



Declaration of Ron Wright - December 1, 2011

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I, Ron Wright, am a licensed private investigator in the State of Washington (No. 3387) DBA Ron Wright Investigations LLC, 505 W. Riverside Ave., Ste. 550, Spokane, WA 99201. I am a retired police detective having served almost thirty-five years at Riverside PD, CA. I have a California POST Advance Certificate. I have a master of administration degree from the University of California, Riverside, and a bachelor in political science from the California State University, Fullerton.

During the summer of 2011, I learned from an undisclosed source that during a campaign speech he gave at a political rally, County Prosecutor Steve Tucker said he would not prosecute police officers. Later during a conversation with Spokane City Councilmember Bob Apple, Apple said he was present at a labor rally a few years ago and heard Steve Tucker make such a statement to audience.

Upon further research I found this column by *Spokesman-Review* political reporter Jim Camden, "Incomplete ballots tell interesting story," dated October 1, 2006:

... Perhaps a bigger deal was that Republican Prosecutor Steve Tucker and Republican Sheriff Ozzie Knezovich both received and accepted an invitation to the Spokane Labor Council rally last week at the fairgrounds, where they got the same opportunity to speak and glad-hand as most Democratic candidates. . .

This would correspond to the General Election of November 2006 when Steve Tucker was standing for election for his second term of office as County Prosecutor.

On November 30, 2011 Councilman Bob Apple provided me with this statement:

Every October the local Labor council has an open union meeting for all labor members out at the Fair Grounds and at these meetings some political office candidates are invited to give a speech. It was at one of these events a few years ago that candidate Steve Tucker and as I heard it specifically stated that he would not prosecute public employees.

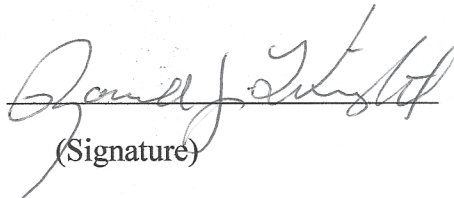
I certify under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of Washington that the foregoing is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

12-01-11

(Date)

SPOKANE

(Location)



(Signature)

State of Washington
County of Spokane

Signed and sworn to (or affirmed) before me on December 1, 2011 by Ron Wright.

Jennifer J. Pidduck
(Signature)
(Seal or stamp)

..... *Notary*
Title

My appointment
expires . *Feb. 12, 2014* ..

