intervene with respect to officers who have been the subject of repeated complaints of excessive force or other misconduct. The task force will review what the CPD or IPRA can and should do to identify officers with problematic conduct, including racial bias, and what can be done to effectively intervene to change that conduct.
- Recommending best practices for release of videos of police-involved incidents. The City (including both CPD and IPRA) has a longstanding policy not to publicly release videos and other evidence relating to alleged police misconduct that is the subject of pending criminal and/or disciplinary investigations until such investigations are concluded so as not to jeopardize those investigations. The task force will consider if the City should change this policy, and if so, when and under what circumstances should such evidence be released to the public.

The task force will actively engage community, victims' rights, law enforcement, youth, religious and elected leaders to ensure the recommendations are based on input from all parts of the city. Its recommendations will be presented to the Mayor and City Council by March 31, 2016.

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From: Green, Melissa
Sent: Monday, December 07, 2015 12:57 PM
To: Middleton, Megan
Subject: Chicago
Attachments: Mayor Emanuel Announces Sharon Fairley to be New Chief Administrator of the Independent Police Review Authority.pdf; Statement from Mayor Emanuel on the U S Department of Justice's Announcement.pdf; 2015 12 05 Op-Ed by Mayor Rahm Emanuel in the Chicago Sun-Times and Chic .pdf; 2015 12 01 MAYOR EMANUEL ANNOUNCES TASK FORCE ON POLICE ACCOUNTABILITY.pdf

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Melissa Green

Director, Federal Affairs Office
Office of Mayor Rahm Emanuel
melissa.green@cityofchicago.org

From: Rasmus, Chloe
Sent: Monday, December 07, 2015 1:19 PM
To: Breymaier, Shannon;McCaffrey, Bill;Quinn, Kelley;Collins, Adam
Subject: RE: MSNBC-Confidentiality clause

Kelley, you good? I'll circulate to update if you are oaky with it

From: Breymaier, Shannon
Sent: Monday, December 07, 2015 1:16 PM
To: McCaffrey, Bill; Quinn, Kelley; Collins, Adam; Rasmus, Chloe
Subject: Re: MSNBC-Confidentiality clause

+Chloe
Small suggested edits to the background

Background:

[REDACTED]

Shannon Breymaier
O: 312-744-9045 C: [REDACTED]
Shannon.Breymaier@cityofchicago.org

From: McCaffrey, Bill
Sent: Monday, December 7, 2015 1:10 PM
To: Quinn, Kelley; Collins, Adam; Breymaier, Shannon
Subject: FW: MSNBC-Confidentiality clause

Steve has not seen this yet, but I want to start routing now (he knows what I am writing).

I need to get back to MSNBC before they start reporting on this. I already explained to the producer that her whole premise was wrong – she said there was a confidentiality agreement in place and no one was allowed to discuss the LM settlement.

I'd like to send her the attached as well.

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

Background:

[REDACTED]

From: Ali, Safia (NBCUniversal) [<mailto:Safia.Ali@nbcuni.com>]
Sent: Monday, December 07, 2015 11:02 AM
To: McCaffrey, Bill
Subject: MSNBC-Confidentiality clause

Hi Mr. McCaffrey,

Just following up on our conversation about the use of confidentiality clauses in police settlements agreements. We are looking for a statement regarding clauses asking parties not to disclose information surrounding the details of the settlement negotiation or any evidence. This is not only in the LaQuan McDonald case but similar settlements when individuals allege police misconduct.

I appreciate your help.

Thank you,
Safia

Safia Samee Ali
News Associate
NBC News | MSNBC
Legal Unit
P: 212-413-5889



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From: Ewing, Clothilde
Sent: Monday, December 07, 2015 1:24 PM
To: [REDACTED]; Spector, Stephen
Subject: Re:

Also, we are going to send these out individually so, forget the hi all. Spector is going to format after your edits Lisa.

Sent from my BlackBerry 10 smartphone on the Verizon Wireless 4G LTE network.

From: Ewing, Clothilde
Sent: Monday, December 7, 2015 1:15 PM
To: [REDACTED]
Subject:

[REDACTED]

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OVERALL MESSAGE

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| [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

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| [REDACTED]

| [REDACTED]

Can Rahm survive this?

| [REDACTED]

| [REDACTED]

Do you think an op-ed is enough to set the record straight and to confidence people they should trust him?

| [REDACTED]

| [REDACTED]

Many are saying that he sacrificed McCarthy and now the head of IPRA to save his own job.

