

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

for the
Eastern District of Wisconsin

John Sloan

Plaintiff

v.

West Allis Police Department et al

Defendant

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Civil Action No. 24-cv-546

WAIVER OF THE SERVICE OF SUMMONS

To: John Sloan
(Name of the plaintiff's attorney or unrepresented plaintiff)

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I also understand that I, or the entity I represent, must file and serve an answer or a motion under Rule 12 within 60 days from _____, the date when this request was sent (or 90 days if it was sent outside the United States). If I fail to do so, a default judgment will be entered against me or the entity I represent.

Date: _____

Signature of the attorney or unrepresented party

PO Cooper
Printed name of party waiving service of summons

Printed name

Address

E-mail address

Telephone number

Duty to Avoid Unnecessary Expenses of Serving a Summons

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"Good cause" does *not* include a belief that the lawsuit is groundless, or that it has been brought in an improper venue, or that the court has no jurisdiction over this matter or over the defendant or the defendant's property.

If the waiver is signed and returned, you can still make these and all other defenses and objections, but you cannot object to the absence of a summons or of service.

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Defendant(s).

CONSENT TO PROCEED BEFORE A MAGISTRATE JUDGE

This form must be filed with the Clerk of Court within 21 days of receipt. Although choosing to have your case decided by a magistrate judge is optional and refusal will not have adverse substantive consequences, the timely return of this completed form is mandatory.

If you do not consent to a magistrate judge hearing your case, a district judge will hear your case. Aside from cases subject to the Prison Litigation Reform Act, magistrate judges in this district generally play no further role in civil cases pending before district judges and do not issue reports and recommendations.

Magistrate judges do not conduct felony trials, and therefore felony trials do not interfere with scheduling and processing of cases before magistrate judges.

Check one:

- ☐ The undersigned attorney of record or pro se litigant **consents** to have Magistrate Judge Nancy Joseph conduct all proceedings in this case, including a bench or jury trial, and enter final judgment in accordance with 28 U.S.C. § 636(c) and Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 73(b).
- ☐ The undersigned attorney of record or pro se litigant **refuses** to have a magistrate judge enter final judgment in this matter.

Signed this ____ day of _____, _____.
(date) (month) (year)

Signature of counsel of record or pro se litigant
☐ Plaintiff / petitioner (attorney or pro se litigant)
☐ Defendant / respondent (attorney or pro se litigant)
☐ Other party

ASSIGNMENT OF CIVIL CASES
EASTERN DISTRICT OF WISCONSIN

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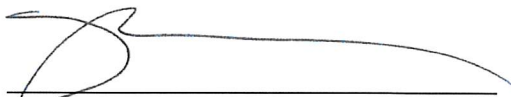
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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

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Honorable Pamela Pepper,
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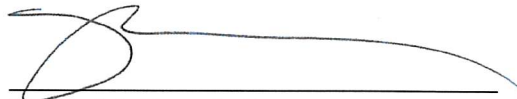
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Honorable Pamela Pepper,
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EASTERN DISTRICT OF WISCONSIN

John Sloan pro se,
(Full Name of each Plaintiff)

Plaintiff(s),

Case No.

24-C-0546

(Supplied by Clerk)

v.
West Allis Police Dept, Sheriff,
Capt, Lt, Sgt, P.D Cooper, Lazaris, etc.
(Full Name of each Defendant)

Defendant(s).

COMPLAINT UNDER THE CIVIL RIGHTS ACT, 42 U.S.C. § 1983

I. PLACE OF PRESENT CONFINEMENT (Provide full address)

5354 N 50th St Milwaukee, WI. 53218

A. Is there a grievance procedure in your prison/jail? YES ☐ NO ☐

B. Have you filed a grievance concerning the facts relating to this complaint?

YES ☒ NO ☐

II. PARTIES

A. Your name (Plaintiff)

John Sloan pro se,

B. Prisoner I.D. Number

C. Social Security Number (Last Four Digits Only)

1961

D. Your Address (City & State)

5354 N 50th St Milwaukee, WI. 53218

(For additional plaintiffs provide the same information in the same format on a separate page.)

E. DEFENDANT (name) West Allis Police Department
is employed as Police For West Allis County
at Milwaukee, WI

F. Additional DEFENDANTS (name, position, and place of employment):
Cpt. Evenson; Sgt. Baumgart; P
P.D. Cooper; P.D. Lazaris;
Lt etc.

