#### Town of Crawford Police Department 121 State Route 302 Pine Bush, N. Y 12566

#### COMPLAINT ACKNOWLEDGMENT

File: 2344-15

July 23, 2015

Dear: Ms.:

This will acknowledge receipt of the complaint made by you on July 20, 2015, concerning the actions of a member(s) of this department occurring on July 18, 2015.

An investigation is being conducted into the allegations contained in your complaint and you will be advised of the results of the investigation within approximately four weeks. In the meantime, should a question arise, you can contact the department by calling (845)744-3300, Monday through Friday, between the hours of 8:30 a.m. and 4:00 p.m.

Very truly yours,

Dominick L. Blasko Chief of Police





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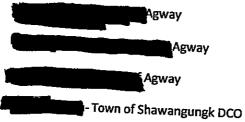
Date: 7-22-15

From: Sgt. Meier

Re: Personnel Complaint Farrell-Zavadil

Chief Blasko,

I received this PC from you On July 20, 2015 and would like to share with you the results of my investigation. The following persons were interviewed and the following actions were taken.



Review and inclusion of seven Impact Biotters

Review of Agway cctv video

After interviewing and obtaining statements from all witnesses identified from the incident that occurred on the 18<sup>th</sup> of July I can report that officers Zavadil and Farrell conducted themselves in a courteous and professional manner when dealing with the suspect the suspect It has been reported by all three witnesses that

I personally reviewed the video of the incident and at no time was a substitute subjected to physical contact by either officer and it was observed that a substitute of failed her arms at both officers.

I further interviewed the DCO from Town of Shawangunk and she reports that's that has many prior cases in their Township and that she has unsuccessfully tried to sue several residents always involving dogs. Additionally she has unsuccessfully tried to get several dogs declared as dangerous dogs. The last also been given trespass warnings now at Agway.

There is no merit to her claims against our officers. In speaking with all the witnesses it was repeated over and over that they were professional, polite, courteous, and respectful. All witnesses requested the officers be commended for the way she handled the situation.

Attached to this report are copies of witness statements and prior blotters.

Submitted by Sgt Eric Meier

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Entry/CC#: CP-002352-15

Date: 07/19/2015

Time: 09:12

Tour:

02Desk Officer:

Call Type....: ANIMAL COMPLAINT

Priority..:

How Received: 7 DIGIT TELEPHONE

Caller....:

Bus. Name..:

Address...: City/St/Zip: 1

Call Back #:845-895-4668

Location of Assignment: 105 DEPOT STREET, PINE BUSH

Cross Street....: Business Name....: 

Disposition....: Post:

Dispatched: Y

Dispatched Date: 07/19/2015

Call Taker: D006

OFFICERS INVOLVED

Serial #:DC01 Rank:DC0 Name \*DARLENE PANAGULIS

UNITS INVOLVED

Unit: PERSONAL V

Officers: ()

Disp. Time: 09:12 | Arv. Time: | Comp Time:

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ASSOCIATED NUMBERS

PERSONS INVOLVED

DOB: 09/12/1943

Name....

Address..... City/State/Zip:WALLKILL, NY

Phone Number..:

Mobile Number ...

Sex.....F

Race:

Person Type...:CALLER

DOB: / /

Address.....:105 DEPOT STREET

City/State/Zip:PINE BUSH, NY 12566

Phone Number ..:

Business Number..: (845)744-2011

Sex....:

Race:

Person Type...:BUSINESS

NARRATIVE

D-6:07/19/2015 09:21 Caller reports she was attacked by a dog at the Agway on 7/18/2015. Reference CO # 002344-15. DCO 91-15.