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Sent: Monday, December 07, 2015 1:25 PM
To: Desiree Peterkin-Bell
Subject: Chicago
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From: Ewing, Clothilde
Sent: Monday, December 07, 2015 2:01 PM
To: Klinzman, Grant;Quinn, Kelley
Subject: Re: Talkers

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K, can also review what Lisa sent to see if it matches and we can do that

Sent from my BlackBerry 10 smartphone on the Verizon Wireless 4G LTE network.

From: Klinzman, Grant
Sent: Monday, December 7, 2015 2:00 PM
To: Ewing, Clothilde; Quinn, Kelley
Subject: RE: Talkers

Received and formatting

From: Ewing, Clothilde
Sent: Monday, December 07, 2015 2:00 PM
To: Klinzman, Grant; Quinn, Kelley
Subject: Fw: Talkers

Sent from my BlackBerry 10 smartphone on the Verizon Wireless 4G LTE network.

From: Ewing, Clothilde <Clothilde.Ewing@cityofchicago.org>
Sent: Monday, December 7, 2015 1:36 PM
To: Spector, Stephen; Collins, Adam; Spielfogel, David; Mitchell, Eileen; Rendina, Michael; Patton, Stephen; Rountree, Janey
Subject: Talkers

This needs to be formatted correctly, but this what I think we need to send out to folks today. Please review as quickly as possible



CHAIN CONTINUES AS PREVIOUSLY
PRODUCED

From: Quinn, Kelley
Sent: Monday, December 07, 2015 2:11 PM
To: Ewing, Clothilde;Spector, Stephen;Klinzman, Grant
Subject: Fw:
Attachments: Chicago talkers 12.07.15.docx; MRE Opinion Editorial 12.04.15.docx

The Chicago talkers doc matches what you had sent us except the lead-in is longer, but more well-written. We will cut and paste that.

From: Ewing, Clothilde
Sent: Monday, December 7, 2015 2:00 PM
To: Klinzman, Grant; Quinn, Kelley
Subject: Fw:

Review to make sure it matches and if so, can just cut and paste if it looks OK.
Sent from my BlackBerry 10 smartphone on the Verizon Wireless 4G LTE network.

From: Lisa Schrader [REDACTED]
Sent: Monday, December 7, 2015 1:59 PM
To: Ewing, Clothilde
Subject:

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From: Spector, Stephen
Sent: Monday, December 07, 2015 2:19 PM
To: Quinn, Kelley;PRESS_LIST;Ewing, Clothilde
Subject: RE: (NEWS) WALL STREET JOURNAL: Justice Department Opens Probe of Chicago Police Department

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From: Quinn, Kelley
Sent: Monday, December 07, 2015 2:19 PM
To: PRESS_LIST; Ewing, Clothilde
Subject: Fw: (NEWS) WALL STREET JOURNAL: Justice Department Opens Probe of Chicago Police Department

Can someone please send him the mayor's statement asap?

From: NewsClips
Sent: Monday, December 7, 2015 1:56 PM
Subject: (NEWS) WALL STREET JOURNAL: Justice Department Opens Probe of Chicago Police Department

[Justice Department Opens Probe of Chicago Police Department](#)

Justice Department Opens Probe of Chicago Police Department

The Justice Department said it has opened a broad investigation into the Chicago Police Department and its use of force, prompted by a growing calling in the city for changes in the department following the release of video of a police shooting last month.

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WALL STREET JOURNAL // Mark Peters and Aruna Viswantha // December 7, 2015

The Justice Department said Monday it has opened a broad investigation into the Chicago Police Department and its use of force, prompted by growing calls for an overhaul of department practices following the recent release of a video of a police shooting.

Attorney General Loretta Lynch, speaking to reporters in Washington, said the Justice Department “intends to do everything” within its power to build “trust between law enforcement officers and the communities they serve.”

The federal investigation comes less than two weeks after the city released a dashboard camera video showing Officer Jason Van Dyke shooting 17-year-old and killing Laquan McDonald in 2014. The video has sparked daily protests and calls for changes in policing in the nation’s third-largest city, while putting growing pressure on Chicago Mayor Rahm Emanuel.

Justice Department officials said investigators would examine the Chicago police department's use of deadly force, how the department handles allegations of inappropriate force and disciplines its officers, and whether there are racial differences in how it handles such complaints.

