EX ALDERMAN NEWSLETTER 241 AND CHESTERFIELD 186

By John Hoffmann

September 5, 2016

CITY REFUSES TO ENFORCE TRASH PICKUP LAWS: Instead of enforcement seven years after the current trash service ordinance was passed, the City is "reaching out" but not enforcing. I received a complaint in a letter sent to me by a resident upset that the city is enforcing the city code on backyard trash pickup in subdivisions that have not opted out to allow curbside pickup but refuses to enforce the code dealing with a prohibition of curb side pickup along busy two-lane streets for public safety, health and welfare. I was on the BOA and drafted much of the current ordinance. The intent was not to allow curbside pick up on busier roads with no shoulders. The staff was ignored the intent.

South Mason is perhaps the most dangerous, followed by Clayton Road, Conway Road and Topping Road. We have a list of addresses where waivers were issued. What amazes us is what criteria was used to give a waiver (we don't believe there is a city guideline on this. In many cases it appears if it is grossly unsafe even with a waiver.)

Here are just some of the curbside trash receptacles I found along always dangerous S. Mason Road and Topping Road on August 23 and later on Clayton where the truck stops and blocks the road.

1926 S Mason (No Waiver)

1430 S Mason

(No Waiver) Do you see any clear danger at this location?

1412 S Mason

(Waiver)

1632 S Mason (No Waiver)

1377 S Mason (No Waiver)

1525 S Mason (No Waiver)

1220 S Mason (No Waiver)

1694 S Mason (No Waiver)

1827 S Mason Rd (No Waiver)

2014 S Mason (No Waiver)

1926 S Mason (No Waiver)

Solid Waste Violations Topping Road

1501 Topping (No Waiver)

1516 Topping(No Waiver)

1408 Topping (No Waiver)

1812 Topping (No Waiver)

1739 Topping (No Waiver)

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Solid Waste Violations Clayton Road August 24, 2016

13650 Clayton Rd (No Waiver)

13512 Clayton Rd (No Waiver)

13706 Clayton Rd (No Waiver)

13840 Clayton Road (No Waiver)

13504 Clayton Rd (No Waiver)

We found 14 more violations on Thursday August 25, but due to a lack of space we are not posting all the photos we forwarded to Town and County City Hall as part of a complaint we filed. I have also filed a Sunshine Law request for any waivers issued to any resident allowing them to place trash cans curbside on major roads otherwise in violation of the ordinance. That is posted below.

How do you give a waiver to a residence directly on a curve of a dangerous road with no shoulders and a 35 MPH speed limit, meaning people routinely do up to 45 MPH? I asked what the criteria was for getting a waiver. I never got an answer. Here is a good example I found where a waiver was issued on a dangerous curve:

1830 S Mason (Waiver)

Here is the list of all waivers from this ordinance issued by Town and Country:

12005	Clayton Rd.	Town & County	MO	63131
12426	Clayton Rd.	Town & County	MO	63131
12556	Clayton Rd.	Town & County	MO	63131
13655	Clayton Rd.	Town & County	MO	63017
13700	Clayton Rd.	Town & County	MO	63017
13779	Clayton Rd.	Town & County	MO	63017
13788	Clayton Rd.	Town & County	MO	63017
13790	Clayton Rd.	Town & County	MO	63017
14008	Clayton Rd.	Town & County	MO	63017
13344	Conway Rd.	Town & County	MO	63141
13427	Conway Rd.	Town & County	MO	63141
921	Mason Ridge Rd.	Town & County	MO	63141
991	Mason Ridge Rd.	Town & County	MO	63141

12395	N. 40 Drive	Town & County	MO	63131
1412	S. Mason Rd.	Town & County	MO	63131
1524	S. Mason Rd.	Town & County	MO	63131
1536	S. Mason Rd.	Town & County	MO	63131
1819	S. Mason Rd.	Town & County	MO	63131
1830	S. Mason Rd.	Town & County	MO	63131
1865	S. Mason Rd.	Town & County	MO	63131
2053	S. Mason Rd.	Town & County	MO	63131
1390	South Mason Rd.	Town & County	MO	63131
1609	Topping Road	Town & County	MO	63131

Here is the complaint I filed with the City of Town and Country and Services Director Craig Wilde.

August 24, 2016

Craig,

Perhaps because I write and post a weekly newsletter or perhaps because I was on the Committee/Task Force in 2008 and 2009 that created the existing solid waste law, a citizen has complained to me about the city's lack of enforcement of the Solid Waste Ordinance in dealing with the public safety aspects of the ordinance, but does enforce non-public safety aspects. This is from the city ordinance:

Section 235.030
G 5
Residents of dwellings on major roads that do not belong to a subdivision or a homeowners' association may not opt-out for curb side collection due to safety concerns, trucks stopping and blocking roadways while making pickups.
a.
Any person residing on a major road may apply for a waiver for curb side pickup if the applicant demonstrates that trash or recycling trucks stopping on the road to pickup trash do not affect the health, safety and welfare of citizens and motorists.

While action can be taken against residents, admin action can be taken against trash haulers for not following the ordinance up to and including the revocation of their license to operate in Town and Country.

235.200
B.

In all cases, when the corrective measures have not been taken within the time specified, the Director shall suspend the license involved in the violation; however, in those cases where an extension of time will permit correction and there is not public health hazard created by the delay, one (1) extension of time not to exceed the original time period may be given.

C.

The Director may suspend a waste collection license for non-compliance with any provision of this Article in accordance with Section 235.200.

Please consider the following submitted locations on the attachments as complaints of violations of the Solid Waste ordinances.

I will look for more violations on Clayton Road and Mason Road later in the week.

John Hoffmann

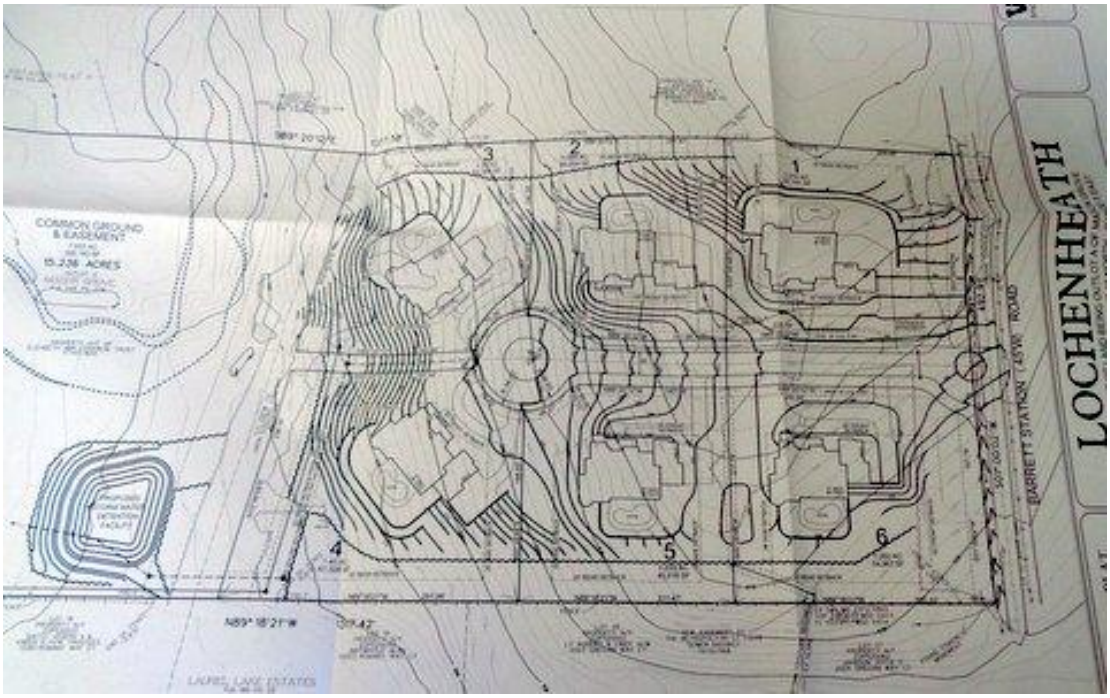
PLANNING AND ZONING APPROVES SPLIT LOT ON SUMMERHILL AND PRELIMINARY PLANS FOR NEW SUBDIVISION. PLUS TENNIS COURTS APPROVED TO BE MOVED FROM MARYVILLE CAMPUS TO CONWAY ROAD.

