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CITIZEN RESPONSE FORM

This area for department use

Date / Time Received: 3-25-13 / 10:00 am

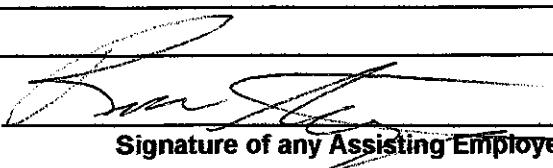
Who / How Received: In person

Case / CAD # C1-
13-001

Citizens Name Sandy BeBe Gillespie / Healing in the Hood		Address 126 E. Main		
City Blytheville	State ar	ZIP 72315	Phone 870-623-4742	
Date and Time of Occurrence 3-25-13	Location or address of Occurrence Facebook Internet			

Describe event

On the above date and time Mr. Gillespie with members of the Healing in the Hood organization came to the Blytheville Police Department filing this report for inappropriate comments posted on Facebook by Det. Sgt. Jason Eddings. According to the complaint Det. Sgt. Eddings posted negative comments concerning the Healing in the Hood Organization who recently filed affidavit statements with legal representatives of federally and state charged individuals arrested and investigated by Det. Sgt. Eddings/DTF/ATF and the Blytheville Police Department. City Attorney Mike Bearden also was present during the meeting during which I advised I would prepare this citizens complaint on their behalf and investigate the incident. Mr. Gillespie e-mailed me a copy of the comment from Det. Eddings facebook page. This along with other supporting documentation will be attached to this initial complaint.

Witnesses Name Address and Phone	City Attorney Mike Bearden
	

Signature

Signature of any Assisting Employee

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Date / Time

3-29-13

Received:

Who / How

Officer Bennett/Lobby

Received:

Case /

CC13-002

CAD #

Citizens Name

Tony Daniels

Address

2237 Kendwood St

City

Blytheville

State

ARK

ZIP

72315

Phone

870-623-0564

Date and Time of Occurrence

3-29-13

Location or address of Occurrence

W. Ash

Describe event

I was at Kulu getting food for my children on LT. nelson was sitting across the street waiting and when I drove off he got behind me and pulled me over doing the stop I gave him my DL and insurance and ask him why he pulled me over and he said my tags and I had light so you can see the tags he begin to cuss and harass me and also my children in the car making them have IT which my children is to young he always ride by my house harassing me and he told me he will do the fact he want he don't like black folks anyways because they selling drugs and keeping up shit in the neighbor. I told him I was going to report him to the Mayor and the Chief he said he don't give a fuck. He said I got away this time and he will get me the next time. The last thing he said get some tags with your broke black ass. This is not proffisive and I want this issue look into This issue

Witnesses Name Address and Phone

Chrishia Sharkey 178- S. Gosnell

Tony Daniels Jr 178 S. Gosnell

Signature
Signature

Brian C. Bennett 536

Signature of any Assisting Employee

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 Date / Time Received: 4/15/13 1:40 pm
 Who / How Received: walk in - CeCe
 Case / CAD # CC-13-003

Citizens Name <u>Carol Ann White</u>	Address <u>1113 Riveroak</u>		
City <u>Blytheville</u>	State <u>AR</u>	ZIP <u>72315</u>	Phone <u>(870)762-0878</u>
Date and Time of Occurrence <u>3/31/2013, 6:04 AM</u>	Location or address of Occurrence <u>Moultrie + Ruddle Rd</u>		
Describe event			

I Left my house at about 6:01 AM going to sunrise service, turning left onto Moultrie. At the 4way stop, I stopped and then turned right. I looked into my rear view mirror & saw a squad car who turned his overhead lights on & then turned them off. As I proceeded down the street, the squad car began travelling & placed his lights on. I pulled to the side about the end of the block. Officer asked me "Did you know you ran a stop sign?" I replied I was not aware of that as I was going to church. He went back to his car after I gave him my info. And as I was excited I couldn't find my driver's license in my purse. He went back to his car & after 10 min he came with a ticket saying I failed to stop. He asked me to sign the ticket & I said I preferred not to. He then said if I didn't sign he would have to take my driver's license. I responded that I couldn't find it in this purse (as I changed it for church) & if he followed me to my house I could give it to him. We went back to talk again to his supervisor, who the officer came back to the car & told me his supervisor said that signing the ticket was saying I was guilty or not. I replied that I still didn't want to sign & took the ticket & drove back to my house to send my license then went to church.

Witnesses Name Address and Phone
 Carol A. White, under "Calm of Law"
 Signature
 Signature of any Assisting Employee

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Date / Time Received:

6/3/13 2:40 pm

Who / How Received:

Facilia Jones walk in

Case / CAD #

CC -13 - 004

Citizens Name Carol Ann White	Address 1113 Riveroak		
City Blytheville	State AK	ZIP 72315	Phone (870)762-0878
Date and Time of Occurrence 5/21/13	Location or address of Occurrence 31 Arkansas (Blytheville Public Housing		

Describe event

On or about 11:00 AM I arrived at Blytheville Public Housing office at 31 Arkansas. I was in the lobby with others who had arrive to attend a public meeting published in the local newspaper. The door to the meeting was locked and people were asking when would the meeting start. At about 11:15 AM Sue Alexander came out of the finer office and told me I was not suppose to be there. I said I was there for the public meeting & she said I was barred from all Housing authority properties. I said that was not correct & she called the police. Officer Hancock and another officer arrived & I gave him the court order from Judge Thorne. He read it & then ignored what it stated and told me I had to leave or be arrested. I stated I would leave but that he was in error to ~~neglect~~ demand that I leave the premises.

