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TO: Editor@BradyCops.org
FROM: Grays Harbor County Prosecuting Attorney's Office
DATE: January 22, 2015
RE: Washington – Public Records Request – 2nd Notice – Brady – Gigilo – Washington State

In response to your email dated January 2015, the following is a current police officer within our jurisdiction classified by this office as requiring a “potential impeachment disclosure” in an applicable criminal case: Don Blumberg.

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Dear Editor at Brady Cops.org:

I am the office administrator for the Grays Harbor County Prosecuting Attorney's Office and am responsible for responding to Public Records Requests. This email will acknowledge receipt of your emailed Public Records Request, as follows:

“-----Original Message-----

From: Editor BradyCops.Org [mailto:editor@bradycops.org]
Sent: Wednesday, January 14, 2015 11:43 AM
To: editor@bradycops.org
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2nd Notice

January 2015

Dear Washington Prosecutors:

We, BradyCops.Org, file this second notice for our public record request for any lists your office has compiled, maintains or references in the identification of police officers within your jurisdiction who would be commonly classified as “Brady Cops” or “Giglio Cops”.

Our first request for public record notice to your agency was filed last month (December 2014), and has gone unanswered.

Our classification of the term “Brady / Giglio Cops” would include police officers that have a known history of misconduct, that would call into question their veracity. So much so, that their lack of veracity could be reportable exculpatory evidence to the criminal defendant, in compliance with the mandates of the following U.S. Supreme Court decisions:

Brady v. Maryland 373 U.S. 83 (1963)
Giglio v. United States, 405 U.S. 150 (1972)

Our (BradyCops.Org) goal is to develop a nationwide database of all available “Brady / Giglio Cop” lists held by U.S. prosecutors. We, intend to publish all Washington State Brady lists within the below linked web page.

<http://bradycops.org/states/washington.html>

Further, our goal is to make the public aware of jurisdictions that do not maintain a Brady / Giglio Cop list – and openly question how those jurisdictions honestly comply with the reporting mandates of the

Brady & Giglio decisions. Therefore, should your office not maintain a Brady / Giglio Cop list – we would request that your office provide us with a written explanation of how it complies with the mandates of the Brady & Giglio decisions. This written explanation will be published in lieu of a Brady list.

We anticipate that defense attorneys within your jurisdiction will either confirm, or challenge your written explanation.

We (BradyCops.Org) believe that your citizens have the right to know who their Brady Cops are, absent needing to file a trial discovery motion.

Citizens receiving traffic tickets, or having their home break-ins investigated, have the right to know whether these officers have a Brady / Giglio history. Further, the business community who contracts with some law enforcement agencies for additional security, also have the right to know these Brady / Giglio histories.

Given recent events, we are confident that your office can appreciate the public interest in whether their prosecuting attorneys' are properly vetting out the credibility of our nation's law enforcement officers.

Please use the below listed email address as our point of contact.

Further, notify us in advance of any costs that are associated with our request for public record.

Electronic format – via email, is our preferred method of receiving the requested records.

Regards;

[Http://BradyCops.Org](http://BradyCops.Org)

Editor@BradyCops.org”

OUR RESPONSE IS AS FOLLOWS:

We are currently in the process of reviewing our records to determine whether or not we have the records you describe. If so, we will then determine if those records, or portions thereof, are exempt from disclosure pursuant to RCW 42.56.210 through 42.56.440, or other applicable statutes. If parties named in the record are entitled to notice of your request for possible court review under RCW 42.56.540, we are required to notify those individuals.

We expect to have our review completed and to have any electronic record or hard copy documents available ten days from the date of this letter. If we are unable to meet this deadline, we will notify you of a revised date.

If our record is maintained electronically, we will provide it to you in that format. If our record is in paper format, we will provide to you in that format. If the record is in paper format, you will be charged the sum of 15 cents per page for each page of the requested public record and the cost of postage to mail the record to you. You will receive another email advising you whether we have the record requested, the format of that record, and any cost. Costs are due in advance of release of the record.

Please call if you have any questions, my contact information is below.

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