Summerhill: The lot for the former house at 18 Summerhill that was 2-acres was approved to be subdivided into two lots. One the lots will back up to the side of huge house of Laura Dierberg, CFO of the supermarket chain and her doctor husband on 904 Weidman Road. You can't see the house from Weidman Road and you can only see the side of the house from Summerhill in the winter when the leaves fall from the trees. **Last year the annual real estate taxes on the Dierberg Mansion were $80,311.**

18 Summerhill

New subdivision: The Lochenheath subdivision on the north end of Barrett Station Road between the Thornhill Gate and the Laurel Lakes subdivision received preliminary approval. There were two residents at the hearing, one from Laurel Lakes and one from

Thornhill Estates, neither were in opposition to the subdivision, but both had questions that were answered by the developers.



Maryville University amended site plan for athletics fields and tennis courts on Conway Road. This (below) was the original plan that was passed and cost Ward 4 Alderman Phil Behnen his seat when he voted for it despite large scale resident opposition. It had 177 parking spaces, the maintenance facility, a soccer field, practice field and softball field. .

Below is the revised plan that was passed by the Planning and Zoning Commission. It has eliminated the maintenance building since Maryville went with a contract provider. Parking spaces went from 177 to 106. They however added four tennis courts moved down from the main campus which will open up either building space or parking space on the campus.

THE CASE OF THE WIFE BEATING QUICKLY FOLLOWED BY THE DIVORCE SUIT BETWEEN TWO DOCTORS: It happened on the Fourth of July. A day that is a big deal in the U.S., but not in India. The allegations of the assault by a husband on his wife in the Village of Huntleigh are very serious. The husband has been charged with Felony Assault.

The husband, Vivek Agnihotri, and wife Zinia Sue Thomas were partners in both an adult and child psychiatrist office in Frontenac. The wife is listed as the child expert and the husband is listed as the expert with patients displaying violent behavior, which he apparently has some experience with. They are both grads of Yale.

The assault occurred at their home at 21 Huntleigh Woods as part of an argument.

21 Huntleigh Woods the scene of the crime

Dr. Zinia Thomas

Dr. Vivek Agnihorti

non-smiling Dr. Agrihorti mug shot

We will allow Frontenac Police Officer Jeremy Newton's Probable Cause statement tell what happened on July 4.

(The criminal complaint followed by the divorce lawsuit are on the homepage of our website.)

Date: July 4, 2016

I, Jeremy Newton, DSN 0226, Frontenac Police Department, knowing that false statements on this form are punishable by law, state that the facts contained herein are true. I have probable cause to believe that on July 4, 2016, at 21 Huntleigh Woods, St. Louis County, Vivek Agnihotri, White, Male, DOB 07/15/1968, 5'08", 165lbs, committed one or more criminal offense(s).

Count: 01 DOMESTIC ASSAULT 2ND DEGREE - 1ST OFFENSE - CLASS C FELONY

The facts supporting this belief are as follows:

Victim is the wife of defendant. Victim and defendant are arguing and defendant hits victim with an open hand approximately fifteen times. Victim ran to another room and defendant followed her and grabbed a golf club and beat her with the club.

Jeremy Newton, DSN 0226, Frontenac Police Department

[Signature] P. O. S. Wt, 226

VIVEK AGNIHOTRI
21 HUNTLEIGH WOODS
SAINT LOUIS, MO 63131

Aliases:

Defendant

43TH

RACE: White
SEX: Male
DOB: 07/15/1968
HGT: 5'08"
WGT: 165lbs.
P.D.: Frontenac
ORI Number: MO0953100

CHARGES

Count: 01 DOMESTIC ASSAULT 2ND DEGREE - 1ST OFFENSE - CLASS C FELONY $25,000.00 Cash only

COMPLAINT

State of Missouri)
County of St. Louis) SS

Comes now the State of Missouri by and through the undersigned Assistant Prosecuting Attorney on information and belief that there is probable cause to believe that the above named defendant committed the following crime(s):

COUNT: 01 DOMESTIC ASSAULT 2ND DEGREE - 1ST OFFENSE - CLASS C FELONY

That Vivek Agnihotri , in violation of Section 565.073, RSMo, committed the class C felony of domestic assault in the second degree, punishable upon conviction under Sections 558.011 and 560.011, RSMo, in that on or about July 4, 2016, in the County of St. Louis, State of Missouri, the defendant knowingly caused physical injury to Zinia Thomas by hitting her repeatedly with a golf club and Zinia Thomas and the defendant were family or household members in that Zinia Thomas was the spouse of the defendant.

565.073-003Y19981399.

The undersigned Prosecutor informs the Court on information and belief that the above offense(s) herein charged were committed.

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Assistant Prosecuting Attorney

This is a fast moving case. The day after his arrest on Tuesday July 5 Orders of Protection where obtained for the wife and the children,

22 days after his arrest the wife filed the divorce papers. They have two children and she is pregnant . She alleges he is keeping money from her and has a violent history. The full divorce pleading is on our homepage.

Another fear of the wife is that since the husband has an India passport he could while having the children on a visitation take them and flee the country.

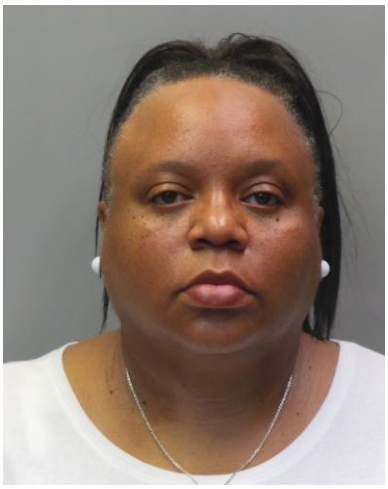
On August 8 the prosecutor's office already had the case before a grand jury and Agnihotri was indicted.

CLEANING CREW CLEANS OUT RAWLINGS: A cleaning crew for the Rawlings home office located at 510 Maryville University Drive in Town and Country, with a lighted sign facing I-64, helped themselves to 32 prototype baseball gloves and sunglasses beginning on August 17. Value of the theft is in the area of $20,000.

This is a $500 baseball glove currently on the market.

A husband and wife team on the cleaning crew from Collinsville, IL were arrested and Town and Country Police recovered all the gloves. Charges are pending.

David Hunter, 47, Collinsville, IL



Jennifer Hunter, 45, Collinsville, IL

This theft makes me wonder if crooks have any brains. Steal one or two gloves and people at the Rawlings office might think a salesman has them or there was an internal theft and shrug it off. However if you steal 32, someone is going to notice. The other thing this pair didn't know was that St. Louis County Prosecuting Attorney Bob McCullough has a tie to baseball. He worked his way through law school as an usher at Busch Stadium. Finally they advertised them for sale on the internet.

Here is a statement from the Police Department about the thefts, arrests and recovery of the gloves.

Friday 8/19/2016: Our department was contacted by Rawlings in regards to 5 prototype baseball gloves that were discovered missing on or about Wednesday 8/17/216. The Director of Baseball gloves stated that he had located 1 of the missing gloves on a buy/sell/trade website dealing in baseball equipment. Investigation led to the suspect, David Hunter, who was arrested and booked for stealing and released pending application of warrants. The 5 gloves were recovered. We were then notified of additional missing gloves and further investigation developed a second suspect, Jennifer Hunter (David's wife). Jennifer was arrested and booked for stealing and released pending application of warrants. Both suspects confessed to the thefts and further investigation led to the recovery of an additional 27 prototype baseball gloves and several pairs of sunglasses. David and Jennifer were employed as cleaning personnel at the Rawlings building.

