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Subject: Ensley throws Joey Webb, Jr., under the bus. My Public Comment at 8/7/2023 Meeting.

Kevin "Adjudication" Ensley threw Joey Webb, Jr., CGCIO under the bus at this mornings county commission meeting, following my Public Comment.

First, my Public Comment.

3 Minute Public Comment, August 6, 2023

It has been almost 90 days since my initial request to **Joey Webb**, **Jr**., requesting that he provide to me an exact copy of Terry Ramey's confidential cell phone information he sent to **Cory Vaillancourt**, who then printed confidential information in the smoky mountain news tabloid.

On May 12, I sent a Request for Public Information to Joey Webb, Jr., where I stated:

"Please send me the exact, and I mean the exact, copy(s) of the information that you sent to Cory Vaillancourt, which includes every time you sent Cory Vaillancourt information."

So, here is a **Possible Scenario.** 

Let's suppose that **Joey Webb**, **Jr**., connected to Terry Ramey's cell phone to a county computer. Then, **Joey Webb**, **Jr**., used the "send" feature on Terry Ramey's phone to transmit vital information to the county computer. Once on the county computer, the following people spent God Knows how much time going through the redaction process -

- Joey Webb, Jr.,
- Frank Queen
- Bryant Morehead

Once this priceless set of data was completely redacted, **Joey Webb**, **Jr**., then closed it up in a file, ready to package up for **Cory Vaillancourt**.

But then, **Joey Webb**, **Jr.**, "forgot" to remove the original "send" data from this glob of data from Terry Ramey's phone, and sent **Cory Vaillancourt** both the redacted data + the original (unredacted) data. **Cory Vaillancourt** must have (and did) had a field day!

If this possible scenario holds out, I see only two paths.

- If **Joey Webb**, **Jr.**, intentionally included the "send" file, providing access of Terry Ramey's vital personal and private information to **Cory Vaillancourt**, then **Joey Webb**, **Jr.**, could possibly be looking at spending some time in an 8 x 10 foot room at a Federal Institution, or
- If Joey Webb, Jr., provided access of Terry Ramey's vital personal and private information to Cory Vaillancourt through either incompetence or stupidity, then Joey Webb, Jr., should resign or be fired.

I appreciate your allowing time for me to express my concerns. Thank you.

After the Public Comment section (two public speakers), **Kevin "Adjudication" Ensley** went off on me. He attempted to defend **Joey Webb**, **Jr.**, CGCIO by saying **Joey Webb**, **Jr.**, was "**Unable to Provide** ..." the information I requested.

WTF?

What does that mean?

To me, it means that **Joey Webb**, **Jr.**, had the information I had been requesting all along, but someone prevented him from giving that to me.

Well, who was that?

There is only a single person who is stupid enough to render an opinion to tell **Joey Webb**, **Jr.**, to withhold the Public Information I was requesting.

Frank Queen, County Attorney.

That makes Joey Webb, Jr., the fall guy.

## Putting things in perspective.

After reflecting on the thrashing from Kevin "Adjudication" Ensley this morning, I have to say that I evidently pressed Mark Swanger's button a lot harder when I gave my public comment calling out Julie Davis, Finance Director, for falsifying the ppp values on the Funding Formula, and calling for her to resign or be fired. I mean, Mark Swanger turned red - I thought he was going to have a heart attack. Kevin "Adjudication" Ensley looked like someone just woke him up from a cat-nap.

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