"We are looking to see, how does the Chicago police department track and treat those types of actions," Ms. Lynch said.

The Justice Department has increasingly turned to such civil probes to examine the practices of police departments, including in Baltimore, Cleveland and Ferguson, Mo., in the face of growing local outcry over policing in those cities. A law enacted following the police beating of Rodney King in 1991 gives the Justice Department the power to investigate local police departments and require changes if systematic problems are found.

Monday's announcement won praise in Chicago, where officials have said it is becoming increasingly clear the city needs an outside probe of the department and a reform plan. "While this process will take time, it's the best hope we have for a full and fair investigation and the reforms necessary to rebuild trust," said Illinois Attorney General Lisa Madigan.

The announcement by Ms. Lynch is the latest development as the graphic video showing the shooting of Mr. McDonald fuels mounting upheaval in Chicago.

Also on Monday Cook County State's Attorney Anita Alvarez, who charged Mr. Van Dyke with murder hours before the release of the McDonald video, released footage from a separate, high-profile police shooting in response to public pressure, saying she wouldn't press charges in the death of 25-year-old Ronald Johnson. In recent days, Mr. Emanuel has announced a task force, ousted Police Superintendent Garry McCarthy and replaced the head of the city's Independent Police Review Authority. The mayor was originally cool to a Justice Department review, saying there was already a federal investigation into the shooting and the conduct of the police, but he now backs the broad probe and he pledged the city's full cooperation on Monday.

Ms. Lynch said the investigation was requested by a number of state and local officials and community leaders and was opened after a preliminary review. She declined to offer specifics on what that review found and said she was unsure how far into the past the investigation would extend.

On Friday, a police report detailing the department's initial investigation into the shooting showed officers giving accounts that appeared to conflict with the video footage and a subsequent state's attorney probe. The officers in the police report said the teenager advanced on Mr. Van Dyke and tried to get up after being shot. In Washington, the Obama administration has stepped up efforts to investigate allegations of misconduct by local police departments, opening probes into whether such departments engage in a "pattern or practice" of unconstitutional policing.

The Justice Department has opened 23 such investigations since President Barack Obama took office, a faster rate than previous administrations, and is enforcing consent decrees in cities ranging from New Orleans to Detroit. Chicago would be one of the largest departments examined to date.

Ms. Lynch said the increased scrutiny in this area was prompting some police departments to reform themselves.

"In my discussions with police officers around the country...many of them do look at our consent decrees...and try to implement changes to try to avoid getting into that situation," she said.

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From: Ewing, Clothilde
Sent: Monday, December 07, 2015 2:23 PM
To: Spector, Stephen;Klinzman, Grant;Quinn, Kelley
Subject: Re:

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Yes please

Sent from my BlackBerry 10 smartphone on the Verizon Wireless 4G LTE network.

From: Spector, Stephen
Sent: Monday, December 7, 2015 2:21 PM
To: Ewing, Clothilde; Klinzman, Grant; Quinn, Kelley
Subject: RE:

Okay, below is the email. Please confirm this is what you would like.

Hi xx-

[Redacted]

[Redacted]

[Redacted]

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Here is what the Mayor said following State's Attorney Anita Alvarez announcement that she would not file charges in the Chicago police shooting of Ronald Johnson in October 2014. There is a dash camera video that shows the incident, and up until the today, the City had not shown the video because it was part of an ongoing investigation. However, the City confirmed last week that it would release the video.

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OVERALL MESSAGE

- Chicago - like nearly every large city - has a long, challenging history of police-community relations, and there’s no question the City is facing a tough time right now after a horrific shooting that left a young man dead. It’s spurred anger, driven protests and forced difficult discussions. That’s all understandable.
- I’m not sure if you saw the Mayor’s [op-ed](#) in the Tribune and Sun Times, but if you haven’t you should. Rahm doesn’t own the whole history of the Chicago police, but he’s taking ownership of the situation today. And he’s taking ownership of the solution for tomorrow – to strengthen police accountability and to restore trust in the Department.
- That’s the kind of leadership Chicago needs right now. Rahm doesn’t shirk from responsibility or challenges. That’s why the people of Chicago elected him and that is what will help them become a stronger City when they are through this.

