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Michael C. Klugh
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Dear Mr. Klugh:

Thank you for contacting Governor Crist and sharing your allegations against members of Okaloosa County Government. The Governor asked that I respond on his behalf.

Our government is structured on the principle that local communities can best assess the needs of their residents. Voters elect their county officials to manage local government business. Those dissatisfied with local officials' performance can always make their views known directly to those officials.

Under Florida law, violations of the conflict of interest laws fall within the jurisdiction of the Florida Commission on Ethics. If you wish to file a complaint with the commission, you can obtain a complaint form on the commission's Web site at www.ethics.state.fl.us. For further assistance, you may wish to contact the commission by calling (850) 488-7864, or by writing to Post Office Drawer 15709, Tallahassee, Florida 32317-5709. More information can be obtained online at the Commission's Web site at www.ethics.state.fl.us

The state attorney should be contacted by those who believe locally elected officials have violated criminal laws. You can obtain the name of the state attorney in your circuit by calling directory assistance.

Allegations against elected and law enforcement officials should be directed to the Florida Department of Law Enforcement's Office of Executive Investigations. All inquiries must be submitted in writing. To contact that office, please use the information provided below.

Thank you again for taking the time to contact Governor Crist.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Dustin Fusillo", with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Dustin Fusillo
Office of Citizen Services

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