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September 1, 2022

Ms. Cathy Ball, City Manager
City of Johnson City
601 East Main Street
Johnson City, TN 37601

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Chv. Little*

9/1/2022

RE: Dahl vs. Turner, et al

Dear Ms. Ball:

First, let me introduce myself. My name is Steven R. Finney, and I am the new elected district Attorney for the First Judicial District. I was sworn into office on September 1, 2022. I am writing in response to your letter of August 24, 2022.

I have reviewed paragraph 2 of your letter, and I would encourage the City attorneys to file discovery motions in the civil lawsuit to obtain any names or information pertaining to paragraph 98 of the original Complaint. I have no knowledge of any information being reported to my office by Ms. Dahl about any of this action.

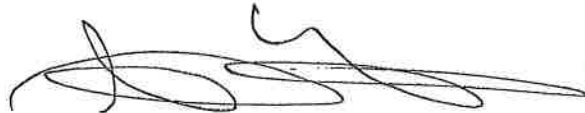
Finally, as the District Attorney, I am the only person that can request a TBI investigation. There is no mechanism for a "preliminary investigation." I do not have enough information to request a TBI investigation at this point.

If Ms. Dahl and her attorneys wish to meet with me and my investigators about paragraph 98, I would gladly do so. At that point, then I would decide whether to move forward with a TBI investigation.

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I am copying Ms. Dahl's attorneys with this letter so they will be aware of my office's response to your letter.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'S. Finney', with a stylized flourish at the end.

Steven R. Finney
District Attorney General

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cc: Mr. Hugh A. Eastwood - Mailed 9-1-22 (ck)
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