[REDACTED]

After decades of concerns about policing practices, DOJ announced they have opened an investigation into CPD. The Mayor flip-flopped already, so can people be sure he’s really committed to it?

- [REDACTED]

What can we take away from today’s events -- the video release and the announcement by Anita Alvarez not to bring charges in the officer in the Johnson shooting?

[REDACTED]

Can Rahm survive this?

[REDACTED]

Do you think an op-ed is enough to set the record straight and to confidence people they should trust him?

[REDACTED]

Many are saying that he sacrificed McCarthy and now the head of IPRA to save his own job.

[REDACTED]

What about accusations of a coverup in the Chicago Police Department about the Laquan McDonald shooting or a coverup by the Mayor of this video during his reelection while he settled for \$5 million with the family?

[REDACTED]

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From: Ewing, Clothilde
Sent: Monday, December 07, 2015 2:12 PM
To: Spector, Stephen; Klinzman, Grant; Quinn, Kelley
Subject: Re:

Sent from my BlackBerry 10 smartphone on the Verizon Wireless 4G LTE network.

From: Spector, Stephen
Sent: Monday, December 7, 2015 2:07 PM
To: Ewing, Clothilde; Klinzman, Grant; Quinn, Kelley
Subject: Re:

Back at my desk.

From: Ewing, Clothilde
Sent: Monday, December 7, 2015 1:56 PM
To: Klinzman, Grant; Spector, Stephen; Quinn, Kelley
Subject: Re:

Look at below and how it is formatted. Seems like bullets are off. Just make sure it presents well and send to me please? May need you to swap out with spector at some point so spector can send.

Sent from my BlackBerry 10 smartphone on the Verizon Wireless 4G LTE network.

From: Klinzman, Grant
Sent: Monday, December 7, 2015 1:47 PM
To: Spector, Stephen; Ewing, Clothilde; Quinn, Kelley
Subject: Re:

What needs to be formatted? Happy to handle.

On Mon, Dec 7, 2015 at 11:45 AM -0800, "Spector, Stephen" <Stephen.Spector@cityofchicago.org> wrote:

I am with Patton talking to CNN right now, away from computer.

From: Ewing, Clothilde
Sent: Monday, December 7, 2015 1:42 PM
To: Spector, Stephen; Quinn, Kelley; Klinzman, Grant
Subject:

Spector, are you in a position to format or should Kelley have someone else in press do?

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From: Rodriguez, Eve
Sent: Monday, December 07, 2015 2:37 PM
To: Quinn, Kelley;Ewing, Clothilde;Spector, Stephen;Rendina, Michael
Cc: Collins, Adam
Subject: RE: Check ins with networks and cable

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[WVON 1690AM @WVON1690 2m2 minutes ago](#)

At 3:00 on the Cliff Kelley Show: We continue the breaking news of the released dash cam footage of the Ronald...
<http://fb.me/HIQIglas>

From: Rodriguez, Eve
Sent: Monday, December 07, 2015 2:32 PM
To: Quinn, Kelley; Ewing, Clothilde; Patton, Stephen; McCaffrey, Bill; Spector, Stephen; Rendina, Michael
Cc: Collins, Adam
Subject: RE: Check ins with networks and cable

They are now talking about Escalante, we need to talk about him and his involvement in all of this because he is involved. He's orchestrating everything from an office now.
Talked about the resignation of the Chief of Detectives. All are resigning so they can have 5th amendment right to not testify.
Mr. Mayor, it's not looking good. You better hold McCarthy, cause when he starts talking, it's over, pressure is on.
-This is Maze Jackson, filling in for the great Al Sharpton. Break.

From: Rodriguez, Eve
Sent: Monday, December 07, 2015 2:23 PM
To: Quinn, Kelley; Ewing, Clothilde; Patton, Stephen; McCaffrey, Bill; Spector, Stephen; Rendina, Michael
Cc: Collins, Adam
Subject: RE: Check ins with networks and cable

They are going to want to know all about the Ronald Johnson case, that's all they have been talking about since Anita's presser.
Callers are outraged.

From: Quinn, Kelley
Sent: Monday, December 07, 2015 2:21 PM
To: Ewing, Clothilde; Rodriguez, Eve; Patton, Stephen; McCaffrey, Bill; Spector, Stephen; Rendina, Michael
Cc: Collins, Adam
Subject: Re: Check ins with networks and cable

What about Burns? Even Beale welcomed it and didn't bash us.