MORE COMMENTS FROM THE TOWN AND COUNTRY RESIDENT SURVEY: While the $17,000-plus opinion survey from Town and Country residents showed how much most of the residents (who took the survey) are happy with how the city is being run. However, as much as everybody is happy with the city, when given an opportunity many are leaving opinions and comments that are not all sugar and love. Last week we pulled 40 of the 865 "general comments" left.

This week we have pulled 30 comments from the 647 comments made about the Town Square Project. While some residents are happy overall they are not all happy about the Town Square Project. The major comments that we did not list because they were so repetitive were concern for increased traffic, the expense of building a tunnel under Clayton Road, not having enough parking. A lot of people want a rec center with a pool and gym. The water retention will take 2 acres and 2 acres for retail. Four acres is not big enough for a rec center.

Many people leaving comments want this to be a music venue also. That will not happen. Homeowners in two subdivisions that abut the property have been promised that. The desire to have restaurants go from "family friendly" to "healthy vegan" to none at all. Some people wanted sidewalks along Weidman Road, Conway Road, Mason Road and Topping Road before putting money into this black hole. Here are 30 of the 647 comments:

"Over kill." "Over-kill."

A great negative impact on surrounding residential neighborhoods. This looks like six flags! Too much activity at a very busy intersection. Too much development! The traffic on Clayton is very busy. This will only draw more people from outside community. Let's retain our quiet country feel-this plan is too urban! Please don't do it

A lake or pond will attract bugs, litter, and mess. It will be expensive to maintain. Why are we not considering a rec center similar to those in other communities. These are large assets and we have nothing comparable. In addition, that intersection will need major expansion.

A playground is a plus. Young couples would be more likely to use the restaurants. Grandparents as well. No playground is a mistake.

Allow residents to fish in the lake

Although I think it's a nice idea....I am pretty frustrated that the mayor has solely focus his interest on Clayton Road, while Conway Road continues to be eaten up with Maryville and St Luke's. We have no sidewalks, our roads are uneven, trees overhang Conway look horrible. Before he spends more of our money On his legacy I would prefer he fix Conway road, especially from 141 to Mason.

An ice cream/frozen custard place would be great to add. Dog potty bag stands and disposal containers will be needed. A water drinking

fountain would be essential as well as men/women restroom. Healthy eating type restaurant. (This person needs to make up their mind, high calorie ice cream place or healthy eating place.)

as with any body of water, geese will be present!

Concerns with the survey: why didn't it offer "not a good idea"? There is fine dining at Mineo's. Why would the town try to cut into a long standing business? What about liability insurance for the water features? Does anyone really know the long term expenditure this Town Square will require? Bad idea being a landlord for a municipal government.

Don't do it!!! I was opposed to the city buying the property in the first place! It seems like the aldermen just do whatever they want. very dictatorial

Don't we already have a major park like 500 feet down the road???

First of all quit calling a storm water retention pond a LAKE. By any definition what is planned is simply a pond. Quit lying to the public. Look up the definitions in a regular dictionary and a science dictionary. This thing is not going to be a lake! It is simply a pond. Quit over selling it. / / The restaurants create a problem. If they are popular they will take all the parking spaces and create noise for the nearby homes. / / Helping someone sell a piece of property that had been for sale for 10 years is not a function of government. There is a large city park just to the west of this property.

given the current state of the overall economy and the belt tightening many of us are forced to do...this seems excessive.

Green space, bike trails, hiking paths -these are more important to me that Town Square

How can you have a survey that asks the arbitrary question such as how often we would go to the restaurant of choice when we have no idea if the fine dining would be overpriced, high quality? Makes no sense. There are many fine dining restaurants that are reasonable, and they are fine dining restaurants that serve entrees that start at $40.00. The questions were a set-up meant to lead the reader down a path. You left no place for comments.

I am concerned about a restaurant that promotes a happy hour. We don't need a restaurant that depends on the sale of alcohol to be featured in our town square.

I do not think the Town Square makes sense.

I guess the only question i have is we already have the Long View Park, do we really need another similar concept across the street?

I have been looking at pictures of the proposed Town Square for a while now. I think it looks great. I'm very excited about it.

I think the tunnel idea could be problematic. There is potential for water problems. Malicious activity. And generally we think it would be difficult to keep it scrubbed clean and looking inviting

I think the tunnel is very important for the safety of walkers, bikers and children that want to cross the street.

In hind sight, I think you are starting to realize how much of a money pit the Wirth Property is, and how bad of a decision it was to purchase the land.

Just do it. I would like Town & Country to develop a reputation of promoting togetherness, similar to the Kirkwood reputation.

Lack of parking. Small space. I just wonder if the expense is warranted by the potential usage.

Quit spending money on things the largest percentage of residents DON'T want. / / This is a quiet bedroom community not a playground for the few.

Since it is more central located in Town & Country maybe it should be City Hall. (I wonder if Jon Dalton sent this one in.)

The City bought the property after residents complained about a proposal to build a nursing home that would have required re-zoning most of the property from residential. I fail to see how creating a place that would regularly bring lots of people to the area is a benefit to the nearby residents.

This is an unnecessary expense.

This is the best use of the reserves and the project should go forward asap!

We have many wonderful parks in Town and Country now. Was there consideration of moving the Municipal Offices to this area and allowing the police force to remain in the present location?

Why did the mayor really purchase this boondoggle? The city is spending thousands on this purchase that was not approved until after the fact. All the smart people in town can't come up with a needed use. It is a want not a need. And they want a restaurant that is not too successful. Who wants that type of restaurant, They spent millions on Longview that ended up not meeting the goals of a few such as the space available for events. It's such a shame the people's money is so wasted. Why install brick walkways and steps as they are extra slippery in rain and ice breaks up the mortar. So very expensive to redo every 2 or so years.

UNAPPROVED CHESTERFIELD NEWSLETTER 186

September 5, 2016

CHESTERFIELD JULY CRIME AND POLICE ACTIVITY REPORT

Highlight sections indicate an increase in crime or activity in 2016 versus 2015

Offense	July 2016	July 2015	YTD 2016	YTD 2015
CRIMES AGAINST PERSONS				
Non-forcible rape	0	0	1	0
Forcible Rape	1	2	2	4
Sexual Offense non-rape	0	1	3	5
Robbery	2	0	6	8
Assault	15	11	118	105
BURGLARY				
Residential	3	5	17	22
Business	1	2	8	14

LARCENY				
Felony Theft	28	23	151	142
Misdemeanor Theft	52	37	309	267
Auto Theft	5	1	15	11
Arson	**0**	**0**	**2**	**1**
Checks/Fraud *	19	37	167	816
Vandalism	12	10	89	63
Drug Violations	10	9	81	53
DWI Violations	9	7	67	74
ARRESTS				
Adult	102	97	808	778
Juvenile	6	15	91	101
TRAFFIC				
Vehicle Crashes	157	153	1104	1008
Fatal	0	0	1	1
Injuries	32	32	210	197
Warnings Issued	491	348	4384	2415
Parking Citations	33	29	157	143
Traffic Summons	634	815	5324	5619
Recovered Vehicles	1	0	3	4
Radio Calls Dispatched	5154	4470	31652	29998
Alarms	111	129	837	918

* In 2015 Chesterfield Police took IRS fraud tax return reports. Those reports were not taken in 2016

One thing we have noticed doing this feature for the last two years, is that you are almost as likely to get a traffic written warning instead of a citation. It probably helps if you are a resident of Chesterfield.

ANOTHER WEEK ANOTHER CHESTERFIELD RESIDENT INDICTED FOR EMBEZZLEMENT: This last week it was James Vincent Guccione, 49, of 2376 Greenberry Hill Lane off of Baxter Road in Chesterfield who was charged with Stealing Over $25,000.

Guccione was charged with stealing over $30,000 from his Clayton employer Kataman Metals over a three month period from March to June this year through unauthorized bank transfers. Guccione was a 22-year employee at Kataman Metals.

