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Lysia Bowling
City of Pensacola
P. O. Box 12910
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Re: U.S. Attorney Investigation of Ashton Hayward

Dear Mr. Barker:

Our firm represented Mr. Hayward in the investigation began by the U.S. Attorney's Office in 2014. That investigation proved to be without merit. Greg Miller, one of our then partners and now of counsel to the firm, has confirmed with the U.S. Attorney's Office that this investigation is now concluded. All of the matters which were the subject of the investigation were within the scope of Mr. Hayward's responsibilities as mayor. There was no finding of any wrongdoing on his part.

I have enclosed our statement for services rendered on his behalf. Mr. Hayward has paid \$13,500.00 of that bill, as indicated on the bill. The attached statement shows the net amount due to our firm. The \$13,500.00 previously paid by Mr. Hayward should be reimbursed to him. If you have any questions concerning this matter, please let me know.

Very truly yours,

J. Nixon Daniel, III
For the Firm

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Enclosure

cc: Richard Barker (w/encl.) ✓
Ashton Hayward (w/encl.)