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IN RE: PCB – 0797 Kyle Nash v. Louis Jimenez

I herein inform the Board of another instance of unwarranted and unprovoked harassment toward me relevant to this case. Please add this to the file.

This afternoon, in front of my home, while straightening a line of bricks that are planted in the ground in the parkway bordering both sides of my property, I was verbally accosted, accused, and threatened by a member of this family.

The issue: I was touching a pole demarcating the side of their disabled parking spot closest to my property - along the line in which the bricks lie. I was using the pole as a crude surveying instrument to eye-up/ judge a straight line from the street to the sidewalk along which to place the bricks. I would also gently balance myself on it as I pressed the newly aligned bricks down into the dirt with my feet.

Because, in past similar situations, even my polite responses have served only to exacerbate and escalated matters, this time I chose not to reply at all. Soon after, I overheard a loud phone conversation to the authorities, which was placed from the front porch of their home, only yards away from where I was working.

With five minutes two (2) squad cars pulled up in front of my home. The officers said that they had just received a call alleging that I was engaged in "Criminal Damage to Property."

The official record of that event (**Event #: 0929313768** 5:38PM Bt 922) notes that the officers found that the allegation to be untrue and had no basis in fact.

When the police left, the harassment immediately continued in the front yard, this time in Spanish with the neighbors. The Jimenez household continues to be unaware that, while I don't speak Spanish well, in most cases I fully understand it. The accusations toward me, which continued in Spanish also included other negative comments about me.

Of special note: Following numerous similar encounters in the past, I politely requested in writing to the Jimenez's that no one in their household make uncivil and/or unnecessary comments and remarks to (and/or about) me or either of my sons. Clearly, my request was not respected.

Sincerely, Kyle Nash cc: Louis Jimenez

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