From: James Tamm [mailto:jetamm@odtlegal.com] Sent: Wednesday, September 2, 2015 2:03 PM To: Richard Bisio <<u>Richard.Bisio@kkue.com</u>> Cc: Carolyn Rowland <<u>cmrowland@odtlegal.com</u>> Subject: RE: Bisio v Clarkston - September 9 hearing

## Richard,

In your amended complaint, you added FOIA allegations in paragraphs 50 -63 and are seeking declaratory relief. It is my understanding that your wife filed the FOIA request, not you. In response to the amended complaint we raised the issue of whether you have standing to assert the FOIA claim, since you did not submit the request. You are also seeking declaratory relief in count 3 of the amended complaint based on your wife's FOIA request. The City advised me that you have recently submitted an appeal under FOIA for certain records that were not produced under FOIA. It seem to me that there is a conflict between pursuing the FOIA claim in your litigation, while simultaneously having your wife, who is the real party in interest on the FOIA claim, exercise her rights under the statute. Given these facts, would you withdraw the FOIA allegations and declaratory relief request from the litigation?



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