

Subject: WARNING about the new Mont Clare Committeeman

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Dear UPRC Members:

Hope you all are well. When I ran for UPT Supervisor in 2017 and before I decided to withdrawal, I wrote the attached email to you all defending myself against the personal emails I wrote to John Leonard that were in turn given to Lisa Mossie who then decided to turn them over to the UPRC to tarnish my good name and put me in bad light before the 2017 endorsement meeting. You may recall that those personal emails between me and Mr. Leonard stemmed from him and his girlfriend(Caroline Bertino) stealing \$1,680 from my wife and I, that we still have not recovered to this day. Lisa denied her connection to Mr. Leonard and didn't know what I was talking about.

I'm writing this email to make you aware of who Mr. Leonard really is. After you read this and review the attachments, the question you should be asking yourselves.....Is it really a good idea to have this guy representing UPRC and the Montgomery County Republican party? I'll leave that up to you to decide.

1. ***Mr. Leonard's Court Dockets attached*** – He was charged and convicted with a host of crimes
2. ***Victim letters attached*** – These were attached to my original email. These are from people Mr. Leonard and Ms. Bertino have stolen from and or defrauded. One of the victims even mentions in her letter that she reached out to Lisa Mossie to make her aware of Mr. Leonard as he was attending UPT Board meetings on a regular basis and in front of the microphone regularly during community comments.
3. ***UPROV Police Incident Report*** - Attached is the UPROV Police incident report that I filed against Mr. Leonard for the theft by deception
4. ***20 Meredith Rd Home*** – Just so you're aware the house at 20 Meredith Rd, Phoenixville that Mr. Leonard resides in is undergoing foreclosure proceedings because the mortgage, taxes, insurance, etc haven't been paid in over 5 years. Mr. Leonard has bragged about this publicly. Mr. Leonard and Ms. Bertino are in essence squatters in that house.
5. ***Lies and deception*** – aside from the attachments here for your reading pleasure, Mr. Leonard has quite an imagination that you should be aware of. He has said that he's an informant for the FBI, I have a gambling problem and I'm tied to the Armenian mob(can't make this stuff up folks). He's told law enforcement that he trains canines for law enforcement. He's said that he is tied to the mob and that he was going to have the mob take care of me. I could go on and on!!

Let's discuss how we got here in the first place. Lisa has repeatedly denied she has any connection to Mr. Leonard which is a bold face lie! First of all, how could Mr. Leonard become of all things the Treasurer for the ***UPT Citizens for Good Government PAC*** that was formed with Don Madison against the 5 member UPT Board ballot question?

What's the connection between Don Madison and Mr. Leonard? Answer: Lisa Mossie

Mr. Leonard was at the polls supporting the other side(no surprise) for the UPT Ballot question to move the board from 3-5. We all know Lisa was against it.....do you really think they weren't connected?

My personal emails to Mr. Leonard after he stole from me that magically ended up in Lisa's hands! Yeah they don't know each right?

Lisa quits UPRC and then magically ends up as a write in and is back on the committee. Mr. Leonard was also a write in for UPRC and is now on the committee representing Mont Clare.

Just a coincidence right? Yeah, they don't know each other???

Lastly, Lisa also ran for Republican State Committee. Attached is a picture of her getting in her car in front of Mr. Leonard's house. She was getting signatures from Mr. Leonard and Ms. Bertino for her State Committee petition. I guess she doesn't know Mr. Leonard! Yeah right!

My question is.....why would Lisa associate herself with Mr. Leonard especially after she is acutely aware that he has a criminal record, has stolen from countless people and is a liar? We have all heard the saying that birds of a feather flock together, meaning that the company you keep reflects your personality. If you hang out with trash, you will be perceived as trash!

Best regards,

Jim White



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Dear Fellow Committee Members:

Happy New Year to you! I hope you all enjoyed the holidays with your family and friends! I've cc'd MCRC Chairman Donnelly and Area 4 Leader, Doug Hager & on this email. I'm writing this email in response to what I understand are personal emails that Lisa Mossie received from my neighbor and elected to distribute to a select few of you with the narrative that I bribed my neighbor and trying to put me in bad light with you for the upcoming endorsement vote. First, I think you all need to be aware of what can be considered blackmail that was delivered to me through our Municipal Leader, Gordon Pealock. Lisa Mossie delivered the following message to Gordon with the instruction of delivering it to me: "You tell Jim White that I want a public apology in the paper to me and my husband as well as the Barker's or I will release these emails to the committee". Not sure what I have to apologize for? Who does something like this? Stooping to this level? Is this the kind of person that we want on this committee and more importantly representing us in Upper Providence Township government?