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Entry/CC#: CP-002344-15

Date: 07/18/2015

Time: 14:44

Tour:

02Desk Officer:

Call Type....: TRESPASS

Priority..:

How Received: 7 DIGIT TELEPHONE

Caller....: , INC

Bus. Name..: PINE BUSH AGWAY Address....: 105 DEPOT STREET City/St/Zip: PINE BUSH, NY 12566

Call Back #:

Location of Assignment: 105 DEPOT STREET, PINE BUSH

Cross Street....:

Business Name.....: PINE BUSH AGWAY

Description....: TRESPASS Disposition....: COMPLETE

Post:

Dispatched: Y

Dispatched Date: 07/18/2015

Call Taker: D006

Plate & State:

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Year/Make/Model/Color:

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OFFICERS INVOLVED

Serial #:0107 Rank:PO Name:ROBERT FARRELL Serial #:0169 Rank:PO Name:PAUL T ZAVADIL

UNITS INVOLVED

Unit: 7F213

Officers: (0107)

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Unit: 7F215

Officers: (0169)

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ASSOCIATED NUMBERS

PERSONS INVOLVED DOB: / /

Name.....

Address.....

City/State/Zip:

Phone Number ..:

Mobile Number..:8457847379 Race: Person Type...:COMPLAINANT

DOB: / /

Address....:105 DEPOT STREET

City/State/Zip:PINE BUSH, NY 12566

Phone Number ..:

Business Number ..: (845)744-2011

02Desk Officer: Time: 14:44 Tour: Entry/CC#: CP-002344-15 Date: 07/18/2015 Sex...: Race: Person Type...:BUSINESS DOB: 09/12/1943 Name..... Address....: City/State/Zip: Phone Number ..: 8 Mobile Number ..: Race: Person Type...:SUSPECT DOB:12/13/1995 Name....: Address....: City/State/Zip: Phone Number ..: ( Mobile Number ..: Sex....:F Race: Person Type...:WITNESS Name....: DOB: 02/11/1948 Address.... City/State/Zip:M Phone Number ..: Mobile Number ... Sex....: Person Type...:WITNESS NARRATIVE D-6:07/18/2015 14:44 Caller, reports a female subject is trespassing. Caller reports subject has been asked to leave but refuses. Member 7F213/107 and 7F215/169 responded. 107:07/18/2015 15:30 - Members responded and interviewed the Dabout the incident. Howe reports that a few minutes earlier a tered the store main door walking her log. Howe reports that his which was behind the counter jumped a small fence and went over to manufacture dog to say hello. Reports that at this time the ecame irate over his dog coming near her dog. The reports that the began cursing at him and stated that " if your dog would have bit me or my dog I would have killed both of you". reports that at this point he asked to leave numerous times because she was causing a disturbance and trying to engage other customers into the dispute but she refused. Witnesses report that dog was not aggressive towards or her dog. Upon interviewing she appears to and was belligerent towards myself and Officer have 1 had to be escorted out of the store and to her vehicle at Zavadil. which time she drove away cursing at both officers. was advised by this officer at the request of the store manager that she is not welcome in the store or on the property because of previous incidents with her. stated that she understood the request was advised to send a registered letter stating that she was not welcome on the property and

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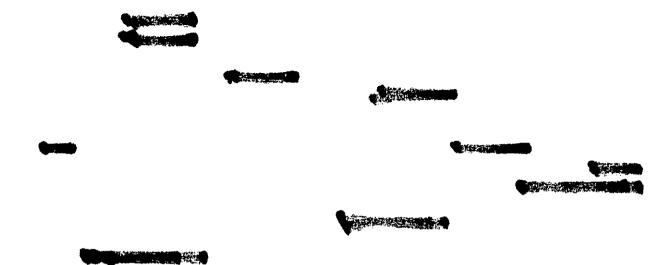
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Desk Officer: Tour: Time: 09:50 Entry/CC#: CP-008432-07 Date: 05/17/2007 How Received: CELL PHONE Priority..: Call Type....: ANIMAL-DOG COMPLAINT Caller...: Bus. Name ..: Address...: Call Back #: City/St/Zip: Location of Assignment: STATE ROUTE 52, PINE BUSH Cross Street....: Business Name.....: VALLEY SUPREME PARKING LOT Description....: Disposition....: Call Taker: Post: Dispatched: Y Dispatched Date: OFFICERS INVOLVED Type:First Officer at Scen Serial #:51 Rank:DCO; Name:DARLENE PANAGULIS Serial #:1 Rank:SGT Name:DOMINICK BLASKO Type: UNITS INVOLVED Officers: (51) Unit: Disp. Time: 09:50 | Arv. Time: 03:01 | Comp Time: 03:40 Rcv'd to Comp: 17:50 :: Disp to Comp: 17:50 ASSOCIATED NUMBERS PERSONS INVOLVED DOB: / / Name.... Address....: City/State/Zip: Phone Number ..: Sex.....F Race: UNK Person Type...: PERSON REPORTING DOB: / Name....: Address....: City/State/Zip: Phone Number ..: Sex....: Race: Person Type...:OTHER DOB: Name..... Address....: City/State/Zip:, NY Phone Number ..: Race: Sex.....F Person Type...:SUSPECT



