

BEFORE THE WEBSTER COUNTY CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION

CURTIS W. RUBY,)	CASE NO.
Appellant,)	
)	
v.)	
)	
WEBSTER COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE))	AFFIDAVIT OF KURT PITTNER
)	
)	
)	
Defendants.)	

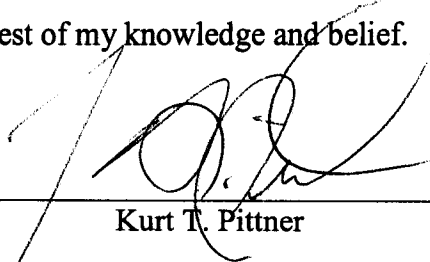
I, Kurt Pittner, swear and affirm as follows:

1. I am an attorney in Fort Dodge. For twenty years I was a mental health referee. During that time I had interaction with Curt Ruby. I found him to be courteous, hard working, and well prepared. He would be also be a witness from time to time when I was doing criminal defense work.

2. I know him to be an advocate for battered women. He always followed up and made sure that batterers were prosecuted and that victims had a voice and were not left out in the cold. He was very proactive in his service to victims of domestic violence, much more than what I would have expected from a law enforcement officer. I was surprisingly and thankfully taken aback by how far he would go to assure that victims were protected. I discussed with other people how involved he was with victims of domestic violence. He was a staunch advocate for the victims of domestic violence.

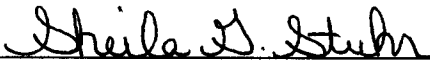
3. Often, he was an adverse witness to me. In my experience with him, he was always congenial and patient. I never saw him rude or out of control and I never heard that he was ever rude or out of control.

I hereby swear and affirm that the above and foregoing are matters within my personal knowledge and that they are true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.



Kurt T. Pittner

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14th day of February, 2008.



Notary Public State of Iowa