Here is Guccione's bio from Kataman Metals' website:

Jim Guccione

Jim Guccione is Director of Finance & Internet Technology for Kataman Metals, responsible for investigating, analyzing risks and approving credit lines for potential customers along with continuing lines of credit for current customers. Mr. Guccione is also responsible for all planning and implementation of major modifications to Kataman's computer network infrastructure and treasury management systems.

Mr. Guccione joined Kataman Metals in 1994 and has more than 20 years experience in the metals industry. Prior to joining Kataman, Jim spent five years as Accounting Manager for American Motivation Company, Inc.

Mr. Guccione is a graduate of the University of Missouri – St. Louis earning a Bachelor of Science, Business Administration with concentration in Accounting. Jim also attends Washington University in St. Louis to maintain his technology certifications.

Jim is also actively involved in coaching amateur baseball and softball.

His current residence is owned by Sassco, LLC with a Hazelwood address.

2376 Greenberry Hill Lane

Over the years Guccione has had addresses in Florissant and two in Chesterfield. The other address in Chesterfield was 15415 Vineyard Chesterfield, 63017. He also lived one year at 12931 Tundra Ct. in Town and Country.

He was six months and eight months late in paying his St. Louis County personal property (Vehicle) taxes in the last two years. He has been as late as 11 months paying his car taxes. The last time he paid his personal property taxes on time was in 2008.

This is another case of red flags posted all over the place. Here are some of the civil court actions against Guccione:

01/22/16	State of Missouri v James V. Guccione	$2,439 judgment (unsatisfied)
01/15/16	Opensided MRI v James Guccione	dismissed by parties
09/11/15	State of Missouri v james V. Guccione	$1,401 judgment (paid 12/11/15)
11/07/14	State of Missouri v James V Guccione	$7,996 judgment (paid 4/9/15)
08/31/09	Advantage Assests v James V. Guccione	dismissed by parties
05/13/08	Electro Savings v James V. Guccione	$7,484 judgment (unsatisfied)
07/01/08	Truman Bank v James V. Guccone	dismissed by parties
11/13/07	Deutsche Bank v James Guccione	dismissed by parties
01/02/07	American Express v James V. Guccione	$**46,054 judgment (unsatisfied**)
08/13/05	State of Missouri v James V. Guccione	$544 judgment (paid 5/31/06)
01/27/05	State of Missouri v James V. Guccione	$248 judgment (paid 4/4/05)
06/28/04	State of Missouri v James V. Guccione	$141 judgment (paid 8/18/04)

We found six Missouri tax liens or judgments against Guccione. We don't know how many Federal Tax judgments have been filed against him. In as much he had over $56,000 in state judgments and an unknown amount of Federal liens and judgments at the time of the thefts, I think we found a motive.

I am just amazed a corporation does not run annual background checks on their "Director of Finance."

Here is the Probable Cause Statement from Det. Joe Stevens of the Clayton Police Department:

I, Joe Stevens, DSN 0299, Clayton Police Department, knowing that false statements on this form are punishable by law, state that the facts contained herein are true. I have probable cause to believe that between March 23, 2016 and June 10, 2016, at 7733 Forsyth Boulevard, James Guccione, White, Male, DOB 03/12/1967, 6'00", 225lbs, committed one or more criminal offense(s).

Count: 01 STEALING OVER $25,000 - CLASS B FELONY

The facts supporting this belief are as follows: Defendant, an employee of Kataman Metals at its offices in Clayton, made numerous unauthorized transactions from the company account to his own bank account between March and June 2016. The total amount of the deposits into defendant's account was $30,300.50. The transfers were logged in so as to appear as if they had been made for legitimate business purposes (as payment for products or services acquired by the company, for example) but all of them were actually made to defendant's bank account. Defendant's job responsibilities, at least when the transfers first began, did not include making transfers from this particular account. The company secured the account with a security token that generated a random, encrypted code to authorize the login for the account. One of the two employees in possession of these tokens told police she frequently left the token on top of her desk, and further that she was away from her desk (and frequently out of the office altogether) when the transactions took place. She also said she had received a text message from defendant while she was out of the office, asking her for the password for her work computer (which she provided to him). The other employee in possession of the security token said that at one point she attempted to use the token to log into the account but was unable to do so; she was informed by the bank that the token had been disabled and that defendant had established a new temporary password under her account.

Joe Stevens, DSN 0299, Clayton Police Department

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF ST. LOUIS COUNTY
STATE OF MISSOURI

-VS-

JAMES VINCENT GUCCIONE	RACE: White	
2376 Greenberry Hill Lane	SEX: Male	OCN: U2003679
Chesterfield, MO 63017	DOB: 03/12/1967	CASE ID: 189364666
	HGT: 6'00"	RPT NO: 16-1551
Aliases:	WGT: 225lbs.	CT. NO:
	P.D.: Clayton	
Defendant	ORI Number: MO0951400	

CHARGES

Count: 01 STEALING OVER $25,000 - CLASS B FELONY

COMPLAINT

State of Missouri)
County of St. Louis) SS **(HOLD FOR GRAND JURY)**

Comes now the undersigned complainant, being duly sworn upon oath, and under penalties of perjury, and states that there is probable cause to believe that the above-named defendant committed the following crime(s):

COUNT: 01 STEALING OVER $25,000 - CLASS B FELONY

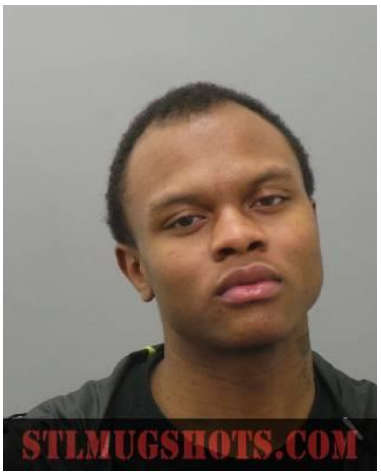
That James Guccione, in violation of Section 570.030, RSMo, committed the class B felony of stealing, punishable upon conviction under Section 558.011, RSMo, in that between March 23, 2016 and June 10, 2016, at 7733 Forsyth Boulevard, in the County of St. Louis, State of Missouri, the defendant appropriated of a value of at least twenty-five thousand dollars, which property was owned by Kataman Metals, and the defendant appropriated such property without the consent of Kataman Metals and with the purpose to deprive the victim thereof.

570.030-007Y20022399.0

The undersigned Prosecutor informs the Court on information and belief that the above offense(s) herein charged were committed.

MAN WHO TURNED SHOPLIFTINGS INTO ROBBERIES BY ASSAULTING STORE EMPLOYEES ARRESTED AND CHARGED WITH MULTIPLE CRIMES: David L. Harris, Jr. 25, of 608 Horn Avenue in South St. Louis apparently likes the drive to Chesterfield. On March 29, on June 29 and on August 1, 2016 Harris came to Chesterfield to shoplift but ended up committing robberies.

On March 26, 2016 Harris went to the Ulta Store at the 46 THF Blvd. and was shoplifting. When he was stopped by a store employee leaving the store, he pulled out a can of pepper spray and sprayed the employee, making his escape and escalating the crime from Stealing to Robbery. If this wasn't bad enough Harris had an active arrest warrant for Felony Theft in Chesterfield from an August 28, 2015 incident.



