LAWYER OF CONVICTED DES PERES STALKER WHO VIOLATES COURT PROTECTION ORDERS FILED IN BEHALF FOR HIS EX-WIFE IN TOWN AND COUNTRY, SENDS LETTER THREATENING OUR NEWSLETTER AND WEBSITE. OUR LAWYER SENDS A LETTER IN RESPONSE.

Here is the letter:

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January 14, 2022

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Mr. John Hoffman 13309 Manor Hill Road Town and Country, Missouri 63131

Re: Website Posting- David Peistrup (August 7, 2021)

Dear Mr. Hoffman:

I am writing you this communication on behalf of my client, David Peistrup, who recently discovered that on August 7, 2021, he was the subject of a posting on your website: www.johnhoffman.net. It has come to our attention that you posted defamatory, libelous and false statements about my client's alleged criminal history, as well as a picture of Mr. Peistrup.

The statements purportedly posted by you on your website referencing Mr. Peistrup are willfully misleading and without merit. You have published personal and private information that is false and has verifiably harmed Mr. Peistrup's reputation in the community. The publishing of another entity or person's statements and/or content does not relieve you of the responsibility to ensure the information you post on your website is factual nor does it permit you license to publish this sort of personal and private material. You were never given permission by my client to have his image appear on your website.

Although my client has already suffered monetary damages due to the afore-mentioned libelous posting on your website- Mr. Peistrup has authorized me at this point to request that you immediately remove any and all information on your website that has any reference or likeness of Mr. Peistrup. Additionally, Mr. Peistrup is also requesting that you print a retraction in the original posting's place that includes but is not limited to language that the information previously posted about Mr. Peistrup was printed in error and contained false information that the publisher apologizes for any problems this may have caused.

The original afore-mentioned libelous posting on your website will continue to cause Mr. Peistrup to suffer substantial economic harm to his business, as well as to his character and reputation in the community. If this original reckless and highly defamatory information is not removed within seven days upon your receipt of this letter, then we will have no other recourse but to take immediate legal action against you and any other liable party to seek all available damages and remedies.

Very traily yours,
Matthew A. Radefeld

Here is what we wrote in our August 7, 2021 newsletter (491)

VERY CREEPY! TOWN AND COUNTRY POLICE ARRESTED EX-BOYFRIEND FOR STALKING IN VIOLATION OF PROTECTION ORDER. READ THE SCARY DETAILS.

The Town & Country Police mentioned this arrest on their facebook page. I just had a feeling there might be more to the story than was in the facebook post. I was right. This isn't the suspect's first go-around. 20-years ago he had order of protections issued against him.

Luckily, Detective Katie Exline handled the case. Det. Exline can often tell a story in a court document better than I can on this website and in weekly newsletters.



CIRCUIT CLERK, ST. LOUIS COUNTY

-VS-

DAVID A PEISTRUP RACE: White 1713 Red Bird Cove SEX: Male Saint Louis, MO 63144 DOB: 02/23/1968 HGT: ... 6'00" Aliases: WGT: 160lbs. P.D.: Town and Country Defendant ORI Number: MO0957200

CHARGES

Count: 01 STALKING - 1ST DEGREE - 1ST OFFENSE - CLASS E FELONY

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That David Peistrup, in violation of Section 565.225, RSMo, committed the class E felony of stalking in the first degree, punishable upon conviction under Sections 565.225, 558.011, and 558.002, RSMo, in that on or about July 22, 2021, in the County of St. Louis, State of Missouri, the defendant purposely, through his course of conduct, disturbed RM, with the intent of disturbing RM, by entering or staying at RM' premises, and at least one of the acts constituting the course of conduct is in violation of an order of protection for which defendant has received actual notice.

I, <u>Katie Exline</u>, <u>DSN 0123</u>, <u>Town and Country Police Department</u>, knowing that false statements on this form are punishable by law, state that the facts contained herein are true and documented in report number 21-713. I have probable cause to believe that on July 22, 2021, at Featherstone Drive, St. Louis, MO, 63131, David Peistrup, White, Male, DOB 02/23/1968, 6'00", 160lbs, committed one or more criminal offenses.

Count: 01 STALKING - 1ST DEGREE - 1ST OFFENSE

The facts supporting this belief are as follows:

Suspect and Victim had been in a relationship that had ended in January, 2021. Between January, 2021, and July, 2021, Suspect continually texted, called, and sent flowers to Victim, in an effort to continue the relationship.

On July 15, 2021, Victim filed for an Ex Parte Order of Protection from Suspect, cause number 21SL-PN03044.

On July 19, 2021, Suspect was served with a copy of the Order of Protection.

On July 22, 2021, Suspect was observed on RING camera surveillance walking around Victim's house with a flashlight.

