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To: Cara L. Yoder
Subject: FW: [External]RE: Ohio Auditor"s Office Not a public record
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Sent: Wednesday, June 28, 2023 9:52 AM
To: Greg T. Kopniske <GTKopniske@ohioauditor.gov>
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Good Morning:

The current United Steel Workers (USW) Local 6621 CBA runs from January 1, 2020 through December 31, 2022 and they are currently in negotiations so this contract is still in force until the new contract is completed and ratified. Article 16 on page 33-34, but specifically Section 2 is gives broad authority to the Department Head / Sub-Department Head. Once we have our rough draft completed, I will send it to you. Also, I met with our Law Director Pat Riley and briefed him. He would like to have a phone call with the three of use, unless he has already contacted you. He will be at city hall Thursday and I can coordinate a call if he has not already called you. Just let me know.

Just to firm up our previous conversation, I will be the point of contact for investigative purposes for the City of Lorain. Like our previous investigations, I think it's best if we work together mutually as both agencies have a vested interest in getting to the truth in these matters. If any interviews are conducted with any City of Lorain Officials, I would like to be notified and involved. I always have my phone and get my emails on my phone.

My cell phone is 440-242-5504

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Good morning Chief,

Before you send me the copy of the Utilities Department contract that we discussed earlier, I want to make sure that it covers the date(s) of our complaint.

Our complaint is for the year 2021 through the present.

Once you send me a copy of the contract I will forward it to my auditor.

Thank you for your help.

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