

# INCIDENT/ARREST REPORT ST. CLOUD POLICE DEPARTMENT

REPORT NUMBER:

16036839

OR# MN0730400

DATE FROM: 01-01-1992

TIME: 08:00 AM

DATE TO: 12-31-2005

TIME: 11:59 PM

REPORT DATE: 08-02-2016

Tue

TIME: 12:35 PM

ADMIN

LOCATION:  
101 11 AV N ST CLOUD MN 56303

CASE STATUS:

OTHER

DISPOSITION

INACTIVE

TYPE OF INCIDENT

MATTER OF INFORMATION

OFFENSE TRACT

02

EXCEPTIONAL CLEARANCE CODE

EXC CLEAR DATE

HOW RECEIVED:

PHONE

TIME ASSIGNED

1235

TIME ARRIVED

1235

TIME CLEARED

1236

RELATED TO OCA

REPORTING OFFICER

10139

BLUHM, KATHLEEN M

ASSISTING OFFICER

REVIEWING OFFICER

OFFENSE

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STATUTE

OFFENSE DESCRIPTION

MATTER OF INFORMATION

UCR/IBR

09970

STATUS

OTHER

COUNTS

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DEGREE

BIAS MOTIVATION

PREMISE TYPE

ATTEMPTED

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ALCOHOL

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DRUGS

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COMPUTER

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FORCED ENTRY

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UNITS ENTERED

CRIMINAL ACTIVITY

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IMPLEMENT USED

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TYPE ENTRY

METHOD OF ENTRY

TYPE EXIT

WEAPON USED

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ROUTING: - RECORDS - SAUK RAPIDS POLICE DEPARTMENT

SUSPECT

NAME

ADDRESS

HOME

CELL

WORK

EMAIL

DOB

AGE

TO AGE

Juvenile

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RACE

SEX

RESIDENT

ETHNICITY

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CLOTHING

AFFILIATION

SMTS

EMPLOYER

EMPLOYER ADDRESS

RELATED OFFENSES:

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ARREST

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INCIDENT

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ARREST LOCATION

COUNTY

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ARRESTING OFFICER

ASSISTING OFFICER

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EMPLOYER

EMPLOYER ADDRESS

PERSON

INVOLVEMENT TYPE  
MENTIONED

NAME

OELRICH, ANTHONY JOSEPH

HOME

CELL

ADDRESS

375 1 AV S ST CLOUD MN 56301

WORK

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SEX

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**ADDITIONAL/CONTINUATION NARRATIVE**

**ST. CLOUD POLICE DEPARTMENT**

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NARRATIVE TITLE  
RECORDS SUPPLEMENT: /

-ON 01/05/2017 CASE FILE WAS HAND DELIVERED BY INVESTIGATOR BLUHM TO SAUK RAPIDS POLICE DEPARTMENT.  
-SEE PORT SHEET FOR DETAILS. / RJS

**NARRATIVE**

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ST. CLOUD POLICE DEPARTMENT

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NARRATIVE TITLE  
Narrative From CAD

Complaint Type: ASEX - SEXUAL ASSAULT

Caller Name:

Officers:

Officer Id: KMBLUHM Officer Name: BLUHM, KATHLEEN

[08/02/2016 12:36:42 : MOB : 9526]

see report

KBluhm 10139

[8/2/2016 12:35:58 : pos1 : 01MLBURKE]

Landmark: PD

NARRATIVE

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PRIMARY OFFICER INVESTIGATIVE REPORT  
OFFICER KATHLEEN BLUHM

TRANSCRIBED ON JANUARY 5, 2017/0807 HOURS

VENUE: The Sexual Assault complaint occurred at the St. Cloud Police Department, 101 11<sup>th</sup> Avenue North, city of St. Cloud.

PRINCIPALS:

Complainant:

Mentioned: Father Anthony Joseph Oelrich

STATEMENTS TAKEN:

Taped Q&A Statement- Investigator Bluhm  
No Statement

OFFICER NARRATIVE:

I received a call from \_\_\_\_\_ who advised she contacted \_\_\_\_\_ regarding a relationship that she had with Father Anthony Oelrich, a priest in the St. Cloud Diocese. \_\_\_\_\_ was advised to contact the St. Cloud Police Department and make a report. I met with \_\_\_\_\_ on two occasions and a formal statement was taken on 08/22/06, at 1622 hours.

