

Soden Stephanie A

From: Briggs Steven
Sent: Tuesday, February 12, 2008 1:28 PM
To: Soden Stephanie A
Subject: RE: Clatsop County Article

Probably respond something like this:

We have not opened a formal investigation. We have received citizen complaints regarding certain facets of Clatsop County government and have simply inquired to determine if DOJ involvement is appropriate.

How does that sound?

Briggs

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If I receive an inquiry about this how do you recommend I respond?

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From: Briggs Steven
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Subject: FW: Clatsop County Article

Stephanie,

So you don't get blindsided, read this article. In fact, we have not opened an investigation, but just did a preliminary inquiry to see if there was a basis for a full investigation. We were planning on calling the DA this week and telling him that there is not sufficient evidence of a crime to justify an investigation.

Briggs

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From: McBeth Page K

Sent: Tuesday, February 12, 2008 11:49 AM

To: Briggs Steven; MADDUX Donna **Subject:**
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