As we all know, there are two sides to every story and I'm hoping this email and the supporting materials attached will clear this matter up once and for all and we can get back to focusing on the issues in UPROV and making this a great place for the residents to live, work and play. Please feel free to contact me directly should you have any questions or concerns.

These emails were personal communications between myself and a neighbor(John Leonard who lives at 20 Meredith Rd, Phoenixville). I have lived across the street from Mr. Leonard and his girlfriend, Carolyn Bertino for about 9 years.

Being our neighbors across the street and living in a tight knit neighborhood, Mr. Leonard and Ms. Bertino have been invited to and attended many family functions, birthday parties, Holy Communion parties, we threw a 50<sup>th</sup> Birthday for Mr. Leonard, political events, etc, etc. On December 9, 2015 Mr. Leonard came over to my home and while in my kitchen asked me for a \$1,680 loan for his girlfriend's attorney bill that had to be paid that week. He really gave me a guilt trip and made me feel sorry for them. Being in the Christmas spirit and feeling sorry for them I wrote a check in the amount of \$1,680 to John Leonard. I started making the check out to Carolyn Bertino since it was her bill and he quickly corrected me to make it out to John Leonard. That check is attached for your review(why would I bribe someone by giving them a check?). Mr. Leonard proceeds to tell me that Ms. Bertino is being gifted from her Mom for Christmas and that he would pay me back the day after Christmas and asked if cash would be ok. I said, "Listen I'm going to be on vacation until Jan 2<sup>nd</sup> just pay me when I get back". After I return on Jan 2<sup>nd</sup> I receive different stories from Mr. Leonard on why he can't pay me that particular week. The first excuse was Ms. Bertino's Mom was making her sign something before she could receive the money. The next excuse was the Mom had to go to the doctor's and wasn't around. This continued for weeks. I finally located the Mother at Shannondell Retirement community in Audubon. I called her and asked to meet with her which she agreed to. We met at Shannondell and I proceed to tell her what I've written above. She immediately put her face in her hands and started crying saying "Please tell me you didn't give them money, they stole over \$450,000 from me!" I said unfortunately, I did write him a check for \$1,680. In speaking with the Mother, she validated my suspicions. She was never gifting her Daughter, Carolyn and proceeds to say John and Carolyn were unable to pay their \$2,000 PECO bill and I gave them money for that. My daughter pays me \$20 a month towards that debt. The family than decides to hold an intervention with Carolyn Bertino which I was invited to. Carolyn arrives sees her sisters and Mom and is surprised to see me there. I make her and the family aware that I'm taping the conversation. During the intervention, Carolyn admits that she and John Leonard stole the \$1,680 from me and hundreds of thousands of dollars from her Mother. I leave the intervention and head directly to the Upper Providence Police Department and sit down with Officer Franchini(why would I go to the police if I bribed someone?). I proceed to play the audio tape and give him a copy of the check and file theft by deception charges against Mr. Leonard(Police Incident report attached). I'm contacted by Officer Franchini a week or so later and told that after speaking with the Detective they weren't going to file charges due to the dollar amount being under \$2,000. See the difference is anything under \$2,000 is considered a misdemeanor and over \$2,000 is a felony, so obviously Mr. Leonard knew what he was doing.

Since Dec 9, 2015 I've had to watch Mr. Leonard and Ms. Bertino coming and going from the home, walking their 5 dogs, watching a repo truck waiting in front of my house on a number of occasions trying to repo their car, than seeing them driving a brand new car, Montco Sheriffs visiting their house regularly, many visits from the UPROV Police Dept, Montco Sheriffs and lawyers holding a public auction and removing contents from the home due to Mr. Leonard and Ms. Bertino misleading and stealing from people, having their lawn cut by a professional company, having yard work and tree work done, paying for trash service, holding parties at the house, leading the opposition to the ballot question(Mr. Leonard is President of the ballot opposition PAC along with Don Madison as Treasurer)etc, etc.

Since meeting the family I have met other victims of John Leonard and Carolyn Bertino. So don't just take my word for it, I encourage you to read the attached victim letters of the other victims of John Leonard and Carolyn Bertino. As a matter of fact, one of the victims reached out to Lisa Mossie over email to warn her about Mr. Leonard and her only concern was how the victim got her personal email address.

