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Subject: RE: KING 5 inquiry-- response to claims by commanders union

There are 725 commissioned members of the Sheriff's Office, 21 of which are captains. A few of these captains are upset by the fact that I've held them to the same standard as deputies when they commit misconduct. For example:

- The Guild President Carl Cole was investigated for telling a subordinate, "I'd you anytime."
- Guild e-board member Captain Bryan Howard was investigated for posting a comic with obscene humor on a City of Burien Twitter account.
- Two captains are currently under investigation for failing to complete required paperwork.

These same captains are financing my opponent's campaign. The complaint is full of lies and is a transparent attempt to generate bad press in the midst of a political campaign. None of the allegations are true.

Sheriff John Urquhart

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