Witnesses Name Address and Phone

Bobby Brock - 712 Clear Lake #72

Judy Smith - 712 Clear lake #

Jeanie Stubbs - 712 Clear Lake

Carol Ann White

Signature

Signature of any Assisting Employee

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Date / Time

5-21-13

Received:

Who / How

Lobby/Lt. Nelson

Received:

Case /

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20180160 CC-13-005

Citizens Name	Address		
Tony Hopper	3687 N 54 239		
City	State	ZIP	Phone 1623 home
Blytheville	AR	72315	870 623 1623 cell
Date and Time of Occurrence	Location or address of Occurrence		
2:41 P.M. Tue, May 21-2013	Main & Riddle		

Describe event

88 year old J.W. Hopper was sitting at Main & Riddle when a small gray Impala stop beside him & sprayed him in the face with a water gun. He went home and told me I am his son Tony Hopper. I go back up there in his truck hoping they would see his truck & pull in to laugh at him. While I was sitting where they come by and a man was walking south on Riddle they stop called out ~~some~~ in yelling his name & meet him down I saw that. Then I followed them to the corner of Chan Lake & Cindy in the old Skidmore home. I called the police gave them the h# 707 5:10 in male and mostly sat back to watch & nothing happened at all! No police never seen a cop car. Called back few minutes despatch ~~was~~ didn't know nothing about anything this is failure to communicate! Too ~~close~~ close to shift change I guess.

Witnesses Name Address and Phone

Tony Hopper
Signature

Lt. Nelson
Signature of any Assisting Employee

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Date / Time

7/9/13 12:21pm

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Who / How

Phone/person

Received:

Case /

CC-13-006

CAD #

Citizens Name	Address		
Kim Wallace	1115 West Moultrie		
City	State	ZIP	Phone
Blytheville	AR	72315	623-5535
Date and Time of Occurrence	Location or address of Occurrence		
July 7, 2013 10:15 approximately	Facebook		

Describe event

My complaint is that a city official would post such a comment on social media in regards to such a tragedy. This young man has friends & family that are devastated by this occurrence. You wouldn't expect someone of a professional status to voice their opinion on a social media. Blytheville struggles with negative comments with out it coming from city officials. Attached is the Facebook post.

Witnesses Name Address and Phone

Kim Wallace
Signature

Det. Sgt. Vincent Stewart
Signature of any Assisting Employee

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CC-13-007

Citizens Name		Address		
CHRISTI L. MITCHELL		302 BRUKE CIRCLE, UNIT #B		
City		State	ZIP	Phone
GOSNELL		AR	72315-620	870.824.938
Date and Time of Occurrence		Location or address of Occurrence		
WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 23RD, 2013 10:45AM		AIRBASE Highway 1/4 MILE FROM ONE-STOP TAWKED BLYTHEVILLE		
Describe event				
<p>I WAS WALKING AGAINST THE TRAFFIC AS I WAS SUPPOSED TO ON THE AIRBASE Highway about 1/4 OF A MILE FROM ONE-STOP TO BLYTHEVILLE WHEN I LOOKED UP AND SAW A BLYTHEVILLE POLICE OFFICER, CAUCASIAN WITH BLACK HAIR DRIVING RECKLESSLY IN A BLYTHEVILLE PATROL CAR GOING TOWARD GOSNELL. IT OCCURRED AT 10:30AM AS I EXAMINED THE SITUATION CLOSER, THE VEHICLE WAS NOT WITHIN AN EMERGENCY CAPACITY AS NO LIGHTS OR SIRENS WERE PRESENTLY OPERATING WITHIN AN EMERGENCY CAPACITY UPON THE VEHICLE. THE OFFICER LAUGHED ABOUT THE SITUATION. IT WAS NOT FUNNY.</p>				
<p>THE OFFICER WAS TALKING ON A CELL PHONE AS HE DROVE RECKLESSLY TOWARD ME AS I WAS WALKING ON THE FAR RIGHT SHOULDER OF AIRBASE HIGHWAY NEAR THE ABOVE MENTIONED LOCATION OF THE OCCURRENCE. I FEARED HE WAS TRYING TO RUN ME OVER.</p>				
<p>MY COMPLAINT STATES THAT A CAUCASIAN BLYTHEVILLE POLICE OFFICER CAME BARRELING TOWARD ME IN HIS OFFICIAL DUTY AS A POLICE OFFICER. THE OFFICER USED HIS SQUAD CAR TO TRY TO INTIMIDATE ME AS IF I HAD DONE SOMETHING WRONG. THIS INTIMIDATION/HARRASSMENT CREATED AN IMMEDIATE FEAR FOR MY SAFETY AND WELL BEING. MY COMPLAINT STATES THAT THE OFFICER WAS OUT OF CONTROL WHILE DRIVING HIS SQUAD CAR DUE TO THE USE OF A CELLPHONE. AT THAT MOMENT I FELLED FOR MY LIFE WHEN THE OCCURRENCE HAPPENED. I HAVE BEEN MENTALLY TAKEN TO THIS SITUATION.</p>				
Witnesses Name Address and Phone				
<p>CHRISTI L. MITCHELL/PRODUCER-ENGINEER SOUTHERN TELECOMMUNICATIONS (BAPT) INC 302 BRUKE CIRCLE, UNIT #B BLYTHEVILLE, ARKANSAS 72315 TELEPHONE: 870.824.938</p>				