Let's remember one thing, Mr. Leonard & Ms. Bertino are not the victims here.....me, my wife and two daughters are the victims here along with a host of other victims. We're the ones that were swindled out of \$1,680. If you research Mr. Leonard & Ms. Bertino you will find there are many names for their businesses run out of the 20 Meredith Rd address. Attached is a Yellowpages.com review on one of their former businesses Sheppard Freight Audit, 20 Meredith, Phoenixville, PA. As you can see in the review Mr. Leonard & Ms. Bertino swindled this victim out of money. Their most recent company is called S F Services, 20 Meredith Rd, Phoenixville, PA. Are you seeing a pattern here? Here's a link to a YouTube video from another victim seeking the help of other victims of Mr. Leonard & Ms. Bertino: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=q7OTdjnx9sI>

My question to all of you is.....How would you react if you're a good person and a good neighbor that would pretty much do anything for anyone and you find out you've been lied to and a neighbor steals \$1,680 from you? Why is Lisa Mossie associating herself with Mr. Leonard? I know they worked together on the opposition to the ballot question and if you look at the Dec Township meeting during Community Comments....you can see Lisa smiling at Mr. Leonard as he approaches the podium and proceeds to read a type written statement during community comments.  
<http://www.municipalmeeting.com/channel/video/December-5-2016-Upper-Providence-Board-Of-Supervisors/feaf8bc39c4dc9d0d8b9eaae051935de/4>

I mean this guy is a convicted criminal, spent time in jail, dodged paying child support for over 12 years and counting, steals money from countless good hearted people including strong suspicions of stealing from Alcoholics Anonymous, haven't paid their mortgage, insurance or any taxes in over 5 years and in essence squats in a \$1M dollar house. **See attached court dockets of Mr. Leonard's many crimes.**

I really question Lisa's judgement and why a sitting elected official would associate herself with a criminal such as John Leonard. She's been after me since day 1 of my involvement with this committee and the Montco GOP. She has written a letter to MCRC Chairman, Bill Donnelly trying to have me removed from UPRC, the blackmail I described above, trashes my good name constantly, attacked State Rep Mike Vereb in the newspaper and a Township meeting, constantly attacks public and non-public officials of both parties, and pretty much has trouble getting along with people in general. She tries to distract people, twists words and facts and is a divisive person.

So not only is Lisa associating with a "bad dude" but she fails to look at her own actions and record. I'm a facts driven individual so let's talk about the facts. First off, Lisa has now been in office for 5 years. Not sure how many of you pay attention to Township politics(if you don't you should) but here's what has occurred on Lisa's watch. I encourage you to watch the replays of Township meetings and see how Lisa is representing us in UPROV Township government. It's an embarrassment not only to our Party but she treats the office like high school drama.

1. Lisa's husband's vending machines magically ended up in the new Police Admin building. As a matter of fact, when I was still friendly with Mr. Leonard I asked him for a favor to go to the township meeting on Oct 5, 2015 and bring up the vending machines during community comments. **Oct 5' 2015 Township Meeting Link:** <http://www.municipalmeeting.com/channel/video/October-5-2015-Upper-Providence-Board-of-Supervisors-Meeting/13b45a50ed1c1e3974e227a368dba510/> He asked the question and Lisa didn't say a word and deferred to the Police Chief, Toomey. Remember, I wrote the \$1,680 check to Mr. Leonard on Dec 9, 2015. Why would I bribe someone to attend the Oct 5<sup>th</sup> Township meeting and pay them on Dec 9, 2015? It makes no sense! And by the way, our Chief of Police says in this video he's okay with the current arrangement he has with the current vending machine company! Yeah Lisa's husband! Her husband was seen refilling the machines and emptying the cash out of the machines.

Since Lisa was in charge of the police contract negotiation and they haven't had a contract in 2 years the Police boycotted the machines and the Chief told them to knock it off. My wife owns her own Security Software reseller business. If the Chief came to me and I was a sitting supervisor and he asked to buy security software or hardware through my wife, I would have respectfully declined due to the optics and potential conflict of interests.

2. Did you know, under Lisa's watch the township took \$5M from the Upper Providence Sewer Authority fund to pay **\$5M in cash** for the new police admin building? With interest rates at an all-time low, why wouldn't the supervisors and Solicitor do the financially responsible thing and raise a bond? Her fulltime job involves being a Commercial lender for a bank. Shouldn't you know better if that's your profession?

3. Did you know, under Lisa's watch the township has been running at a fiscal DEFICIT for the past 10 years? Never a balanced budget in her 5 years in office.

4. Lisa continues to defend the astronomical \$88k salary of our Parks & Rec Director, Sue Barker. Do you know what the average Parks & Rec Director salary is? It's \$45,500! Why does a sitting Supervisor's(Phil Barker) wife deserve a salary of this magnitude?

I know some of you disagreed with moving to a 5 member board and I respect your opinion. However what I laid out above warrants more representation in UPROV Township government. The voters spoke and want more

representation. Please don't let these personal emails sway you from endorsing me for Township Supervisor. I ran against Al and did not receive the endorsement. I promised I wouldn't run unendorsed and stuck to my promise and supported Al. Can I count on your endorsement vote?

Best regards,

Jim

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