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January 13, 2016

Melanie Hamel
2845 State Highway 146
Jonesboro, IL 62952

Please consider this our response to your attached January 6, 2016 Freedom of Information Act request, summarized below:

Any and all reports from February 2015 through January 2016 involving Terry Ray Hamel.

Please find enclosed copies of incident reports 2015-004198 and 2015-001734 with the following redactions made:

- Dates of birth have been redacted as that information is exempt under Section 7(1)(c) of FOIA (5 ILCS 140/7(1)(c)) as approved by the Office of the Attorney General in pre-authorization letter 2011 PAC 13577.
- Home addresses, personal telephone numbers and personal license plate numbers are defined as personal information in Section 2(c-5) of FOIA (5 ILCS 140/2(c-5)) and per Section 7(1)(b) of FOIA (5 ILCS 140/7(1)(b)) are exempted.
- Names of witnesses are exempted under 5 ILCS 140/7(1)(c) as approved by the Office of the Attorney General in pre-authorization letter 2011 PAC 15997.
- The names of third parties who were never arrested or were incidentally mentioned in police reports are exempted under Section 7(1)(c) of FOIA (5 ILCS 140/7(1)(c)) as approved by the Office of the Attorney General in pre-authorization letter 2011 PAC 12140.

We are denying your request in regards to report 2015-004610. As such, please be advised of the following:

- (1) We are denying 2015-004610 as it relates to a pending case and as such disclosure of this record would create a substantial likelihood that a person will be deprived of a fair trial or an impartial hearing pursuant to Section 7(1)(d)(iii) of FOIA (5 ILCS 140/7(1)(d)(iii)).
- (2) Chief Information Officer Rollie Hawk and State's Attorney Tyler Edmonds are the persons responsible for this denial.
- (3) You have the right to review by the Public Access Counselor. Her contact information is below.

Sarah Pratt
Public Access Counselor
Office of the Attorney General
500 S. 2nd Street
Springfield, Illinois 62706

Phone: 1-877-299-FOIA (1-877-299-3642)

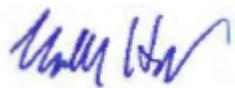
Fax: (217) 782-1396

E-mail: publicaccess@atg.state.il.us

- (4) You have the right to judicial review of this denial under Section 11 of FOIA (5 ILCS 140/11).

We feel this completes your request. If we may be of further assistance, please let me know.

Sincerely,



Rollie Hawk, Chief Information Office

Enclosure

Cc: Tyler Edmonds, State's Attorney
Scott Harvel, Sheriff



County of Union, Illinois
Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) Request Form

Date Requested: 1-16-2016
 Request Submitted By: Medanie Hamel
 Street Address: 2845 st Hy 146
 City/State/ZIP: West of Jonesboro IL 62952
 Telephone (optional): 618-203-2863 E-mail (optional): _____
 Fax (optional): _____

Records Requested (please be as specific as possible; attach additional pages if needed):

Any and all Reports from Feb 2015 - Jan 2016.
up on Perry B. Hamel
Ray

Is this request for a Commercial Purpose? YES NO
(It is a violation of the Freedom of Information Act for a person to knowingly obtain a public record for a commercial purpose without disclosing that it is for a commercial purpose, if requested to do so by the public body under 5 ILCS 140.3.1(c))

Are you requesting a fee waiver? YES NO
(If you are requesting that the public body waive any fees for copying the documents, you must attach a statement of the purpose of the request, and whether the principal purpose of the request is to access or disseminate information regarding the health, safety and welfare or legal rights of the general public under 5 ILCS 140/6(c)).

Please retain a copy of this form for your records.

Submit the original to one of our FOIA officers:

Rollie Hawk Union County Chief Information Officer 309 West Market Room 115 Jonesboro, IL 62952 cio@unioncountyl.gov (618) 331-8248	Tyler Edmonds Union County State's Attorney 309 West Market Room 239 Jonesboro, IL 62952 ucsainfo@unioncountyl.gov (618) 833-7216
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Incident Report

Union County Sheriff's Office
 309 W Market St
 Jonesboro, IL 62952
 Phone (618) 833-5500 e-mail sheriffadmin@unioncountyil.gov fax (618) 833-4011

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Incident **2015-004198 Walk In**
Reported **Thursday, November 19, 2015 @ 11:13:48**
At [REDACTED]

Entered By UC18 Hill,Brian #6004
UC # **UC151130145**

Officer/Unit Assigned UC36 McDaniel,Kyle

Unit	UC36	McDaniel,Kyle	
Enroute	11/19/2015	11:15:27	[REDACTED]
Arrived	11/19/2015	11:32:47	
Status Check	11/19/2015	11:37:59	Watchman Status Canceled
Arrived	11/19/2015	12:30:27	
In Service	11/19/2015	12:35:42	