\_\_\_\_\_ advised that in the early 1990's, she \_\_\_\_\_ During that time, Father Tony Oelrich, a newly ordained priest, was assigned as an associate pastor at Sacred Heart Catholic Church, Sauk Rapids.

She and Father Tony became friends and Father Tony told her that he was in love with another woman. \_\_\_\_\_ said that Father Tony confided in her and trusted her. \_\_\_\_\_ stated she was very honored that Father Tony, who seemed "very holy and a compassionate priest" would trust her. \_\_\_\_\_ describes Father Tony as a shepherd of the people, anointed and therefore, "set apart for God's service".

\_\_\_\_\_ confided in Father Tony that she and \_\_\_\_\_ were having marital issues. \_\_\_\_\_ stated Father Tony counseled her and listened to her when she spoke of her alcoholic abusive husband. Father Tony told \_\_\_\_\_ that God thinks she is precious and that God doesn't want her to hurt. She believes that Father Tony should have told her to come to the rectory to be counseled and to talk about work issues, instead Father Tony often went to her home.

In the spring of 1993, Father Tony was at her house for lunch, which was not uncommon, and he kissed her. In the summer of 1993, knowing \_\_\_\_\_ was gone; Father Tony came to her house and had sexual intercourse with her. \_\_\_\_\_ stated she wasn't physically forced, but knew it was inappropriate because she was married, she was confiding and counseling with Father Tony and because he is a priest.

As she and \_\_\_\_\_ were going through their marital issues and divorce, \_\_\_\_\_ became suspicious of a relationship that may have been going on between her and Father Tony. \_\_\_\_\_ made a report to the St. Cloud Diocese and she was contacted to meet with the diocese that was represented by four priests, including Father Tony. \_\_\_\_\_ advised that she was ultimately questioned and/or accused of seducing Father Tony.

In December 1995, \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ divorce was final. In 1996, Father Tony introduced her to \_\_\_\_\_ who she eventually married. Father Tony officiated their wedding. One of the scripture readings

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was "love is forgiving, love is never boastful" etc. stated that Father Tony wrote her his version of those promises towards her. A copy will be attached to this case file.

stated that Father Tony wrote her many letter and sent many cards. When Father Tony found out she still had them, he drove to pick her up, drove her to where the letters were stored at her, and then drove her to a dumpster, where he made her throw them away.

described several sexual encounters with Father Tony. I was able to ascertain the incidents to have occurred in Sauk Rapids, at Father Tony's home, the rectory at Sacred Heart Church (Benton County), Stillwater, at a hotel, (Washington County), Maple Grove, at a hotel, (Hennepin County), Brooklyn Center, at (Hennepin County), and (Pine County). knows that there was a time they pulled off into a parking lot in St. Cloud, on the west side of the Mississippi River, (Stearns County) but she does not know the exact location.

Father Tony was sent to Rome in 2001. stated that since Father Tony returned from Rome, in 2005, the physical contact stopped.

Father Tony and maintained a relationship/friendship to include family vacations and written correspondence. A copy of the written letters and printed text messages will be attached to this case file.

is concerned because she knows Father Tony has been sent away for therapy. Father Tony is currently assigned to the Newman Center and has had, and to the best of her knowledge, continues to have, inappropriate sexual relationships with at least four other woman.

advised that she was being emotionally and spiritually manipulated as she was afraid to lose Father Tony's support because she felt frightened and alone. advised that Father Tony bought her gifts and made her feel special and loved. described Father Tony as "The voice of God to me."

shared that she confessed her sin to Father Tony, in a confessional setting, hoping the sexual intercourse would stop. stated that Father Tony told her that God knows they are doing their best and understands that they love each other.

provided documentation including her chronological time line, copies of numerous cards and text messages that she had from the last several years from Father Tony. I read through all the information and found in a text message, dated 07/01/16, at 0745 hours, from Father Tony a sentence as it relates to "My stupidity in the confessional" and how painful it is to him. In another text message, dated 07/02/16, at 2217 hours, from a comment is made regarding her possibly counseling Father Tony. All information will be attached to this case file.

stated she was not going to report this to the police, but found out that Father Tony was doing this to other woman and she wants it to stop. Those cases will be investigated separately.

