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My sworn statement for one of several complaints is attached. This complaint demonstrates their concerted effort to evade and defy compliance. I didn't make the commissioners aware that I ~~was~~ ~~did~~ recorded the meeting and what happened, so it will be a surprise that I did such. One details are release it should trigger their memories. Call me if it's not legible for you!

INVESTIGATIONS DIVISION
OFFICE OF THE STATE ATTORNEY
STATEMENT FORM

CASE NUMBER: _____

NAME: Romi White DATE: 8/26/08 TIME: _____

ADDRESS: _____ CITY/STATE/ZIP: Milton, FL 32570

DRIVERS LICENSE #: _____ DATE OF BIRTH: _____

I, Romi White, being a victim/witness, voluntarily relate the following facts in regard to the above case being investigated by the Office Of State Attorney.

On 3/21/07, Santa Rosa County Commissioners assembled at UWF after a visioning forum and illegally followed up on discussions from their 3/19/07 meeting. Commissioner Broxson, though present, voiced concerns about violating Sunshine Laws. However the others laughed when I made a joke that I could run back into the auditorium to announce they were meeting and come back to take care of it. They could comply. The other commissioners then continued discussing

I swear that the 2 Page(s) statement is true to the best of my knowledge.

Signature: [Handwritten Signature]

Sworn and subscribed before me this 17th Day of Aug

[Handwritten Signature] #52
Investigator, Office of State Attorney
F.S.S. 117.10

this is not the most egregious of the violations I observed; however since I have openly discussed it I felt it is important to include it

STATEMENT CONTINUATION:

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the discussion involving how they would handle the decision about a hiring freeze on 3/27/07.

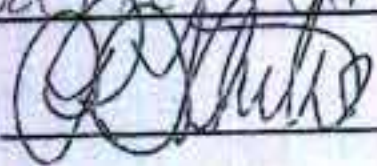
Good voiced concern about Rogers' hours (the current engineering department). Salter said he didn't want to scare them.

Therefore, Stewart said he'd move for no layoffs, just no new hires, delegating the latter to staff decisions.

This decision process, which took place outside a public meeting and thus violated the Sunshine Law may be obvious through review of the video of the 3/19 + 3/27/07 meetings.

While I observed Sunshine Laws (Ch. 286) frequently violated during the year I worked for the Santa Rosa County Board of County Commissioners as the Public Information Officer-Asst. it usually did not involve all the commissioners but predominantly Don Salter and Tom Stewart.*

SIGNATURE:

 J. H. H. S.

*pls reference additional complaint for further details