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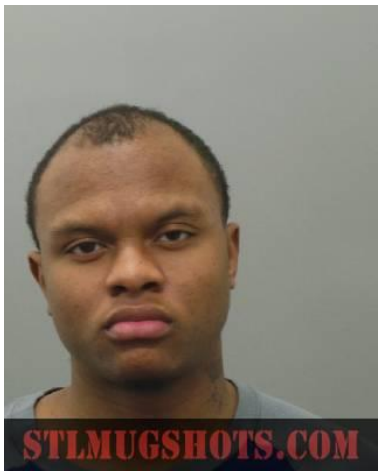

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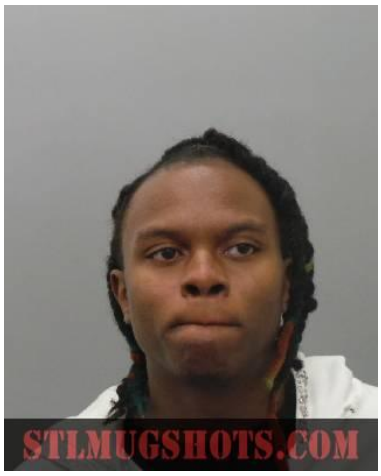

August 25, 2016

Here is the probable cause statement by Chesterfield Officer Chad Meyer:

Date: August 25, 2016

I, Chad Meyer, DSN 0238, Chesterfield Police Department, knowing that false statements on this form are punishable by law, state that the facts contained herein are true. I have probable cause to believe that on March 28, 2016, at 46 THF Blvd, David Harris, Black, Male, DOB 0[redacted]/1991, 5'09", 180lbs, committed one or more criminal offense(s).

Count: 01 ROBBERY 2ND DEGREE - CLASS B FELONY

The facts supporting this belief are as follows: On March 29, 2016, two suspects entered Ulta in Chesterfield and stole a large amount of merchandise. When approached by a store worker, the male suspect sprayed the worker with pepper spray in order to exit the store. The defendant confessed to the crime.

Chad Meyer, DSN 0238, Chesterfield Police Department

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On June 29, 2016 he was was back at the Outlet Malls. Harris was stealing from the Foot Locker store on June 29 and on August 1 it was the Saks off Fifth Avenue store. This time he didn't use pepper spray, but when stopped by store employees. He said he had a gun and would use it. This again moved the offense from Stealing to Robbery.

Here again is Officer Meyer's other Probable Cause Statement:

Date: August 25, 2016

I, Chad Meyer, DSN 0238, Chesterfield Police Department, knowing that false statements on this form are punishable by law, state that the facts contained herein are true. I have probable cause to believe that on June 29, 2016, at 17017 North Outer 40 Rd, August 1, 2016 at 18501 Outlet Blvd, David Harris, Black, Male, DOB [redacted]1991, 5'09", 180lbs, committed one or more criminal offense(s).

Count: 01 ROBBERY 1ST DEGREE - CLASS A FELONY

Count: 02 ROBBERY 1ST DEGREE - CLASS A FELONY

The facts supporting this belief are as follows: The defendant was identified as the person who forcibly stole from two different stores wherein he threatened to shoot the workers attempting to stop the theft. The defendant confessed to the crimes.

Chad Meyer, DSN 0238, Chesterfield Police Department

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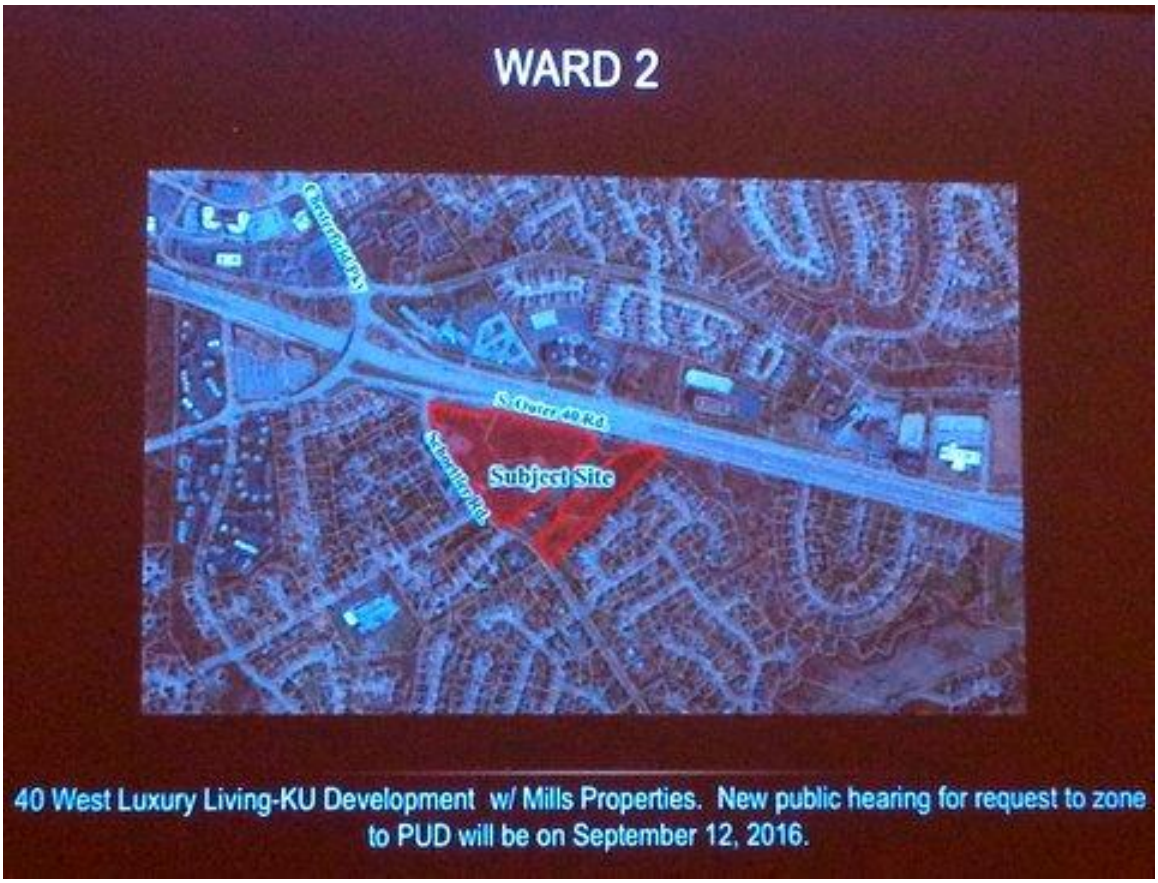
Background on David Harris:

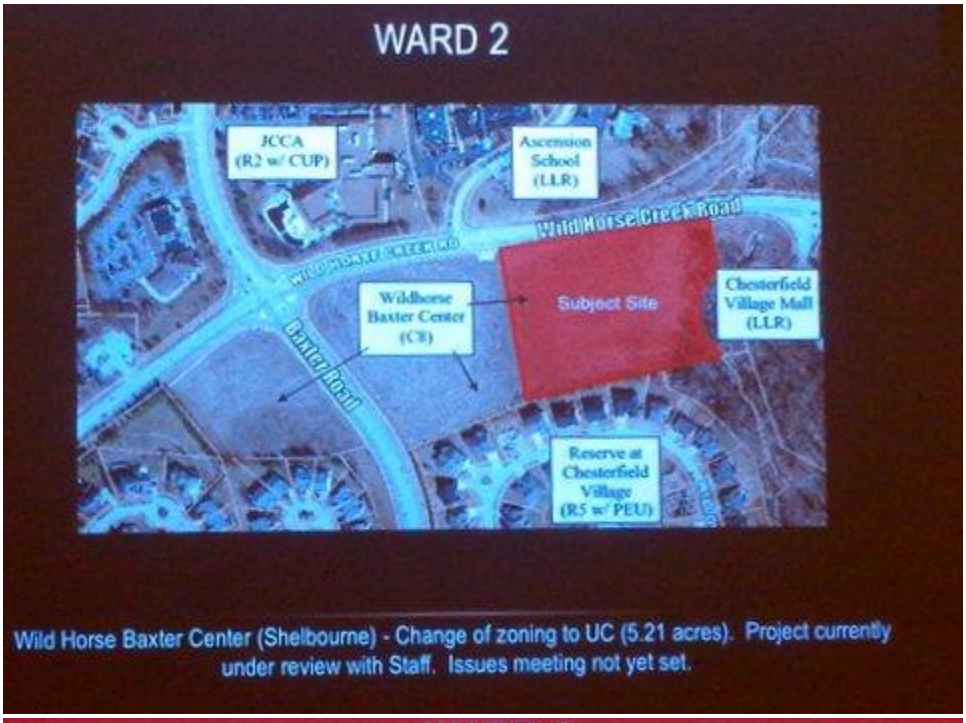
03/07/14	Tampering With Motor Veh (Driving Stolen car)	St. Louis City PD
	Felony Resisting Arrest	
	12/16/14 Pled Guilty sentenced to a probation term	
	01/08/16 Probation revoked sentenced to 215 days jail but is given credit for time served waiting for hearing in City Jail	Released
08/26/15	Felony Stealing (pending)	Creve Coeur PD
08/28/15	Felony Stealing (pending)	Chesterfield PD
03/28/16	Robbery (pending)	Chesterfield PD
06/29/16	Robbery (pending)	Chesterfield PD
08/01/16	Robbery (pending)	Chesterfield PD

PLANNING COMMISSION MEETING HAS BEEN MOVED! THE BIG HEARING ON SCHOETTLER ROAD AND SOUTH OUTER FORTY ROAD PLAN FOR 300 APARTMENT UNITS IS ON MONDAY SEPTEMBER 12. The meeting has been moved from City Hall to the Doubletree Conference Center at 1665 Swingley Ridge Road to handle the crowd.