Departmental Narrative

she has been threatened by her brother Terry Hamel

Adult

[REDACTED]
Last Known Address

[REDACTED]

Phone [REDACTED]
Cell [REDACTED]

DOB	Current Age	Incident Age	Sex	Race	HGT	WGT	Hair	Eyes	Build	Skin
[REDACTED]	70	70	F	W						

Victim on 11/19/2015

Adult

Terry Ray Hamel
Last Known Address

[REDACTED]

Phone [REDACTED]

Cell [REDACTED]

DOB	Current Age	Incident Age	Sex	Race	HGT	WGT	Hair	Eyes	Build	Skin
[REDACTED]	50	50	M	W	508	140	BLN	BLU		LGT

Suspect on 11/19/2015

Adult

Last Known Address

Phone [REDACTED]

DOB	Current Age	Incident Age	Sex	Race	HGT	WGT	Hair	Eyes	Build	Skin
[REDACTED]	61	61	F	W						

Witness on 11/19/2015

Adult

Last Known Address

Phone [REDACTED]

DOB	Current Age	Incident Age	Sex	Race	HGT	WGT	Hair	Eyes	Build	Skin
[REDACTED]	43	43	F	W						

R/P on 11/19/2015

Report for Incident 2015-004198, Walk In, document created on 11/19/2015 @ 05:16:32

On Thursday November 19, 2015 two women came into the Sheriff's Office wishing to speak with an Officer about an on-going problem they have been having. I, Deputy Kyle McDaniel arrived shortly thereafter and met with the two women [REDACTED] and [REDACTED]. Both women were already filling out statements when I arrived and I asked them to finish before speaking with me. When the women were finished [REDACTED] spoke first about what had been happening. [REDACTED] wanted to inform me that she believes that her mother, [REDACTED] is the victim of abuse. [REDACTED] believes that her brother, Terry Hamel is being verbally abusive towards their mother. [REDACTED] claims that her mother had called her on November 16 and asked if she could stay with [REDACTED]. [REDACTED] stated that while on the phone with her mother she could hear her brother, Terry Hamel yelling in the background. [REDACTED] stated that Terry had threatened to call the police if [REDACTED] were to show up to the residence. [REDACTED] also stated that she heard Terry Hamel threaten to "get rid" of them all. [REDACTED] stated that her mother did not wish to come to the Sheriff's Office and speak with a deputy and [REDACTED] believes that her mother would lie to protect Terry. I spoke with [REDACTED] about the possibility of the State sending a social worker to the home and [REDACTED] stated that the State had already provided a social worker. [REDACTED] stated to me that the social worker did not find any indication of abuse, but

██████████ "knows" that it is taking place.

Also present with ██████████ was long-time family friend, ██████████. ██████████ wished to file a statement in which she had an encounter with Terry Hamel at a store in Anna. While in the store ██████████ observed ██████████ and Terry Hamel. ██████████ stated that she and ██████████ exchanged greetings. ██████████ then asked ██████████ if she had seen ██████████ lately. ██████████ stated that when ██████████'s name was brought up it angered Terry Hamel. According to ██████████ Terry Hamel began shouting accusing ██████████ of stealing his mother's (██████████) home and keeping it for herself. ██████████ stated that Terry clenched his fist and said that his eye's appeared "crazed". ██████████ stated that Terry Hamel never threatened her personally but claims that Terry Hamel stated that he was going to get her, referring to ██████████

UNION COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE

VOLUNTARY STATEMENT

(Not Under Arrest)

CASE NO. _____

Date 11-18-15 Time 3:00

Name ██████████
P.O. Box # ██████████
Street Address ██████████
City & State ██████████
Tele. # at Home ██████████
at Work ██████████

Suspect's Name Terry Hamel
DOB or Age 50 Sex M Race W
Tele # & Address _____
Hgt 5'9" Wght 160 Eyes _____ Hair br.
Tattoos/Scars _____
Works at _____

Statement: My name is ██████████. My girlfriend ██████████ + I entered this & that resale store in Anna approximately 3:00 pm. Once in the store to the right I made eye contact with ██████████. She is the suspects mother. She smiled at me and gave me a little hug. At that time she appeared dazed & confused in the few words we spoke. She said "have you seen ██████████?" I replied "yes & I will see her this evening". Terry suddenly became outraged. He clenched his fists and his eyes looked crazed. He began yelling "██████████ better my mother fucking dead to her house & put her out in the street - her own son! I'm going to fucking get her. As I slowly walked on he continued threatening ██████████ "I'm going to fucking get her I'm going to fucking get her!" My friend got away & around the corner I Terry got following me. Once I met up with my friend ██████████ she just said "Man! That guy really has a hot head." I did not see Terry or ██████████ again as we left the store quickly.

