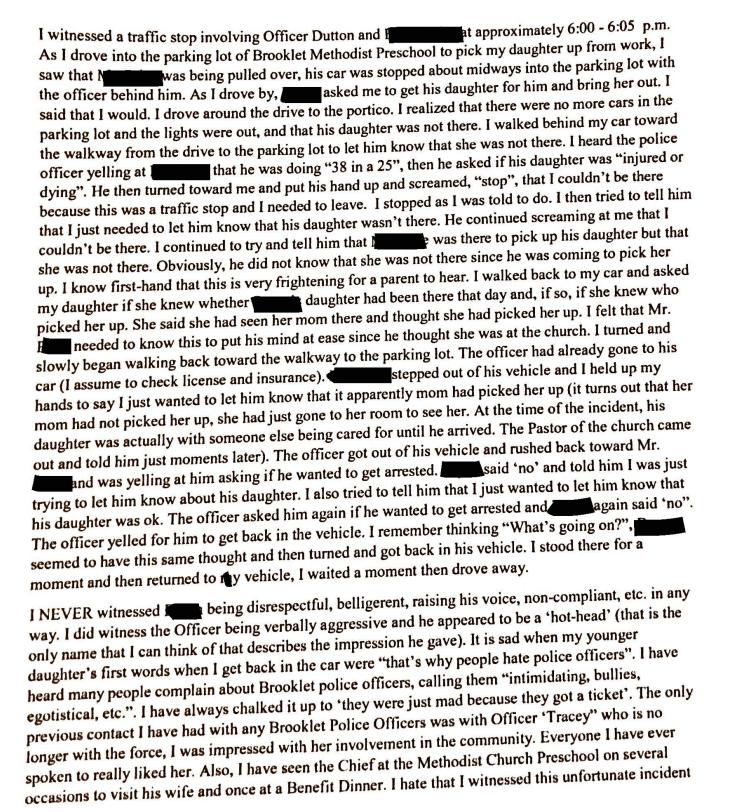
Re: Incident involving Officer Dutton of Brooklet Police Dept. and Mr.



that has caused me to think that the previous accounts I had heard may not have been exaggerations after all. I respect the police as a whole and am thankful for them. While there are bad police (as with any profession or group), I believe the bad ones are the minority. I believe that the vast majority of police are good, just as I believe that the vast majority of the community have respect and a healthy fear of the police. And that is as it should be. I do not want to jump to the conclusion that this is a bad police officer, but I am very disappointed in the impression I got from him. He came across as a hot-head that didn't care and thinks because he wears a badge that it is ok to bully people. I know it is a dangerous job and I pray that he, and all police officers, are protected and safe. I would just hope that if anything like this were to ever happen again that he will just listen and not give anyone else the impression that I and my daughters got. I believe that the Police deserve our respect. At some point, however, I believe that each Police Officer has a responsibility to maintain that respect. This is for the good of everyone.