

OPEN LETTER TO 18TH CIRCUIT STATE ATTORNEY

Public Record Request – Decline To Prosecute Letter – Former Seminole Tax Collector

Mr. Todd Brown
Public Information Officer
18th Circuit – State Attorney’s Office

April 12, 2021

Ref: Public Record Request – Joel Greenberg – SAO Letter Opting Not To Prosecute
As Written In December 2017 by Chief Assistant Stacey Straub Salmons (Sanford Office)

Good Afternoon Mr. Brown:

As you should remember, and as mentioned within our published “open letter” (see below link) - your office was NOT able to provide us with the SAO’s “decline to prosecute letter” attached to a November 2018 child drowning incident (Altamonte Springs, Florida).

<http://volusiaexposed.com/brevard/kathleenedwards/openletter.pdf>

Your office responded (in part):

“Unfortunately the only identifying information you’ve provided is the ASPD case number. I searched our system for both 2018CJ019844 (as it appears in the report) and 2018-73991 (as you provided), but found no matching records. If you can provide a defendant or victim name, or the name of the prosecutor who drafted the letter, I will try again.”

Obviously, since the “identifying information” you (Brown) requested is redacted from the DCF report (see below link to DCF document) – we (VolusiaExposed.Com) can not provide this requested information – something we suspect, you are well aware of – and have taken full advantage of.

<http://www.volusiaexposed.com/brevard/kathleenedwards/itdokedwards42021/18-739917.pdf>

HOWEVER, we (VolusiaExposed.Com) now file **this additional** public record request (PRR) for a copy of a “decline to prosecute letter” that your office **should be able** to easily locate.

This particular “decline to prosecute letter” was mentioned and quoted from - within a recent Orlando Sentinel article (see below link).

Orlando Sentinel - April 3, 2021

33 Federal Charges, But Mostly Left Alone Locally

Few Legal Consequence For Joel Greenberg In Home State

<https://www.pressreader.com/usa/orlando-sentinel/20210403/281543703724899>

According to the Orlando Sentinel article - the letter was written in early December 2017 by Chief Assistant Stacey Straub Salmons (Sanford Office) regarding the State Attorney Office's refusal to prosecute then Seminole Tax Collector Joel Greenberg.

As you may have heard – Mr. Greenberg is now facing over thirty **federal** charges – apparently including, but not limited to - bribery, theft of government property, and child sex trafficking.

To further assist your office in locating this particular “decline to prosecute letter” – the victim of Mr. Greenberg's alleged crime (impersonating a law enforcement officer) is Barbara Hawkins.

Mr. Greenberg has now been attached to the alleged federal investigation into Republican Florida Congressman Matt Gaetz. If the media is to be believed – Gaetz and Greenberg are friends – and Gaetz has also been attached to child sex trafficking – that apparently involves Greenberg (see below media links).

<https://www.cnn.com/2021/04/08/matt-gaetz-associate-joel-greenberg-expected-to-strike-plea-deal-in-sex-trafficking-case.html>

<https://www.cbsnews.com/news/matt-gaetz-bahamas-trip-federal-probe-sex-trafficking/>

Media outlets – with mightier pens than little old VolusiaExposed.Com - are now openly questioning whether some Florida State Attorney offices ignored the criminal behaviors of certain partisan politicians. Sadly, the 18th SAO was inclusive to those discussions (see below linked Daytona Beach News Journal editorial)

<https://www.news-journalonline.com/story/opinion/2021/04/11/investigate-volusia-sen-jason-brodeurs-race-and-ties-matt-gaetz-sex-and-campaign-scandal/7155981002/>

While we tend to agree with the “mightier pens” – that local prosecutors are ignoring the criminal behaviors of certain partisan politicians – our weaker pen – wishes to explore, whether these same prosecutors have, and are attempting, to silence innocent voices by filing criminal prosecutions against them. Apparently, these innocent voices are perceived threats to some local partisan politicians (innocent voices = Dana Loyd, Aimee Casey, John DeRossett, Crosley Green, and others).

We (VolusiaExposed.Com) suspect that the recent criminal prosecution of Kathleen Edwards also falls within this category. The criminal prosecution of Edwards will be the majority subject of our pending article.

U.S. founding father Thomas Paine was a “dress maker” – rather than a professional journalist – BUT his 1776 publication titled “Common Sense” lit the fuse, that sparked the U.S. Revolutionary War against Great Britain.

https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Common_Sense

While we (VolusiaExposed.Com) can in no way compare ourselves with the likes of Thomas Paine, the Orlando Sentinel, or the Daytona Beach News Journal – we do wish to stitch up the finest “dress” possible - exposing how local law enforcement has, and is manipulating the criminal justice system for apparent partisan agendas.

The requested “Greenberg decline to prosecute letter” shall act as our seamstress' thread.

Please use our below email address as our point of contact – and we authorize up to \$20 (1 hr) of research expense by your office - should you not be able to locate the requested document within the first thirty (30) free research minutes. We had extreme confidence that your office can, and will, locate this requested document within 90 minutes.

Regards,

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Bcc – to several other seamstresses

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https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Betsy_Ross