PLANNING AND PUBLIC WORKS Here are some highlights from the last Chesterfield Planning and Public Works meeting on August 18.

Below Shellbourne update



IT IS RUMORED THAT RANDY LOGAN WILL FILE TO RUN FOR MAYOR. IN THE MEANTIME HE ATTACKS THE MONARCH BOARD OF DIRECTORS OVER NOT PUTTING THE ARREST OF FIRE CHIEF CHUCK MARSONETTE ON THE DISTRICT'S WEBSITE: The night that Bob Nation was censured for swearing in a closed office about the city administrator Mike Herring (as time told Nation apparently at good reason to), then former councilman Randy Logan spoke. Logan said how he hoped Nation would run for reelection so the citizens would be able to vote him out of office. In April Logan was elected back to the Council.

We are hearing rumblings that that Logan now wants to run for mayor. Apparently he wants the firefighters' union backing or just wants to keep Monarch Board member and long time Republican big shot Jane Cunningham out of it. Cunningham supported Logan's opponent in April.

LOGAN CONTINUES TO BE AN ARROGANT PIECE OF WORK! Here is why:

1) He appeared at the Monarch meeting for Thursday August 25 and complained that Monarch had not posted on their website that the Fire Chief Chuck Marsonette had been arrested. First of all it was in all the news media sources, The Post-Dispatch, all three local TV Stations, the three radio stations that still do local news, this website and West Magazine. It is also on the Monarch website. This is from the minutes of the August 2 meeting that was posted on the website as soon as they were approved.

A Closed Meeting of the Monarch Fire Protection District Board of Directors as held prior to this meeting.

There were two votes taken. They are as follows:
By a vote of three to nothing, Chief Wayne Marsonette has been suspended, without pay, pending the outcome of the criminal investigation and charges.

If -- if he is found not guilty on all counts, all pay and benefits will be reinstated.

The second vote. 23 By a vote of three to nothing, the District will have a forensic accountant investigate the District credit card expenses, employee reimbursements and educational conference expenditures.

This was posted on Monarch's website, that Marsonette had been arrested and he had been suspended without pay and there would be a special forensic audit of all accounts he had access to. What Logan was accusing them of not doing, they had done.

2) Next Logan complained that Monarch had hired Marsonette as chief from a position of interim chief after a "national search" (it was more like a regional search). Logan as a Chesterfield City Councilman just voted to hire Interim City Administrator Mike Geisel after a real "national search."

3) Logan complained that Monarch has too many closed meeting. However, Logan is currently refusing to have City Council meetings open involving some sort of a real estate deal. Three council members want the meetings and discussions open as they state it involves city finances. Logan keeps voting to have them remain closed.

Logan has also been in numerous closed meetings over the hiring of a new City Administrator and this real estate deal. However he was ignorant to the fact that since Monarch is dealing with a labor contract for most of the workforce many meetings under the terms of the contract have to be in closed session. Chesterfield has no city employee labor unions.

TV cameras and reporters at the Monarch Fire meeting on the day of Fire Chief Marsonette's arrest.

Logan ignoring what is happening at Chesterfield City Council at the meetings. He routinely sends texts and emails rather than pay attention to city business.

Logan shows up to City Council meetings driving his Porsche sports car with illegal tinted license plate covers. He rarely researches anything but is quick to take sarcastic shots those councilpersons who do.

THE POLICE BLOTTER: Here is what the Chesterfield had to deal with last week:

CHESTERFIELD POLICE DEPARTMENT
Media Report August 24, 2016 - August 30, 2016

Time of Occurrence Generic Address Business/Location Name Incident Type

08/22/2016, 1134 2XX S WOODS MILL RD 60W Associates of Women's Healthcare **Fraud Other**
Brief Narrative Description: Unknown subject accessed victim's payroll account computer system and made security changes.
07/25/2016, 1200-08/24/2016, 1200 17XX ELDON RIDGE CT **Fraud Identity Theft**
Brief Narrative Description: Unknown subject used victim's information to open up credit card account.
08/21/2016, 1020 15XXX OLIVE BLVD Shell **Larceny under $500 from Person**
Brief Narrative Description: Unknown subject took victim's wallet after it was left behind at gas station parking lot.
08/30/2016, 1824 17XXX NORTH OUTER 40 RD Sunglass Hut **Larceny under $500 Shoplifting**
Brief Narrative Description: Unknown subject concealed sunglasses and left store without paying.
08/28/2016, 0924 14XXX CHESTERFIELD TRAILS DR **Harassment/Threat Computer - Email**
Brief Narrative Description: Unknown subject sent victim threatening email.
08/29/2016, 1345-1400 XX FOUR SEASONS SHPG CTR Dierberg's **Larceny under $500 Shoplifting**
Brief Narrative Description: 21 yo female and 20 yo male concealed groceries and alcohol and left store without paying. Female subject also in possession of suspected cocaine.
08/29/2016, 0000-0700 1XX BRIGHTHURST DR **Larceny under $500 from Auto**
Brief Narrative Description: Unknown subject entered victim's unlocked vehicles and took money, sunglasses, and radar detector.
08/28/2016, 0740 14XXX MANOR LAKE DR **Peace Disturbance Loud Music**
Brief Narrative Description: 52 yo male cited for loud music after previously being told to turn the music down.
08/28/2016, 1300 2XX CHESTERFIELD MALL **Larceny under $500 Shoplifting**
Brief Narrative Description: 24 and 22 yo females concealed clothing and left store without paying. Upon contact with police officer, both subjects ran away but were caught without incident. Also in possession of other stolen clothing.
08/27/2016, 0805 21XX WHITE LANE DR **Assault Aggravated - Other**
Brief Narrative Description: 22 and 21 yo males struck victim in the face after argument causing severe injuries.
08/27/2016, 1730-1752 17XXX NORTH OUTER 40 RD Taubmann Outlet Mall **Possession of Stolen Property Clothing Brief Narrative Description:** 25 yo male in possession of stolen clothing and stolen license plate. Subject initially ran from officers but was caught without incident.
08/20/2016, 0900-08/21/2016, 0100 14XXX WINDSOR VALLEY CT **Larceny over $500 from Residence Brief Narrative Description:** Unknown subject took electronics from victim's residence.
08/27/2016, 2339 CLARKSON & I64 HWY W **Drugs Possession - Misdemeanor**
Brief Narrative Description: 25 yo female and 22 yo male in possession of marijuana, paraphernalia, and open container of alcohol after being stopped for a traffic violation.
08/26/2016, 0004 HOG HOLLOW RD & OLIVE BLVD **Drugs Possession - Misdemeanor**
Brief Narrative Description: 18 yo male in possession of marijuana and paraphernalia after being stopped for a traffic violation.
07/22/2016, 1200-07/31/2016, 1200 15XXX HARRIS RIDGE CT **Larceny under $500 from Residence**
Brief Narrative Description: Unknown subject took money out of lock box in residence.
08/26/2016, 1630 I64 HWY W & BOOONES CROSSING **Property Damage to Vehicle**
Brief Narrative Description: Unknown subject broke out windshield on victim's vehicle after road rage incident.
08/25/2016, 1745-2130 26XX JOYCERIDGE DR **Larceny over $500 from Residence**
Brief Narrative Description: Unknown subject took bonds from victim's file cabinet.
08/25/2016, 1901 OLIVE BLVD & SWINGLEY RIDGE DR **Drugs Possession - Misdemeanor**