III. PREVIOUS LAWSUITS

A. Have you begun other lawsuits in state or federal court relating to the same facts involved in this action? ☐ YES ☒ NO

B. Have you begun other lawsuits in state or federal court relating to your imprisonment? ☐ YES ☒ NO

C. If your answer is YES to either of the above questions, provide the following requested information.

1. Parties to the previous lawsuit

Plaintiff(s): _____

Defendant(s): _____

2. Date filed _____

3. Court where case filed (if federal court, name district; if state court, name the county) _____

4. Case number and citation _____

5. Nature of claim _____

6. Current status (for example: Was the case dismissed? Was it appealed? Is it still pending?) _____
7. If resolved, date of disposition _____
8. If resolved, state whether for _____
(plaintiff or defendant)

(For additional cases, provide the above information in the same format on a separate page.)

IV. STATEMENT OF CLAIM

- A. State as briefly as possible the facts of your case. Describe how each named defendant is involved. Include the name of other persons involved, dates, and places. Describe specifically the injuries incurred. Do not give legal arguments or cite cases or statutes. You may do that in Item "B" below. If you allege related claims, number and set forth each claim in a separate paragraph. Use as much space as you need to state the facts. Attach extra pages, if necessary. Unrelated separate claims should be raised in a separate civil action.

See ATTACHED A

STATEMENT OF CLAIM continued



B. State briefly your legal theory or cite appropriate authority.

See ATTACHED "B"

V. RELIEF YOU REQUEST

State briefly and exactly what you want the court to do for you. Make no legal arguments. Do not use this space to state the facts of your claim. Use it only to request remedies for the injuries you complain about.

See ATTACHED "C"

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AFFIDAVIT OF FACT
NOTICE OF VIOLATION OF HUMAN RIGHTS

For The Record, To Be Read Into The Record Notice To Agent is Notice To Principal Notice to
Principal is Notice to Agent

April 5th, 2024

From: John Sloan
% 5354 N. 50th St
Milwaukee, WI [53218]

To: United States District Court Eastern District of Wisconsin 517 E Wisconsin Ave, Milwaukee
WI 53202

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To Whom It May Concern,

I, John of the family Sloan of full life, hereby make the following **NOTICE OF CONDITION PRECEDENT**, that my Human and fourth, fifth, and eighth Constitutional Rights have been molested/violated, on or about 03-29-2024 Time 1:54 A.M Location: corner of S. 84th st. / W. Mitchell St. P.O. Cooper of the West Allis Police Department of Wisconsin pulled me over and immediately got out of his patrol vehicle and asked me to get out of the car. I asked him *"if he had an Articulate Reasonable Suspicion of me committing a crime"* - He stated *"no, the owner of this vehicle's license is suspended"*. I then told him *"that is not a crime, it is a traffic infraction and that I am not getting out of the car"* at this point I asked P.O. Cooper to call his Supervisor. P.O. Cooper asked me to turn off the car, unknowingly, turning off the car's engine automatically unlocked the car doors. P.O. Copper proceeded to pull open the driver side door and demanded me out of the vehicle, I attempted to close the door when P.O. Cooper blocked the door with the left side of his body. P.O. Lazaris informed me to *"get out of the car or we will tase you"*, I remained still with my hands on the steering wheel. P.O. Lazaris proceeded to tase me while P.O. Cooper pepper sprayed me. I then pulled the electric prongs out of me while P.O. Cooper continuously pepper sprayed me. Somehow, I am out of the car and body slammed on my back being handcuffed. While on the ground handcuffed P.O. Lazaris used direct contact with the taser on the left side of my stomach. He began hollering *"stop resisting"*, the voltage was so much I began to see light.

After the pain started to subside enough I turned my head to tell the P.O. Lazaris *"I'm down on the ground in handcuffs, stop electrocuting me"*. P.O. Lazaris proceed to tase me three more times than he got up. I was then helped up and told to get in the patrol vehicle, to which I responded *"I'm not getting in, I didn't commit a crime. Take these handcuffs off of me."* P.O.

Lazaris said "you getting in" while he grabbed my head and banged it on the patrol vehicle. I then said "okay, you busted my head, Am I bleeding"? An officer said "no". At this point I said "okay I'm going to get in the SUV", while in the patrol vehicle there was an unlawful seizure of my vehicle- which is a violation of my Fourth and Fifth Amendment rights.