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# FROM THE DESK OF CHIEF DOMINICK L. BLASKO

To: Sgt. Eric Meier

Date: July 20, 2015

Ref: Personnel Complaint

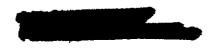
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Review, investigate and forward me the results and recommendations as soon as possible.

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CC: Sergeants





July 20, 2015

Pine Bush Police Department 121 Route 302 Pine Bush, New York 12566

Attention:

Chief Dominick Blasko

Re:

Incident at Agway on Saturday, July 18, 2015

Dear Chief Blasko:

On Saturday, I walked into the Agway store to return some tapeworm medication.

As I entered the store with my registered, licensed service dog, the bolted out from behind the counter and tried to attack me and my dog. I was able to stop the attack, but an employee, came at me, shouting, cursing, name calling and ordering me out of the store.

I asked to call the police, in order for me to make a report about his dog attacking me and my dog.

A single police officer arrived, talked to the plea I made to take a complaint about the dog attacking. When I told him to take his hands off me, the officer stated "I could do a lot worse to you if I want."

A second police officer arrived, and his attitude toward me was even more aggressive; he also refused to respond to the fact that I asked for the police to be called for the dog attack. He said "This is a private store and they don't want you to ever come back here again. Do you understand me, mam? Do you understand me, you are never to come here again. Do you understand me?" I told him that I understand that I am afraid of you cops and that's not good. I told him I wanted to speak to the Chief of Police and he said "We don't have a chief; I am the senior officer involved and you will get out of here."

As I was driving away, I saw the police officer throw his hand up in the air, open his fingers into a "victory" sign, and grinning, saying "bye, bye now, don't come back, bye bye."

I called the police station and was told there was nothing I could do about what happened until Monday. I called the police station again and was told a message would be left for the dog control person to call me; she did call me, and agreed to meet me on Wednesday at the police station to take my complaint.

I am at a total loss to understand why the police treated me the way they did. I depended on them to help me in this matter, and they treated me like a criminal, and then laughed and scorned me. As far as staying away from Agway, it will indeed be a pleasure, and I will be enthusiastic about telling all my friends what happened there.

I look forward to hearing from you, Chief Blasko; I know that were you the officer in charge at the time I would have been treated with great respect because you are an honorable and respectable police officer.

Sincerely yours,



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Tour: 02Desk Officer:

Call Type....: TRESPASS

Priority..: How Received: 7 DIGIT TELEPHONE

Caller....., INC

Bus. Name..: PINE BUSH AGWAY

Address....: 105 DEPOT STREET

City/St/Zip: PINE BUSH, NY 12566

Call Back #:

Location of Assignment: 105 DEPOT STREET, PINE BUSH

Cross Street....:

Business Name.....: PINE BUSH AGWAY

Description....: TRESPASS Disposition.....COMPLETE

Dispatched: Y Dispatched Date: 07/18/2015

Call Taker: DO06

VEHICLES INVOLVED

Plate & State:

Year/Make/Model/Color:

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