Brief Narrative Description: 18 yo male in possession of marijuana, paraphernalia, and fake ID after suspicious vehicle check.
08/25/2016, 1905 2XX CHESTERFIELD MALL Victoria Secret **Larceny under $500 Shoplifting**
Brief Narrative Description: Unknown subject concealed clothing and left store without paying.
08/25/2016, 1223 2XX CHESTERFIELD MALL Victoria's Secret **Larceny under $500 Shoplifting**
Brief Narrative Description: Unknown subject concealed clothing and left store without paying.
08/24/2016, 0700 14XXX RUE DE GASCONY CT Larceny over $500 Business
Brief Narrative Description: Unknown subject took tools from home under construction.
08/24/2016, 1500
08/24/2016, 1600 18XXX OUTLET BLVD Coach **Larceny under $500 from Person**
Brief Narrative Description: 59 yo female took victim's debit card after it was left in store and made purchases with it.
08/24/2016, 1123 17XXX NORTH OUTER 40 RD Ralph Lauren **Larceny over $500 Shoplifting**
Brief Narrative Description: Unknown subjects grabbed clothing and ran out of store without paying.
08/24/2016, 1224 14XXX LADUE RD Mobil **Tampering**
Brief Narrative Description: Unknown subjects opened up gas pump but did not damage anything.
08/24/2016, 1525 17XXX NORTH OUTER 40 RD Ralph Lauren **Larceny over $500 Shoplifting**
Brief Narrative Description: Unknown subject grabbed clothing and left store without paying.
08/24/2016, 1520 4X THF BLVD Target **Larceny under $500 Shoplifting**
Brief Narrative Description: 24 yo female concealed electronics and left store without paying.
08/24/2016, 1945 2XX CHESTERFIELD MALL Victoria Secret **Larceny under $500 Shoplifting**
Brief Narrative Description: Unknown subject concealed clothing and left store without paying.
08/24/2016, 2040 4X CHESTERFIELD MALL Macy's Larceny under $500 Shoplifting
Brief Narrative Description: Two 17 yo females and one 19 yo female concealed clothing and left store without paying. Also in possession of prohibited theft devices.

MEDIA: Here is what I miss from the Olympics on TV now compared from the 1960s:

The early lack of technical advances of television was great when Chris Schenkel or Jim McKay hosted ABC TV coverage of the Olympics in the 1960s and 1970s. You often followed one event even if the US was not going to finish for a medal. You knew a lot more about the athletes from other countries and I really miss hearing the national anthems from other countries. Now you just hear the US anthem over and over again.

Chris Schenkel

Jim McKay

Not that France ever wins much but every time they would and I heard the La Marseillaise I think of the scene in Casablanca.

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=HM-E2H1ChJM

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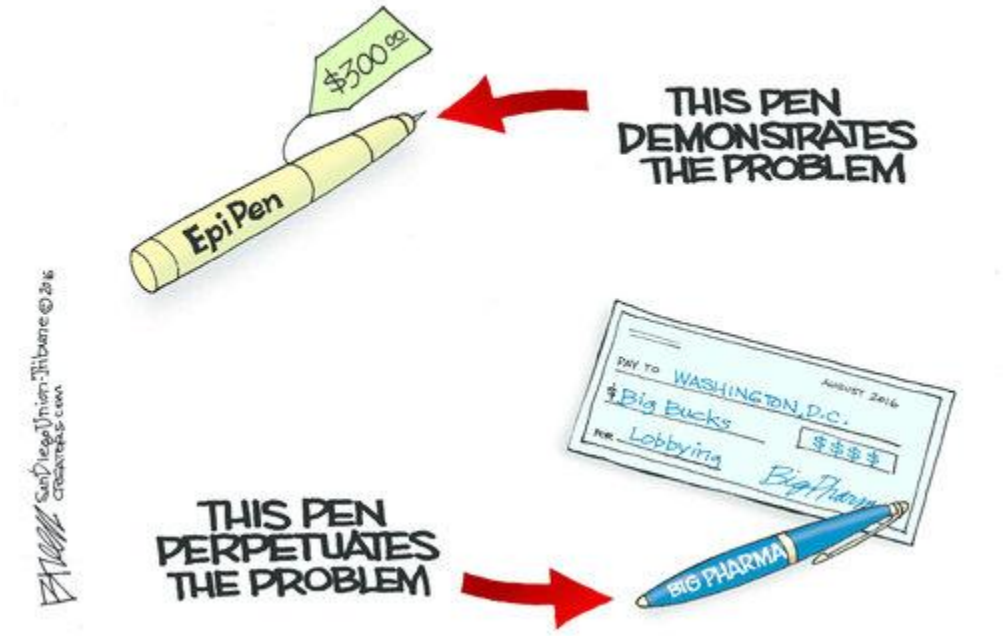
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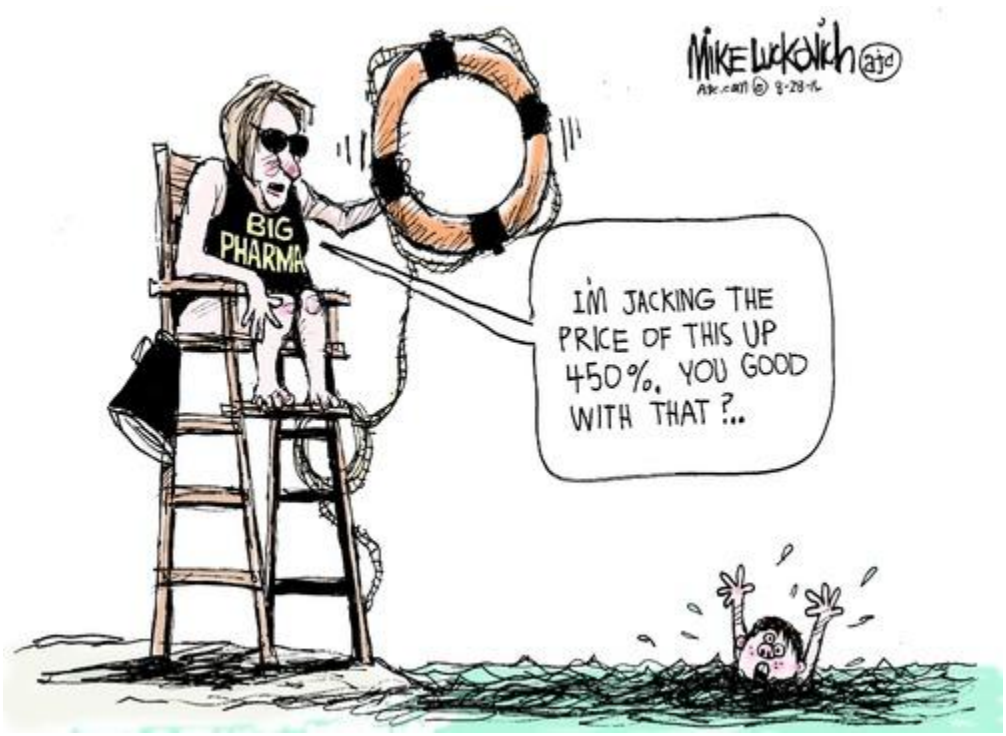
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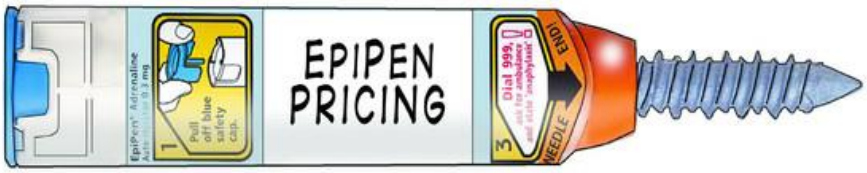