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On 01/05/17, I received a fax from                      At 0920 hours, I retrieved all the documentation from Property to compare with what was received. A copy of the documentation and the police report will be forwarded to Sauk Rapids Police Sergeant Detective Falk. At this time, we are not able to determine a location in St. Cloud, Stearns County, where a crime may have occurred. Sergeant Falk agreed to review the investigation for crime(s) in his jurisdiction and follow up if necessary.

No further action by St. Cloud Police.

FOLLOW-UP INVESTIGATION NEEDED:

- Interview Father Tony Oelrich

DISPOSITION:

- Referred to other agency; Sauk Rapids Police Department

ROUTING:

RECORDS DIVISION: PLEASE FORWARD A COPY OF THIS REPORT TO:

- Records
- Sauk Rapids Police Department



# INCIDENT/ARREST REPORT ST. CLOUD POLICE DEPARTMENT

REPORT NUMBER: 16039789

ORIGIN: MN0730400

DATE FROM: 08-19-2016 TIME: 01:30 PM

DATE TO: 08-19-2016 TIME: 01:30 PM

REPORT DATE: 08-19-2016 Fri TIME: 01:30 PM

ADMIN	LOCATION: 101 11 AV N ST CLOUD MN 56303		TYPE OF INCIDENT SEXUAL ASSAULT		OFFENSE TRACT
	CASE STATUS:	DISPOSITION INACTIVE	EXCEPTIONAL CLEARANCE CODE		EXC CLEAR DATE
	HOW RECEIVED: PHONE	TIME ASSIGNED	TIME ARRIVED	TIME CLEARED	RELATED TO OCA
	REPORTING OFFICER 10139 BLUHM, KATHLEEN M	ASSISTING OFFICER		REVIEWING OFFICER	

OFFENSE	ISN 1	STATUTE	OFFENSE DESCRIPTION MATTER OF INFORMATION	UCR/IBR 09970	STATUS OTHER	COUNTS 1	DEGREE
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	IMPLEMENT USED			TYPE ENTRY	METHOD OF ENTRY		

WEAPON USED		TYPE EXIT	
ROUTING: - RECORDS			

SUSPECT	NAME		HOME	CELL
	ADDRESS		WORK	EMAIL
	DOB	AGE	TO AGE	Juvenile <input type="checkbox"/>
	RACE	SEX	RESIDENT	ETHNICITY
	SSN	HEIGHT	WEIGHT	EYE COLOR
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	STATE	CLOTHING	AFFILIATION	
	SMTS	EMPLOYER	EMPLOYER ADDRESS	
	RELATED OFFENSES:			

ARREST	SUSPECT ARRESTED <input type="checkbox"/>	ARREST DATE/TIME	DISPOSITION	JUVENILE DISPOSITION
	LOCATION SAME AS INCIDENT <input type="checkbox"/>	ARREST LOCATION	COUNTY	AREA
	LOCATION NAME	CHARGES		
	ARRESTING OFFICER	ASSISTING OFFICER		

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PERSON

INVOLVEMENT TYPE  
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OELRICH, ANTHONY JOSEPH

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375 1 AV S ST CLOUD MN 56301

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PRIMARY OFFICER INVESTIGATIVE REPORT  
OFFICER KATHLEEN BLUHM

TRANSCRIBED ON AUGUST 23, 2016/0746 HOURS BY ALB

PRINCIPALS:

Victim:

Mentioned: Anthony Joseph Oelrich

STATEMENTS TAKEN:

Q&A Taped Statement- Investigator Bluhm

No Statement

OFFICER NARRATIVE:

On 08/19/16, I received a call from wanting to report sexually inappropriate behavior with Father Tony Oelrich.