Suspect left upon police arrival and was entered as wanted.

On July 29, 2021, Victim reported that Suspect arrived at Victim's new boyfriend's apartment complex and waited for Victim to leave.

Suspect followed Victim to a Dunkin Donuts parking lot.

Suspect became angered at Victim, yelled at Victim, damaged Victim's vehicle, and lifted Victim's skirt up to see if she was wearing underwear.

On August 1, 2021, an officer doing a welfare patrol of Victim's residence located Suspect's vehicle parked directly across the street from Victim's residence.

Officer then observed Suspect sleeping in a common area directly across the street from Victim's residence.

I believe Suspect will fail to appear in response to a criminal summons due to the character and history of Suspect. Suspect has previously pleaded guilty to or been found guilty of Assault, Violation of an Order of Protection on at least two separate occasions, and Assault in the Third Degree.

I believe Suspect poses a danger to Victim and the community due to nature and circumstances of the allegations. There have been several unreported incidents of disturbing conduct between January and July of this year, including an incident where Suspect entered Victim's second story balcony, entered Victim's room, and entered her bed while naked.

Katie Exline, DSN 0123, Town and Country Police Department

[Signature]

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David Peistrup

12/20/21	Violation of Court Protection Order	Town & Country PD
08/02/21	Felony Stalking PG 11/29/21 to Misd Stalking	Town & Country PD
01/21/20	Divorce amendment Child Support 1Xof \$1,113 a mo	St. Louis Co Court
12/13/19	Speeding 20-25 over speed limit	MO Hwy Patrol
04/12/19	Failure to Affix Lic Plates \$50 fine	MO Hwy Patrol
04/14/11	DWI, Refused Breath Test, Moving Vio to Parking Vio \$210 fine	o St. Louis Co PD
09/05/02	Divorce from Janet Peistrup Child Support 2x \$948 and \$35,000 alimony	St. Louis Co Court
07/11/01	Order of Protection issued against Peistrup	St. Louis Co Court

Apparently lawyer Radefeld thinks publishing public court documents is an invasion pf privacy. It isn't. Here is another public document. It shows how David Peistrup pled guilty on 11/29/21.



art Date: 11/29/2021 Assigned Length: 2 Year

My lawyer is sending Radefeld a letter asking him if he is serious, demanding I take down public documents indicating what his client did and was convicted of. If any readers would like to send Radefeld a note feel free. If you are a lawyer and you send one on letterhead, let me know and I'll buy you a nice lunch.

AND HERE IS THE LETTER FROM MY LAWYER:

LAW OFFICE OF RAYMOND M. MEYER, LLC

1404 Dutch Mill Drive, Arnold, MO. 63010 | 228-356-1776 | rmeyer@rmeyerlaw.us

January 21, 2022

Mr. Matthew A. Radefeld, Esq. Frank, Juengel & Radefeld 7710 Carondelet Avenue, Suite 350 St. Louis, MO. 63105

Re: Your letter to Mr. John Hoffmann date January 14, 2022

Dear Matthew:

I received a request from Mr. John Hoffmann to respond to your letter dated January 14, 2022, regarding his Ex-Alderman Newsletter 491 dated August 7, 2021. Mr. Hoffmann provided me with a copy of your letter to him. After reviewing it and speaking with Mr. Hoffmann, I wanted to let you know that he has no plan to print a retraction of his previous postings because none of the information Mr. Hoffmann published in his Newsletter contains any false, defamatory, or libelous information. Furthermore, all of the information Mr. Hoffmann included in his Newsletter is available to the general public that anyone can obtain from government databases.

Mr. Hoffmann has always been careful to post public information and continuously check to ensure his information is accurate. Yet, your letter to him contains no specific examples of his posting being, as you call it, "defamatory, libelous and false statements." Furthermore, both Mr. Hoffmann and I have reviewed his Newsletter and cannot find specific examples of defamatory, libelous, or false statements. And, I suppose neither did you find them because if you did, I am sure you would have included specific examples in your letter.

You have suggested in your letter to Mr. Hoffmann that his prior posting, now over five months old, will continue to cause Mr. Peistrup to suffer substantial economic harm to his business, as well as to his character and reputation in the community. May I respectfully suggest that only Mr. Peistrup caused his criminal and civil problems, which precipitated the information contained in the Newsletter. And, since he wants to blame someone else for all of the information about him in the Newsletter, I guess he can blame the Missouri Court Automation Program for setting up the case management software used as part of the Case.net system, allowing Mr. Hoffmann and anyone else to view prior and current court records.

When Mr. Hoffmann receives letters such as yours, it is his policy to publish the letter in the next Newsletter. Accordingly, Mr. Hoffmann published your letter in his most recent Newsletter, dated January 22, 2022. Thus, it is Mr. Hoffmann's position that he will not remove any information from his Newsletter within the seven-day window you threatened in your letter to him.