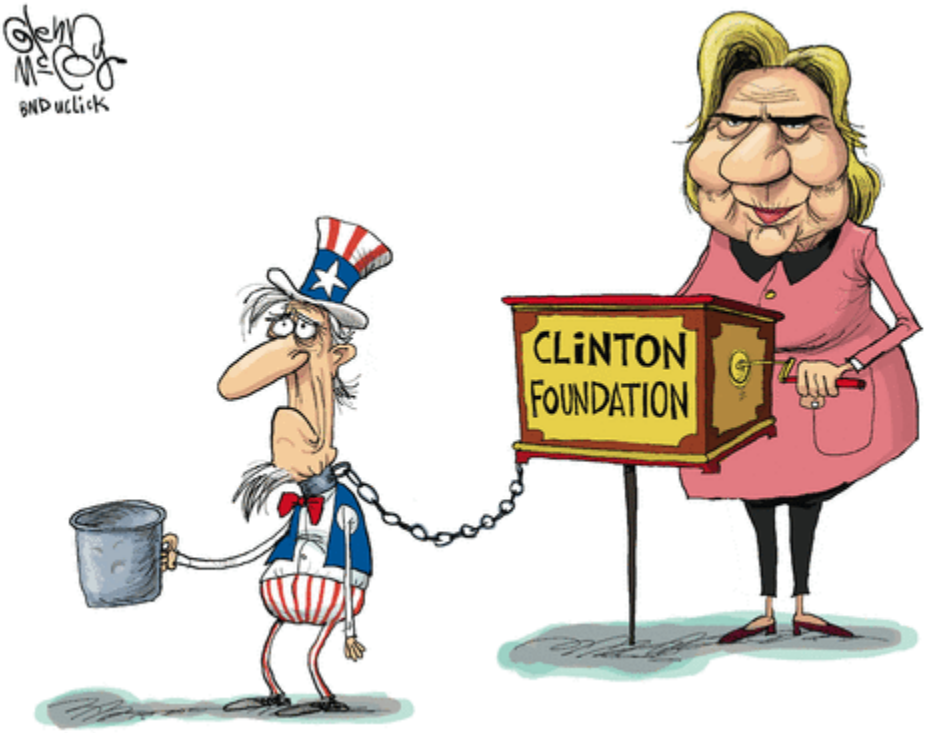
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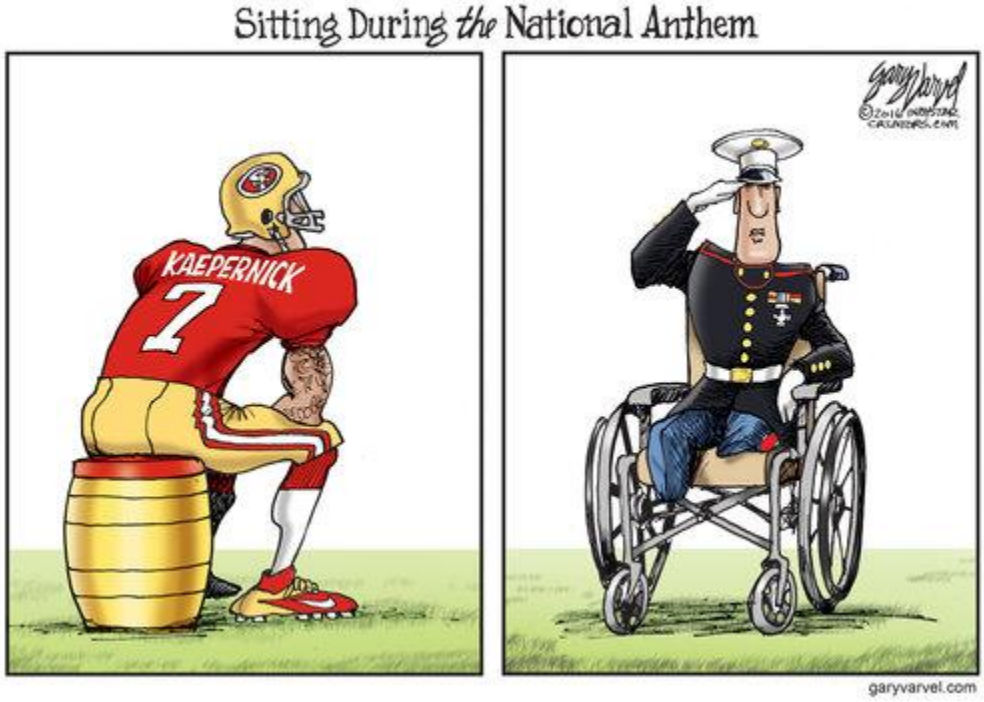
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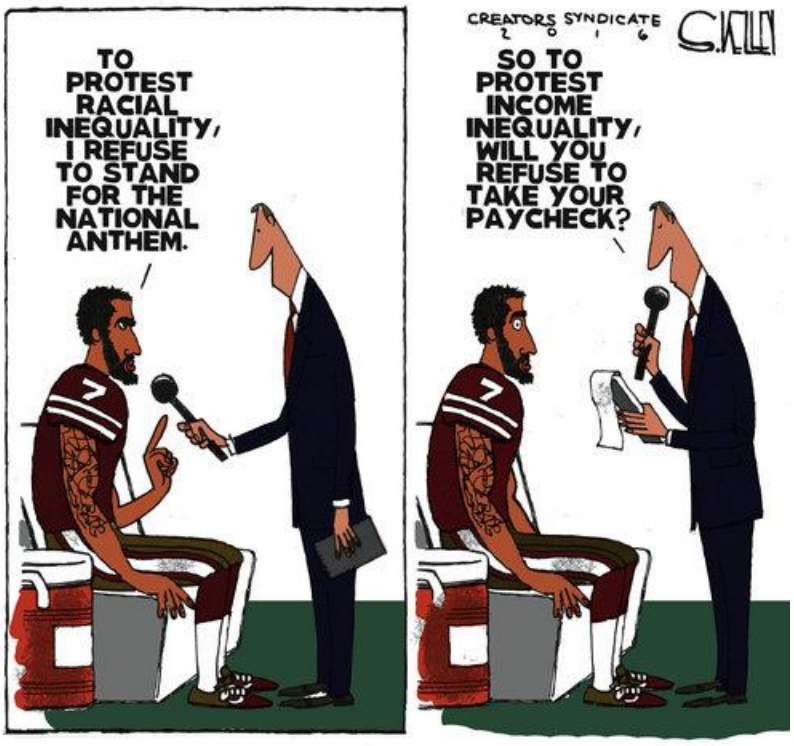
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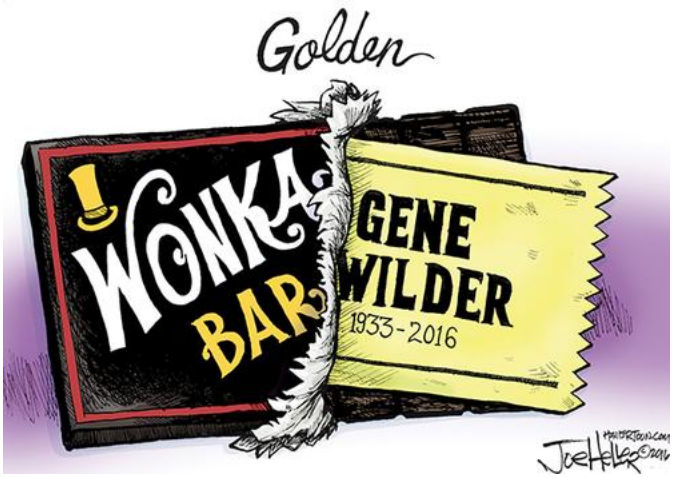
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