On 08/22/16, at 1055 hours, I interviewed and obtained a recorded statement from in CIU interview room 227. advised that in

In early 2007, Father Tony began his ministry with their church. The relationship with Father Tony started out with him giving her what she described as special attention and often using her as a sounding board. They Following , Father Tony would often meet with her and talk with her about those meetings. She felt this was not appropriate, because she did not feel that she was on the same level as Father Tony and that there were other persons he should be talking to about these issues. She also felt flattered because Father Tony trusted her and saw wisdom in her. described that Father Tony would stand so close behind her, as and that his body would touch the back of her body. She felt he would invade her personal space. described times that Father Tony would smell her hair, touch her arm, or just be in her personal space.

She advised that early in their friendship, Father Tony alluded to inappropriate sexual behavior that he had in his past. She interpreted this as him saying that it was okay if the two of them had a relationship. advised Father Tony she did not want to know about that behavior and felt it was none of her business. To this date she does not know any details. admits that she was flattered by his attention and trustworthiness.

For the first six months, this activity/relationship continued, and near Christmas of 2007, Father Tony wanted her to where he now had his home office and where he lived. Father Tony moved

During the time of she oftentimes would be in the same kitchen area, use the same bathroom, et cetera, that the other women used as well. Father Tony oftentimes would end their conversation with a hug and then eventually would kiss her on the forehead or on the cheeks. The incidents of the cheek kissing, forehead kissing, and touching all occurred while

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When that physical closeness and inappropriateness began, [redacted] stated she started to talk to her husband and other people about whether or not this behavior was appropriate, and she felt like it was not but did not get anyone's second opinion on that to be the same. [redacted] described herself to be confused because Father Tony was years older than her and because he was a priest.

In January and February of 2008, Father Tony took her out to lunch and tried to hold her hand. [redacted] stated she pulled her hand away, but Father Tony grabbed it again and held her hand as they were walking into the restaurant, and because he is a priest, [redacted], she felt that it must be okay.

[redacted] described their relationship as a lay minister and a priest who got along and discussed theology at great length. This is not necessarily common practice between the [redacted] the priest is viewed as being above everyone else, being the head of the church, and being the final decision maker for the church.

[redacted] stated she was having a lot of anxiety and feeling very confused about the inappropriate boundaries that Father Tony was crossing, and she told [redacted], who accused her of seducing Father Tony. During this time [redacted] was having difficulty in her marriage, and Father Tony knew that.

On one occasion, [redacted] was extremely confused, distraught, crying and contacted Father Tony, who came to [redacted] Father Tony acknowledged that he knew that [redacted] had spoken with her. During this discussion, Father Tony stated he thought that someday they could, and [redacted] cut him off immediately and forcefully stated no. [redacted] stated Father Tony never finished his sentence, but she felt he was going to say that they could be together or have a sexual relationship. There was sexual tension between the two of them, and she felt as though Father Tony wanted to take it to the next level, and she very outwardly advised him that was not going to happen. That conversation ended with a hug and Father Tony kissing her on her face. Since that conversation, the relationship between her and Father Tony has completely changed, and he has disregarded her and treated her very poorly including [redacted] This made [redacted] contact and talk with anyone who would listen including her husband, [redacted] and friends to try and figure out if this was okay.

In 2011, [redacted] reported to [redacted] sexual harassment complaint against Father Tony. The diocese offered to pay for her counseling. [redacted] also confided in her friend and confidant [redacted] but felt that he never believed her and felt like she was misinterpreting Father Tony's behavior.

As the months progressed and she no longer welcomed Father Tony's advances, Father Tony made comments that they probably do not need a [redacted]. She wanted to talk to Father Tony about this, but he would not talk to her and eventually told her that she was no longer welcome to use [redacted]

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In June and July of 2013, [redacted] and while on [redacted] sent a letter to Father Tony [redacted] and then Father Tony called her and wanted to meet. She was afraid of Father Tony, did not want to meet with him alone, and invited him to her house to meet with her and husband. That meeting never happened. If she saw Father Tony after that, he would act like she had never and that the previous things had never happened.

[redacted] heard from a friend that [redacted] and Father Tony had a very similar and inappropriate relationship. [redacted] contacted [redacted] again and stated that she was afraid for [redacted] and what could possibly happen.