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He was listed in our monthly Town and Country arrest reports in the same newsletter (Newsletter #515 January 22, 2022) as his attorney's letter. He was arrested on 12/20/21 for violating the Order of Protection filed against him.

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12/20/21 14:10	T&C PD	Peistrup, David	WM53 (1968)	1xxxx Middleview Dr 63131	Viol Order of Protection (misd)

David Peistrup 53 Des Peres



12/20/21 Violation of Order of Protection

07/22/21 Stalking 1st Degree Guilty 2-yr SES Probation Term Town & Country PD ***PRESS RELEASE***

On Monday, August 2, 2021, the St. Louis County Prosecutor's Office issued the following charge against David A Peistrup, 53 years of age, from Des Peres, MO.

Stalking 1st Degree: Class E Felony

\$100,000.00 cash only bond.

Remanded to St. Louis County Jail

This charge stems from an almost 2 week investigation involving Peistrup repeatedly violating an active order of protection, allegedly assaulting the victim and damaging her vehicle while she was in the jurisdiction of St. Louis Co Police and ultimately, while performing extra patrol of the victim's residence during the late night hours of Sunday, August 1st; Town & Country Police Officers located Peistrup and his vehicle near the victim's residence inside the Mason Valley subdivision. Peistrup was immediately taken into custody, at the scene, without incident.

On January 5, 2022 there was a motion filed by the County Prosecutor's Office to revoked his probation term he was placed on after his guilty plea to Stalking on 11/29/21.

	21SL-CR03358-01 - ST (DV) V DAVID A PEISTRUP		
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01/05/2022	Motion Filed Motion to Revoke Probation; Electronic Filing Certificate of Service. Filed By: THOMAS D SMITH		

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

STATE OF MISSOURI,)	
Plaintiff,)	Cause No.: 21SL-CR03358-01
vs.)	Division No. 19
David Peistrup, Defendant.)	
Defendant.)	

MOTION TO REVOKE DEFENDANT'S PROBATION

Comes now State of Missouri, through undersigned Assistant Prosecuting

Attorney, and respectfully requests this Court revoke Defendant's probation, and

states the following in support:

On November 29, 2021, Defendant pleaded guilty to the amended charge of Stalking in the Second Degree, Class A misdemeanor. On that same date, Defendant was sentenced to 1 year in the Department of Justice Services, the execution of which was suspended, and Defendant was placed on probation for a period of 2 years. As a condition of Defendant's probation, Defendant was to have no unwanted contact with Victim RM.

On December 19, 2021, Victim RM contacted the Town and Country Police

Department to report unwanted contacts from Defendant. Victim RM reported to
receiving many unwanted text messages from Defendant over the course of

December 18 and December 19, 2021, as well as a voicemail from December 17,
2021 from Defendant. In Town and Country Police Department report number 211405, Town and Country Police Department Sergeant McNutt notes to observing
text messages on Victim RM's phone between Defendant and Victim RM, including
text messages from Victim RM to Defendant in response to Defendant's text
messages, telling Defendant to stop contacting her.

Victim RM currently has an active order of protection against Defendant prohibiting Defendant from having any communication with Victim RM. A charge for a Violation of an Order of Protection for this incident is currently under review.

The State of Missouri respectfully requests this Court revoke Defendant's probation, issue a capias warrant for Defendant's arrest, suspend Defendant's probation, and set this matter for a probation violation hearing.

Respectfully submitted,

/s/ Thomas D. Smith Thomas D. Smith, MBE 61928

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

This document was electronically filed in the Court file this 4th day of January, 2021, pursuant to Supreme Court Rule 103.08.

/s/ Thomas D. Smith
Thomas D. Smith, MBE 61928

Now here is the latest threat for using public documents in reporting news to our readers. This one includes a threat against posting a letter he sent that is addressed to me that I have received. I kind of think that I now own that letter.

From: Matthew Radefeld <mradefeld@fjrdefense.com>

Sent: Monday, January 24, 2022 10:26 AM

To: Raymond Meyer <rmeyer@rmeyerlaw.us>
Cc: John Hoffmann <johnhoffmann@charter.net>

Subject: For Settlement Purpose Only- Re: Your Letter to Mr. Hoffmann dated January 14, 2022

I received your email. I guess we have no other recourse but to file suit. I guess then Mr. Hoffman will see that he did not perform his due diligence as to what he re-printed from the Court Automation system and other material.

The letter I sent him was for the purposes of settlement negotiations only. Just to be clear I am not giving him permission to reprint the letter on his website or anything else.

Thank you for your letter. I look forward to working with you further in this matter after we file suit. Sincerely,

Matthew Radefeld