I know that I am not under arrest. I voluntarily and freely furnish this statement which is true and correct to the best of my

Signature ██████████

Date 11-18-15 Time 11:30

UNION COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE

VOLUNTARY STATEMENT

CASE NO _____

(Not Under Arrest)

Name _____ (Not Under Arrest) Date _____ Time _____
 P.O. Box # _____ Suspect's Name Terry Hamel
 Street Address _____ DOB or Age _____ Sex _____
 City & State _____ Tele # & Address _____
 Tele. # at Home _____ Hgt 5 Wght 8 Eyes Blue Hair Blond
 at Work _____ Tattoos/Scars _____ Works at Dosit work

Statement: Monday November 16, 2015, I called my mom to see what she was doing she had called me the night before and I told her I would call her back the next morning. I called 3 times on the third time Terry answered and hung up on me I called right back my mom answered and asked me [redacted] if you have a gun for me I said yes mom what was it Terry was telling me to shut up my mom said [redacted] Terry said if you come down there he will call the police I said mom I don't know him he continued yelling and saying I'm serious do something to you and [redacted] [redacted] [redacted] Case of you [redacted] he just keep cussing and saying things that he was going to get rid of you all T. said I don't want anything I'd do with you I leave you alone, I told my mom Terry was listening and will call the police if he did it again (Terry was threatening my mom (telling her he) keep the mouth fucker shut and still saying you gun (he) fuckin under tow of all you out. By this time I was up set I told my mom I love her and Good Bye (Terry was cussing and just saying threatening things) it would not stop = out & over again he threatened myself & my family

I know that I am not under arrest. I voluntarily and freely furnish this statement which is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

Signature _____ Date 11-19-2015 Time 11:31

Witness _____ Page No. _____

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Incident 2015-001734 Walk In
Reported Saturday, May 16, 2015 @ 10:02:15
At [REDACTED]

Entered By UC17 Turner,Michael
UC # UC150515009

Officer/Unit Assigned UC38 Schildknecht, Josh

<u>Unit</u>	UC38	Schildknecht, Josh	
	Arrived	5/16/2015	10:02:26 [REDACTED]
	Status Check	5/16/2015	10:07:33 Watchman Status Canceled
	Enroute	5/16/2015	10:18:03 2845 STATE RT 146 W
	Arrived	5/16/2015	10:19:27
	In Service	5/16/2015	10:21:31
	Arrived	5/16/2015	10:22:05
	Status Check	5/16/2015	10:27:15 Watchman Status Re-Cycled for 5 Minutes
	In Service	5/16/2015	10:30:18

Adult

[REDACTED]
Last Known Address

[REDACTED]

Phone

Cell

DOB	Current Age	Incident Age	Sex	Race	HGT	WGT	Hair	Eyes	Build	Skin
[REDACTED]	70	69	F	W						

Other on 5/16/2015

Adult



Melanie A Hamel
Last Known Address
Homeless
 , 00000
Cell [REDACTED]

DOB	Current Age	Incident Age	Sex	Race	HGT	WGT	Hair	Eyes	Build	Skin
[REDACTED]	48	47	F	W	504	129	BRO	BLU		

Suspect Harrassment By Phone Warning Verbal Warning
R/P Crim. Trespass To Land on 5/16/2015

Adult
Terry Ray Hamel
Last Known Address
 [REDACTED]
Phone [REDACTED]

Cell [REDACTED]

DOB	Current Age	Incident Age	Sex	Race	HGT	WGT	Hair	Eyes	Build	Skin
[REDACTED]	50	49	M	W	508	140	BLN	BLU		LGT

Suspect Crim. Trespass To Land Warning Verbal Warning
R/P Harrassment By Phone on 5/16/2015

On 05/16/15 at approximately 10:00 A.M., I, Deputy J. Schildknecht met with Terry Hamel at the Sheriff's Office.

Hamel wanted to report that his sister, Melanie Hamel had been phoning as well as yelling threatening messages to him and their mother who lives next door to them. He also wished to report civil matters regarding the estate of his father and the house that Melanie now has. I knew that Deputy Stroehlein had met with Melanie earlier today about Terry trespassing on the property, so I told Terry that I would meet with Melanie and warn her to not yell, call, text or have any other form of contact with Terry or their mother, if she did she could be charged. I also warned Terry of the same, and I also warned Terry not to return to Melanie's property or he could be arrested for trespassing. Terry stated he understood, and would not.

I then met with Melanie at [REDACTED] I then verbally warned her not to have any contact with Terry or she could face charges. She stated she understood. Melanie then showed me a receipt that showed her lug nuts on her truck were loose and she had to get them tightened. She also stated that Terry had threatened to burn down her house and told her that he had vandalized her breaker box, and she was going to have an electrician inspect it before she used it.

Nothing further at this time.

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