From: Ewing, Clothilde
Sent: Monday, December 7, 2015 1:45 PM

To: Rodriguez, Eve; Quinn, Kelley; Patton, Stephen; McCaffrey, Bill; Spector, Stephen; Rendina, Michael
Cc: Collins, Adam
Subject: RE: Check ins with networks and cable

I think we need to try and get someone on cliff Kelley

+ Rendina

Rendina, anyone that you met with earlier in aldermanic meeting who might work as a surrogate?

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To: Quinn, Kelley; Ewing, Clothilde; Patton, Stephen; McCaffrey, Bill; Spector, Stephen
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The Perri Small Show 9 – Noon

Covered DOJ Presser
Had Atty Antonio M. Romanucci who has sued the City on police misconduct
Covered Anita Alvarez Presser at 11 a.m.
Talked about the video of Ronald Johnson
Calls from public following the presser.

The Al Sharpton Show Noon- 3 p.m. – fill in by Mayes Jackson

Ronald Johnson video
Special prosecutor needed
Conspiracy at the highest level of government
Live Press conference of Ronald Johnson Family

The Cliff Kelley Show 3pm – 6pm

Talk about DOJ Announcement
Ronald Johnson video/family presser

From: Quinn, Kelley
Sent: Monday, December 07, 2015 10:40 AM
To: Rodriguez, Eve; Ewing, Clothilde; Patton, Stephen; McCaffrey, Bill; Spector, Stephen
Cc: Collins, Adam
Subject: Re: Check ins with networks and cable

Thanks, Eve. Please make a round of calls to ethnic radio and see who's doing what today. Thanks!

From: Rodriguez, Eve
Sent: Monday, December 7, 2015 10:32 AM
To: Ewing, Clothilde; Patton, Stephen; McCaffrey, Bill; Spector, Stephen
Cc: Collins, Adam; Quinn, Kelley
Subject: RE: Check ins with networks and cable

AA Radio

WVON – 1690 AM

Perry Small Show

Aired the DOJ Presser live

Anita Alvarez must go, and we cannot get her reelected

Arrogance of the Mayor to ask the Supt to step down, he was telling Suzanne Le Mignot that morning that the Mayor had his back.

They are going to continue the protests and I support the protest 160% and I support them.

Now the reporters are asking the questions. They are lying! The police reports do not match, they are false reports and if they are found planting evidence on suspects, they need to go to jail too.

It's about race, they gave McCarthy a standing ovation at the Irish lunch, a standing ovation!

If you don't vote and you put Anita Alvarez in office again, something is WRONG with you.

According to Sneed, the the Irish luncheon

- Emanuel spoke and skedaddled.
- The rest were seated within spitting distance of each other at the same rectangular head table.
- They did not greet, speak, or acknowledge each other.
- McCarthy, who had been invited to the luncheon before he was canned, was given a prolonged and sustained standing ovation.
- Emanuel was not.
- Emanuel worked the room before lunch.
- McCarthy, who was swamped with well-wishers before lunch, sat quietly next to several empty seats at the far end of the head table.
- Alvarez and Preckwinkle, who looked like the smoke bomb sisters, kept their distance on the same side of the elongated table.
- Preckwinkle sported a smile. Alvarez was into stern and scowl.
- Richie? Well, he looked great.
- Emanuel didn't go near Richie. Richie didn't go near Emanuel.
- Emanuel didn't go near McCarthy. McCarthy didn't go near Emanuel.
- Alvarez scurried in and out of the event before dessert. Preckwinkle was into meet and greet.

I'm going to say that a room full of white people giving a standing ovation to McCarthy. What if the kid that was shot was white from Mt. Greenwood?

If you have a room full of white people giving the Supt. a standing ovation – that is a problem.

The top paid officials in the police and fire dept. are white and Emanuel is up there but some make more than him.

The Alderman are misled about everything, they come out and say there were misled. They are misled about everything.

The City Atty Patton went to council to talk to them about the settlement, and none of them had any questions? Only the white Ald. Laurino?

All DOJ has to do is talk to the IPRA chief who was fired, there is misconduct here.

Back to Irish luncheon, a standing ovation, 1,500 people, what are you applauding him for? What?