In November of 2015, Father Tony was sent to St. Luke's for what they stated was a "mental health break". She understood that St. Luke's wanted him to stay for six months, which is longer than the usual therapy sessions that priests go on. [redacted] advised when Father Tony left she finally felt free to talk, and because Father Tony was gone, people were finally listening to her. She again had a conversation with [redacted] and suggested that she document her information and send it to St. Luke's, via the diocese. [redacted] put all of her information together and brought it to the diocese, specifically [redacted]. Father [redacted] asked if she talked to any of the trustees. [redacted] explained that each church has two trustees and that they are in charge of worldly affairs. The information sat on Father [redacted] desk for three to four weeks and then was given back to her. [redacted] was advised they did not want the information to come through the diocese, so she sent it herself. She felt like Father [redacted] was trying to place the responsibility to the trustees.

As of this time she did not believe that anything has happened as far as Father Tony being held accountable through the diocese. [redacted] advised she wants accountability, she wants him to be healed, and she wants an apology from him.

[redacted] advised she is a practicing Catholic and has been for many years. She views the priest in the Catholic Church as the authority on everything including moral judgment. Although she has a [redacted] the priests are always considered right, and in this situation, the priest is the head of the church and also [redacted]. She believes priests are the moral compass of the Catholic faith.

[redacted] advised she never confessed to Father Tony and did all of her confessions with Bishop [redacted] and Bishop [redacted] stated when she tried to confess how she was feeling and why she was feeling that way, she felt like the bishops did not understand and were not paying attention to what she was saying.

[redacted] stated the people who possibly know about what has gone on who she has individually spoken to are as follows:

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who converted to Catholicism and noted that Father Tony was described as an adult predator on the internet

- ex-husband and his new wife
- , friend
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, who ultimately apologized to her after learning more about Father Tony and other women who he had allegedly been with

- who replaced
- Many members including and persons from and ;
- Other women who may have been involved with Father Tony are . nknown female with last name and who he is currently having a relationship with.

One of the things that found to be interesting is that Father Tony would oftentimes use computer, and when she asked him about that he said he did not have internet access. She knows that Father Tony's computer has lots of viruses and felt that it may have been because he was on inappropriate sites. never checked the history or what Father Tony was doing computer, computer.

stated that a common response to her, regarding Father Tony's sexual harassment, is that she is jealous because he is with another woman.

sent me an email with a link to her "OneNote File". I printed that file, over 200 pages, and read through documentation. Most of it was her journaling. Some of it documented her attempts to get help through the church and diocese. I properly tagged the file and placed it in property.

After interviewing and reading the documentation, this investigation does not meet statutory definitions for sexual contact. No further police action.

FOLLOW-UP INVESTIGATION NEEDED:

- None

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REPORT NUMBER: 16046695

ORI# MN0730400

DATE FROM: TIME:

DATE TO: TIME:

REPORT DATE: 09-26-2016 Mon TIME: 09:00 AM

ADMIN

LOCATION: 101 11 AV N ST CLOUD MN 56303		TYPE OF INCIDENT MATTER OF INFORMATION		OFFENSE TRACT
CASE STATUS: OTHER		DISPOSITION INACTIVE		EXC CLEAR DATE
HOW RECEIVED: PHONE	TIME ASSIGNED	TIME ARRIVED	TIME CLEARED	RELATED TO OCA
REPORTING OFFICER 10139 BLUHM, KATHLEEN M		ASSISTING OFFICER		REVIEWING OFFICER

OFFENSE

ISN 1	STATUTE	OFFENSE DESCRIPTION MATTER OF INFORMATION	UCR/IBR 09970	STATUS OTHER	COUNTS 1	DEGREE
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FORCED ENTRY <input type="checkbox"/>	UNITS ENTERED	CRIMINAL ACTIVITY			COMPUTER	
IMPLEMENT USED		TYPE ENTRY		METHOD OF ENTRY		TYPE EXIT
WEAPON USED						

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SUSPECT

NAME		HOME		CELL
ADDRESS		WORK		EMAIL
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HEIGHT	WEIGHT	EYE COLOR	HAIR COLOR	HAIR LENGTH
CLOTHING	AFFILIATION		HAIR STYLE	DLN
SMTS		ETHNICITY		SSN
EMPLOYER		EMPLOYER ADDRESS		STATE
RELATED OFFENSES:				
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6.	7.	8.		

