

AFFIDAVIT OF SCOTT S. DAVISON

STATE OF ALASKA)
) ss:
THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT)

Scott S. Davison, being first duly sworn, deposes and states as follows:

1. That I am the above named individual, Scott S. Davison. My date of birth is March 5, 1979.

2. That I make this affidavit voluntarily and in good faith, and that everything in this affidavit is true and correct to the best of my recollection.

3. That I grew up in Fairbanks, Alaska and attended Lathrop High School in Fairbanks in the years 1995 through 1998.

4. During my time at Lathrop High, I became acquainted with an individual named Jason T. Wallace. Mr. Wallace is an African-American male. Jason Wallace and I were in classes together at Lathrop High School.

5. That in 1997 Jason Wallace and I would often spend time together, during the day we would often skip school and hang out.

6. That having been in Fairbanks in October of 1997, I was aware of the assault, and subsequent death, of John Hartman on October 11, 1997.

7. A day or two after the assault, I was riding in the car of Matt Ellsworth, another friend from Fairbanks. Jason Wallace was also a passenger in the car. This was during the school day and we had skipped school. We were driving around and smoking marijuana.

8. We were riding around Fairbanks when Jason Wallace said to Matt and me that he had been involved in the attack on John Hartman. Wallace further said that Bill Holmes, who I also knew from Lathrop High, and an individual named Harold, had attacked Hartman. I don't remember Harold's last

name and don't think I ever met this individual. They had been driving around in Harold's Ford Tempo when they spotted Hartman and decided to assault him, ~~and take his money.~~ SD 4/11/11 Jason said he and Bill Holmes got out of the car while Harold remained in the car. They approached the individual on Barnette Street, beat and kicked him and left him on the side of the road.

9. Jason Wallace then said if we told anyone about what he had said about the Hartman assault, he would kill both of us.

10. That after Jason Wallace said this, I looked at Matt Ellsworth. Neither of us knew what to say, so we said nothing. The matter was not discussed again. I have not spoken to Jason Wallace about his statement since he made it back in 1997.

9. I have carried this information with me since 1997, knowing that four innocent people were in jail for a crime they had not committed. I make this statement voluntarily in the hopes that this injustice will be corrected.

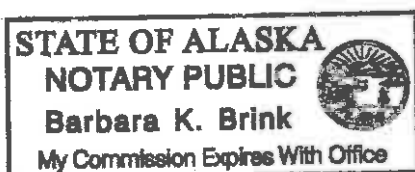
FURTHER YOUR AFFIANT SAYETH NAUGHT.

DATED this 11 day of April, 2011, at Anchorage, Alaska.

By: 

Scott S. Davison

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN to before me this 11th day of April, 2011, at Anchorage, Alaska.



Barbara K. Brink
Notary Public in and for Alaska
My Commission Expires: with office

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