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**RE: Recommendations from the Citizen's Commission on Police Accountability  
Following a Review of the Williams Investigative File**

Dear Mayor Abramson and Chief White,

This letter contains the official recommendation of the Citizens Commission on Police Accountability after its review of the investigative file in the Williams shooting.

After reviewing the Williams case file, we found the investigation to be adequate and complete. We have no substantive recommendations to offer regarding the investigation at this time. However, members suggest better labeling of critical elements depicted on "station maps" (scene illustrations) contained in the investigative files. This will assist in case review when text from interviews or other reports refer to objects in diagrams or other illustrations.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Laura M. Douglas", written over a large, stylized flourish.

Laura M. Douglas  
Chair, Citizens Commission on  
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cc: Commission members

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