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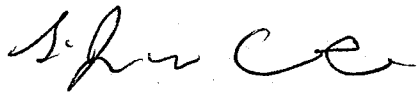
JULY 4, 2016 MONDAY

Today I write you to inform you that there are more inmates here at (W.C.I) WAUPUN Correctional Institution joining the Hunger Strike that has been going on. There are also more motives to why we are striking which are (1) poor programming that is offer to us for rehabilitation inside prison and outside for those who are being released, (2) poor health and psychological services being offer to us while being housed in restricted housing, (3) ~~poor~~ inadequate mental health treatment for inmates with a serious mental health illness. I have been on strike since 6-16-16 Thursday the day I got transfer to W.C.I FROM (WRC) WISCONSIN RESOURCE CENTER. I have not drunk or ate since. The main reason why I am striking is because I have a mental health illness and as a result of my illness I engage in self-harm and suicide attempts. I currently have real bad cut marks on my arms as we speak from cutting myself very badly. I got 12 stitches in my arm right now because I cut 2 tendons in my fore arm. I over dosed on 29 pills and try to commit suicide and was in a coma for 4 days. I am striking because W.C.I. is very corrupt from PSO staff fabricating documentation because inmates swear at them because PSO use observation as pushing or because some inmates are exhibitors. I am striking because security staff are corrupt because of their negligence knowing inmates are about to harm themselves and instead of stopping them they neglect them until supervisors come. I am on strike because W.C.I is mistreating me just because my (MH-code) mental health code is a 2B which mean I have a serious mental health illness. They are mistreating me because instead of housing me around inmates with the same MH code they house me in restricted housing. They have what they call BHC behavior housing unit where they house mental ill inmates. I am striking because W.C.I is corrupt with the ICE complaint system. I got assaulted by two guards on December 10, 2015 just like the inmate Shaider Blake in Baltimore me guards Trevor Klemmer and Greg Peterson slammed me on my face knock my teeth out having to go to the hospital the same day still work here, still work around me, they harass me and when I complain nothing gets done about it. This situation is the same as Mr. Blake case I was in full restraint hand cuffed behind my back, shackles on my ankles, tether to the door. I fear for my life here at W.C.I and have a plan to actually commit suicide. I constantly write Dodge County court house about getting a restraining order against them nothing but a run around, I write Madison Leva C Taylor, I write to Cathy Jess, inform the warden here at W.C.I and nothing is getting done. I even take it to the F.B.I and Washington D.C. I am losing hope and I do not see light at the end of the tunnel. If I don't take my own life by the time you write back I hope to see some changes about W.C.I wither it's them having those body ~~cameras~~ cameras and audio systems they had in 2014 for all the abuse that was happening in W.C.I R.H.U

TO PEOPLE WITH SERIOUS MENTAL ILLNESS LIKE MYSELF GET PROPER MENTAL HEALTH TREATMENT THAT NOT IN WAUPUN SESEGATION, BEING BLOUSED AT WEI MESSED ME UP FOR LIFE AND I WILL NEVER BE THE SAME. RIGHT NOW I AM THE "ONLY" INMATE IN THE RITU THAT THEY PURPOSELY CHOOSE TO PUT ME IN THE MOST RESTRICTIVE OBSERVATION PLACEMENT WHEN I ENGAGE IN SELF HARM WHICH IS STRAPPING ME DOWN TO A BED FOR HOURS. JUST ON 6-27-16 I CUT MY ARM IN FRONT OF A PSU STAFF MEMBER DR. VAN BUREN AND SHE WALKED OFF. BEFORE I CUT MY ARM I INFORM HER CAN YOU PLEASE PUT ME IN THE SAFETY SUIT SHE SAID NO BECAUSE YOU DESTROY THEM, I ASK HER CAN YOU PLACE ME IN BED RESTRAINTS BECAUSE I DO NOT FEEL SAFE SHE SAID NO CAN YOU DID NOT DO NOTHING. ONCE I CUT MY ARM OPEN TO WHERE I CAN STICK A FINGER IN IN THE WOUND SHE WALKED OFF THEN ALL MOST 30 MINUTES LATER THEY STRAPPED ME DOWN FOR 16 HOURS WITH OUT GIVING ME STITCHES AND BY ME ALREADY CUT 2 TENDONS THE DAY BEFORE WHERE I GOT ORDER BY THE DOCTOR TO MOVE MY AROUND BECAUSE IF I DONT IT WILL STIFFEN UP, AND I WAS IN BED RESTRAINTS FOR 16 HOURS. ANOTHER INMATE NAME JOSHUA BERRIOS 577319 HAS BEEN ON STRIKE AS WELL AND HAS BEEN HOLDING STRONG. I WAS JUST HOSPITALIZED FOR ENGAGING IN SELF-HARM I AM A CUTTER AND WAS TOLD I AM DYING SLOW I NEED TO EAT AT THIS POINT I HAVE NOT GOT COURT ORDER TO BE FORCE FEED BUT I AM TOLD BY NURSES THAT IT IS COMING SOON. TO BE HONESTLY I AM AT THE POINT WHERE I WANT TO GET END MY LIFE. JOSHUA BERRIOS 577319 KEEPS ME STRONG SOMETIMES. HE ALSO IS ON STRIKE ABOUT THE LOW WAGES FOR WORK AND SCHOOLING FOR THE INDIGENT INMATES THAT HAVE NO SOURCE OF INCOME. I WANT TO THANK YOU FOR YOUR TIME AND CONSIDERATION ON READING THIS LETTER. THIS MIGHT BE THE LAST LETTER THAT I EVER WRITE. HERES ARE NAMES OF OTHER INMATE STILL YET TO JOIN.

- JOSHUA BRAITHWAITE 475603
- DEMETRIUS THOMASON 502836
- LA BELL EVANS 533468
- DEMETRIUS COOPER 462446
- JARVIS DUKE 491486
- VERNON ANDERSON 509652
- ROBERT WRIGHT 305094
- DAIEN GREEN 384855
- JAMES LUKE 443244
- ELIJAH HENIGAN 467308

PLEASE LET ME NOTE: I DO NOT KNOW 100% SURE IF THESE INMATES ARE FORREAL OR NOT. THIS INFORMATION WAS JUST PASSED TO ME TO INFORM YOU.

Respectfully,


P.S.
CONTACT ME BACK. AS SOON AS YOU CAN.