Signature

Signature of any Assisting Employee

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11/5/13 approx. 1400 hrs

Who / How Received:

Sgt Huckabee received from

Case / CAD #

CC - 13 - 008

Citizens Name <i>Maggie Murphy</i>	Address <i>1028 W. Hardin St</i>		
City <i>Blytheville</i>	State <i>AR</i>	ZIP <i>72315</i>	Phone <i>(870) 763-7506 #2782504</i>
Date and Time of Occurrence	Location or address of Occurrence		

Describe event

To whom it may concern:

My name is Maggie Murphy. This event happened around the first part of summer. I went outside to take out the garbage. My neighbor, officer Fosters dog came out from his back yard and tried to attack me. No one was around to help me so I began to find something to protect myself my self. I was so fearful and began calling on the name of Jesus, the dog backed up a little. Still trying to get into my house, I finally did. My husband was at work. I called the police Dept. An officer came and tried to calm the dog down. But the dog tried to attack the officer also. I told the officer to come into my house for his safety and he did. Officer tried to text officer Foster twice, he came and put a small piece of board to keep dog in. He made no attempt even in my sickness did he apologize for dog. A couple day later my husband & I went to the Captain, he gave us an ordinance off rules and regulations of the dog. We waited on the city council to meet, this subject were brought up. Ms. Langston asked why was not a complaint made. If we were not aware of it, and what steps to take if officer has has made an attempt to scare his dog. Only remove his dog's waste & cut grass.

Witnesses Name Address and Phone

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 Date / Time 11/5/13 approx. 1400 hrs
 Received:
 Who / How me. Murphy handed to Sgt
 Received:
 Case / CC-13-009
 CAD #

Citizens Name <u>John Murphy</u>	Address <u>1028 W. Hardin St.</u>		
City <u>Blytheville</u>	State <u>AR</u>	ZIP <u>72315</u>	Phone <u>870 763 7506 cell 278 2804</u>
Date and Time of Occurrence <u>10-27-13 Sunday 10a-10am</u>	Location or address of Occurrence <u>1028 W. Hardin front yard</u>		
Describe event			

To whom it may concern:

I, John Murphy heard a dog barking on the day in question. I went out of my front door to see what was going on, and there was a dog in my front yard barking. I proceeded to go out of the house, the dog started coming to me, showing his teeth still barking, I stepped back on my porch, he acted like he would bite me. I went back in the house and called 911 two times around 10:20am or 10:30am. It took the Police 25 to 30 min. to come. Dog went back of his house, from which he came. I talked to Officer Polk about the incident, he said we couldn't file a complaint. Just telling him was sufficient, the officers went next door to the officer which own the dog. While we were waiting in our house for a reply from the officers, they never came and told us anything, they left.

Our witnesses across the street saw the dog also, through their front door. The fence in back of my neighbors' yard will not secure the dog. A stronger fence, a secure fence should be installed for the dog. This is the second time we have been frightened of this dog. We never know when he will try again, or anyone else he might approach. We were late for church because of this incident. We are like prisoners in our own home. The officers never apologize or anything.

John. (W. Murphy.)

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FIMI Rodney Richardson #23

CC-13-010

Citizens Name	Address		
Ashley Roche	389 N. Hollywood Apt A		
City	State	ZIP	Phone
Blytheville	AR	72315	(870)278-1727
Date and Time of Occurrence	Location or address of Occurrence		
Nov. 14, 2013 around 3:00pm	389 N. Hollywood Apt A		
Describe event			

My brother, Edward Bryant, came to my house and was seen walking in by Officer Ables, who had known my brother from a previous arrest. Ables called the police station and had several other officers arrive at my apartment to arrest Edward. They threatened to break my door down if he didn't open it. Upon entry, Ables, who was off duty, searched my apartment claiming to be looking for other people. They drew their guns on Edward and told him he had a FTA, then arrested him, and brought him to the station where they found out the FTA they arrested him for had already been taken care of and that his name was clear.

Witnesses Name Address and Phone

Ashley Roche

389 N. Hollywood Apt A

(870)278-1727

Signature

Signature of any Assisting Employee