



# CITY OF ATLANTA

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Mr. Paul Bartels  
Atlanta Citizen Review Board  
City Hall Tower, Suite 9100  
55 Trinity Avenue, SW  
Atlanta, Georgia 30303

RE: 13-90 Complaint of Jairobe McPherson

Dear Mr. Bartels:

I am in receipt of the Atlanta Citizens Review Board's letter dated March 28, 2014, recommending the allegations Officer David Passarella (Unique ID #5912) improperly detained Mr. Jairobe McPherson on September 23, 2013 was **Unfounded**, and the allegation of false imprisonment be **Sustained**.

The Atlanta Police Department's Office of Professional Standards (OPS) has concluded its investigation into this matter, and determined that there was sufficient evidence to **Sustain** the charge of violating Atlanta Police Department (APD) Employee Work Rule 4.1.1 (Appropriate Action Required) against Officer David Passarella.

Having assessed the determinations of both the ACRB and OPS, I agree with the findings of the Atlanta Citizens Review Board on the above listed allegations.

Lieutenant J. D. Webb, Acting Commander of the Office of Professional Standards, can be contacted at (404) 658-7028, if you have any concerns regarding this complaint.

Sincerely,

George N. Turner  
Chief of Police

GNT/jw

cc: Lt J. D. Webb

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