She spoke to ATTY Antonio M. Romanucci who talked about:

- McCarthy critic since he came here, the stop and frisk practice that affected 100s of thousands of people. The practices from the East Coast. They did not work here, you can't stop people based on race.
- I've worked on cases for over 30 years, the cover up in CPD has been going on for year, cops cover for cops. There has been misconduct. Excessive use of force. These are deep rooted issues within the department. IPRA needs to be independent, not run by the city.
- No police officer has lost their job or faced criminal charges for excess force.
- Tomorrow starts the Glenn Evans trial.
- New era w/ policing, w/ cameras everywhere where we can see for ourselves.
- When you look at the McDonald case, why it took so long, the video is so compelling, so chilling, it was political. I don't think anyone could have estimated what it's done, everyone involved knew about it but it was kept because of the political reasons.

- The BK Video, right now we should be furious that the 80 mins is missing, there has been NO explanation why the video is missing, no good explanation or reason. The BK people say that everything was working until we see CPD officers there playing w/ the equipment.
- This needs to be investigated, it's evidence that the police make agreement w/ each other to cover for each other.
- If you take away other angles of the shooting, it's harder for them to make the story work for them, that Laquan was running towards them.
- The cars w/ no audio is another thing, when those lights go on, the microphones go on and the officers have the option to turn the mic off which should not be an option.

WGCI – 107.5 FM

Taking calls on Chiraq film

Music

From: Ewing, Clothilde
Sent: Monday, December 07, 2015 9:16 AM
To: Patton, Stephen; McCaffrey, Bill; Spector, Stephen; Rodriguez, Eve
Cc: Collins, Adam; Quinn, Kelley
Subject: Re: Check ins with networks and cable

Thank you. Will get back to you asap.

Sent from my BlackBerry 10 smartphone on the Verizon Wireless 4G LTE network.

From: Patton, Stephen
Sent: Monday, December 7, 2015 9:09 AM
To: McCaffrey, Bill; Spector, Stephen; Ewing, Clothilde; Rodriguez, Eve
Cc: Collins, Adam; Quinn, Kelley
Subject: Re: Check ins with networks and cable

I can also work in earlier times.

From: McCaffrey, Bill
Sent: Monday, December 7, 2015 9:04:46 AM
To: Spector, Stephen; Ewing, Clothilde; Rodriguez, Eve; Patton, Stephen
Cc: Collins, Adam; Quinn, Kelley
Subject: RE: Check ins with networks and cable

Steve is free to talk to everyone after MRE's 3 pm presser ends. We may need to set up a conference call to make the timing work. Maybe one call with print boards and one call with tv producers?

From: Spector, Stephen
Sent: Monday, December 07, 2015 8:38 AM
To: Ewing, Clothilde; Rodriguez, Eve; Patton, Stephen; McCaffrey, Bill
Cc: Collins, Adam; Quinn, Kelley
Subject: Re: Check ins with networks and cable

We're on it and will report back.

From: Ewing, Clothilde

Sent: Monday, December 7, 2015 8:26 AM

To: Spector, Stephen; Rodriguez, Eve; Patton, Stephen; McCaffrey, Bill

Cc: Collins, Adam; Quinn, Kelley

Subject: Check ins with networks and cable

Please make sure those are happening and that we have folks listening to radio this morning.

Regardless of what people are asking for, I want backgrounders set up with Patton and producing and editorial teams and msnbc, nbc and networks. I also would like us to touch base with editorial boards both local and nyt and wapo this afternoon, but they should know they are coming.

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Sent: Monday, December 07, 2015 3:18 PM
To: Breymaier, Shannon
Cc: McCaffrey, Bill; Collins, Adam; Rasmus, Chloe
Subject: Re: FOIAs due today

I don't know. Need to ask Patton.

On Dec 7, 2015, at 3:16 PM, Breymaier, Shannon <Shannon.Breymaier@cityofchicago.org> wrote:

Has settlement gone out before?

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Yes, it has been released in the past.

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From: Breymaier, Shannon
Sent: Monday, December 07, 2015 3:23 PM
To: McCaffrey, Bill; Quinn, Kelley; Collins, Adam; Rasmas, Chloe
Subject: Re: FOIAs due today

Wait, so we have or have not released this in the past?
Am confused. Will call you after presser

From: McCaffrey, Bill
Sent: Monday, December 7, 2015 3:19:45 PM
To: Breymaier, Shannon; Quinn, Kelley; Collins, Adam; Rasmas, Chloe
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It's attached.

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So no news there, right?

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Yes.

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