ARREST

SUSPECT ARRESTED <input type="checkbox"/>	ARREST DATE/TIME	DISPOSITION	JUVENILE DISPOSITION
LOCATION SAME AS INCIDENT <input type="checkbox"/>	ARREST LOCATION	COUNTY	AREA
LOCATION NAME		CHARGES	
ARRESTING OFFICER		ASSISTING OFFICER	

PROPERTY/VEHICLE/DRUGS										REPORT NUMBER: 16046695	
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VENUE: The matter of information occurred at the St. Cloud Police Department, 101 11<sup>th</sup> Avenue North, city of St. Cloud, county of Stearns.

PRINCIPALS:

Mentioned:

STATEMENTS TAKEN:

Q&A Taped Statement- Investigator Bluhm

OFFICER NARRATIVE:

On 09/26/16, at 0928 hours, I interviewed and obtained a recorded statement from

in CIU Interview Room #227. advised that approximately ten years ago, she and her husband became Catholics through RCIA. and also does

At that time, Father Tony Oelrich was her priest and she Googled him. She found that he was listed as an abusive predatory priest on the SNAP website. She made contact with and who were spoken about in the testament of clergy abuse, on the SNAP website, called "That Eyes May Finally See." She learned through that was previously married to

and that Father Tony had an inappropriate sexual relationship with. She learned that Father Tony insinuated himself into the marriage of and and then had a sexual relationship with. believes this information was all reported to and nothing has occurred. stated that she is an advocate for people who view themselves as victims and wants them to come forward.

talked about issues that have been going on since about 2011. The now: , and a told her of a conversation that colleague was having with Father Tony and during the conversation, he snapped her bra strap. The colleague stated that this was confusing to her although she did not report it to anybody. This colleague then went on to tell her that Father Tony started to show up at her house uninvited and eventually her husband had a conversations with Father Tony, and the behaviors and visits stopped. At this time, she does not have permission to use this colleague's name, but just wanted to use it as an example of inappropriateness of Father Tony.

Approximately two to three years ago, stated that look over as She describes as being single, naive, and insecure. feels that Father Tony and have a very inappropriate relationship. She, and feel that Father Tony has "doing his bidding" and she is always on his arm. This is making from and uncomfortable. She knows that and Father Tony will go to Twins games, lunches, and dinners together. It seems to her that they are unnecessarily together. In the last few years, people have been referring to as Father Tony's girlfriend. When Father Tony was sent to St. Luke's, was then transferred to Father Tony was ultimately transferred to. She knows of no sexual

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relationship with [redacted] and Father Tony, but she does notice that they are inappropriate together, they hold hands occasionally and he kisses her on the cheek.

[redacted] stated that Father Tony sexually propositioned [redacted] approximately two years ago. This information is talked about in "That Eyes May Finally See." [redacted] believes that Father Tony made [redacted] life so miserable that she ended up having to leave

She met with the [redacted] and told him of her concerns. [redacted] authored a letter, anonymously, to [redacted] who replied that he was thankful for their courage to come forward and that he was working on the situation with Father Tony. Shortly thereafter, Father Tony was sent to St. Luke's for depression issues. She is aware that Father Tony is working on a three-year rehabilitation program, through St. Luke's, but feels like he is still having relationships with staff and/or parishioners.

[redacted] stated that [redacted] was [redacted] as rumored to have a list of people that made complaints about Father Tony. When Father Tony found out about this, he [redacted] This information was passed on to [redacted] who requested [redacted] rather than having a [redacted] on [redacted], and Father Tony

[redacted] is the [redacted] from St. Mary's, who is now deceased. Apparently, Father Tony and [redacted] had butted heads theologically and Father Tony asked [redacted] to stop preaching. She believed that this is part of Father Tony's method of operation and his grooming process.

[redacted] does not believe that Father Tony should be a priest and that is her motivation in talking with the police today.

I advised [redacted] that I would document her information; however, I don't see that a crime has been committed. I encouraged [redacted] to contact the St. Cloud Diocese with her concerns.

FOLLOW-UP INVESTIGATION NEEDED:

- None

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