The Supervisor of Officers Cooper and Lazaris instructed them to release me as I was free to go. Two officers who were not involved in the incident helped me to the ambulance stating "We didn't touch you, and we don't know what's going on. We were on perimeter duty and didn't see anything". The ambulance took me to the West Allis Hospital from where I was released.

I encountered a similar situation with some of the same officers from the West Allis Police Department a few months ago. I refused to get out of the vehicle and asked the officer to call his supervisor. I was roughed up and the vehicle I was in was unlawfully seized.

There being nothing further I hereby declare (verify, state, and confirm) under penalty of perjury under the laws of the United States of America that the foregoing are true and correct.

Upon receipt of this Affidavit, please send a confirmation notice to the above address.

John Sloan
% 5054 N 50th St.
Milwaukee, WI 53218

Signature:  Pro'se,

Date: 3 day of May, 2024.

STATEMENT OF CLAIM

"B"

A. Briefly stating my legal theory or cite appropriate authority

VIOLATION OF

FOURTH AMENDMENT

FIFTH AMENDMENT

EIGHTH AMENDMENT

"CITING CASES"

**4TH AMENDMENT VIOLATION COLLINS VERSUS VIRGINIA, 584 U.S.A
(2018)**

PRIMARY HOLDING

**THE FOURTH AMENDMENT AUTOMOBILE EXCEPTION DOES NOT
PERMIT THE WARRANTLESS ENTRY OF A HOME OR IT'S CARTILAGE
TO SEARCH A VEHICLE THEREIN.**

FIFTH AMENDMENT VIOLATION

BOYD V. UNITED STATES 116 U.S. 616 (1886) WAS A DECISION BY THE US SUPREME COURT IN WHICH THE COURT HELD THAT THE SEARCH WAS AN UNREASONABLE SEARCH AND SEIZURE WITHIN THE MEANING OF THE 4TH AMENDMENT.

FIFTH AMENDMENT VIOLATION

DUE PROCESS OF LAW

EIGHTH AMENDMENT VIOLATION

IN HOPE V. PELZER, 536 U.S. 730 (2002). THE PRISONER WAS HANDCUFFED TO A HITCHING POST FOR SEVEN HOURS, TAUNTED AND DENIED BATHROOM BREAKS. THE COURT REASONED THAT THIS TREATMENT EXCEEDED WHAT WAS NECESSARY TO RESTORE ORDER.

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RELIEF YOU REQUEST

**FOR THE DEFENDANTS TO BE REPRIMANDED AND RETRAINED OR
REMOVED FROM THE POLICE FORCE AND A PUBLIC APOLOGY
\$200 MILLION FOR PAIN AND SUFFERING AND THE VIOLATION
OF MY CONSTITUTIONAL RIGHTS.**

I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

Complaint signed this 24 day of April 2024.


Signature of Plaintiff(s)

PTO Se,

(If there are multiple plaintiffs, each must sign the complaint)

Prisoner I.D. Number(s) _____



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WEST ALLIS POLICE DEPARTMENT, et al.,
Defendants.

ORDER

Plaintiff John Sloan has filed an action in this court and has filed a motion for leave to proceed without prepayment of the filing fee pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1915. ECF No. 2. Upon review of plaintiff's motion, I find that requiring plaintiff to pay this fee would impose a significant financial hardship on him.

THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED that the plaintiff's motion for leave to proceed without prepaying the filing fee (ECF No. 2) is **GRANTED**.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that pursuant to Fed. R. Civ. P. 4(c)(3), that the U.S. Marshals Service shall serve a copy of the complaint, a waiver of service form and/or the summons, and this order upon defendants. Plaintiff is advised that Congress requires the U.S. Marshals Service to charge for making or attempting such service. 28 U.S.C. § 1921(b). The current fee for waiver-of-service packages is \$8 per item. 28 C.F.R. § 0.114(a)(2). Although Congress requires the court to order service by the U.S. Marshals Service precisely because in forma pauperis plaintiffs are indigent, it has not made any provision for these fees to be waived either by the court or by the U.S. Marshals Service.

Plaintiff should provide defendant or its counsel with copies of all future motions or papers filed by plaintiff in this action.

Dated at Milwaukee, Wisconsin this 10th day of May, 2024.

/s/ Lynn Adelman
LYNN ADELMAN
District Judge