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December 3rd, 2018

Dear Judge Gibson;

This letter is to inform you of pending litigation in the U.S. District Court seeking tens of millions of dollars in punitive damages against Shasta County for persistent practices of officials in the violations of the federally protected civil rights

of Shasta County Citizens. As you are no doubt aware, a municipality can be held liable if the plaintiff can identify a policy or custom that caused injuries to a plaintiff. There is no qualified immunity to a municipality or to individual actors with final policy making authority if they partake in affirmative acts or are grossly negligent in managing subordinates who cause an unlawful condition that deprives a United States Citizen of a substantive right.

This Authority is derived from U.S.C.A. 42 §1983 and the 14th Civil Rights Act. Specifically, I am suing numerous Shasta County Sheriffs for deliberate and malicious false arrests, assaults, Civil Harassment, Slander, Deprivation of Civil rights under color of law, Callous indifference to Civil rights, defamation of character, interference with parental rights, denial of due process etc. I am also suing numerous Supervisors, the Sheriff, the Board of Supervisors and the County of Shasta for failing to properly screen, hire, train and supervise these employees.

I am furthermore alleging that much of the Shasta Justice System has become a plea coercion factory, whereby innocent and mostly innocent Shasta Citizens are deliberately and systematically being bullied into unfair "plea agreements". Among the tactics being deliberately, knowingly and callously employed by Shasta County include the intentional withholding of Discovery and the

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effective assistance of Counsel until a defendant allows themselves to be Coerced. Other tactics include deliberate and egregious overcharge, denial of Due process and exploitation of a defendant's custodial handicap. Defendants in Shasta County, in some Courtrooms are simply being denied meaningful defenses as long as it takes until they allow themselves to be Coerced. These practices are per vasive, Criminal and ^{are} ~~not~~ an easily discernable pattern of deliberate collusion between certain Deputies, District Attorneys and Judges. My recent plea to three felonies I did not commit were deliberately and callously Coerced from me through a deliberate, intentional Combination of Overcharge, denial of Bail, denial of Due process, denial of effective assistance (of 11 Attorneys), exploitation of my Custodial Handicap (For 3 years 3 months) and the denial of meaningful mental health-care. After 3 years 3 mos in the Jail, being denied exercise, clean water and food, being overcharged, bullied and illegally denied meaningful Bail or Bail hearing, being slandered and retaliated against by whole segments of the Shasta Citizenry and being systematically and repeatedly denied any meaningful investigation of my claims or preparation of defense by 11 separate Counsel, I was no longer mentally fit to enter into any legal agreement or even to recognize the consequences of a plea.

Furthermore, my plea was not only not voluntary but illegal as well. In addition to there being no factual basis to any of the charges pled to, numerous biased statements by the Judge calling for a recusal that Counsel failed to move for, Speedy trial violations as well as due process violations, denial of pre-trial review, unlawfully dismissed Habeas Corpus petitions etc. According to my careful and exhaustive legal research,

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These irregularities would mean that my plea would have been illegal even if it were voluntary. All of these allegations are easily provable. As presiding Judge, you are hereby informed of the illegality of this plea, my allegations of deliberate criminality and bias on part of the Judge and District Attorney, the deliberate exploitation of my custodial handicap and deliberate, systematic denial of due process to coerce my plea. My sincere and best advice to you (if you would attempt to shield the County from liability) would be a resection of the plea, immediate recusal of Judge Cara L. Beatty and a complete dismissal of all cases for denial of due process. I am willing to discuss and/or offer documentary proofs of the above facts for you or the Board of Supervisors. I would also caution you very strongly that the County has dug itself an incredible hole in my cases, the evidence of a pattern of practice is incredibly strong and any attempt by any employee of the County to take any type of retaliatory action against me for these lawsuits or for exposing this corruption will only further inflame matters as well as level of liability and culpability to the County. Of course, by retaliatory action I refer to any further unlawful incarceration until these matters can be heard in the District Court. Below, please find current U.S.D.C. case numbers (other lawsuits are being prepared) as well as some, but not all of the copy-circulation of this letter. Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Signed under penalty of perjury,
Robert A. Gibbs
this 3rd Day of December 2018

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#2:13-CV-02631-KJM-DMC	Please take Judicial notice of the below Shasta County Habeas Corpus petitions and Declarations:
#2:18-CV-02594-MCE-JIV	
#2:18-CV-02262-MCE-EFB	Declaration filed Oct. 23 rd 2018 in all cases including 15F5736
#2:18-CV-02263-MCE-AC	declaration filed Sept. 26 th 2018 in all cases including 15F5736
#2:18-CV-02261-JAM-AC	Habeas Corpus Petition #18F704 Filed Nov. 20 th 2018
#2:18-CV-02707-KJM-DB	Habeas Corpus Petition #17HB3662
#2:18-CV-00859-MCE-DMC	#17HB6749 #17HB2399
#2:18-CV-02817-DB	#17HB6792 #17HB265 #17HB645

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