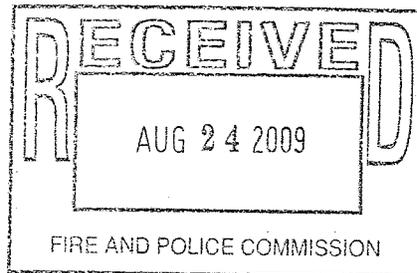




Police Department

Edward A. Flynn
Chief of Police

August 18, 2009



The Board of the
Fire and Police Commissioners
200 East Wells Street, Room 706
Milwaukee, WI 53202

Dear Commissioners:

This is to notify your Honorable Board that I have discharged Police Officer Ronald D. Bridges from the Department and ordered him suspended for five (5) consecutive working days without pay for violation of the following Department Rules:

RULE 4, SECTION 2/015.00: Members of the police force shall, at all times within the boundaries of the City, preserve the public peace, prevent crime, detect and arrest violators of the law, and protect life and property.

They shall conform to, abide by and enforce all the criminal laws of the State of Wisconsin and the ordinances of the city of Milwaukee of which the Department must take cognizance and they shall render their services to the City with zeal, courage, discretion, and fidelity. They shall render their services to the City in an efficient manner.

Members shall also observe the laws and ordinances in effect in any other jurisdiction while within such jurisdiction.

RULE 4, SECTION 2/045.00: When members are assigned to a work location for permanent duty, they shall immediately report their correct residence addresses on Form PN-2 to their respective commanding officers, and shall also report any changes in such addresses as soon as practical, i.e., their next tour of duty. Commanding officers or heads of bureaus shall promptly submit such information to the Administration Bureau. Members shall also report the telephone numbers in their residences, or in the event they have no telephone, the number of the nearest telephone through which they may be reached in cases of emergency.

A copy of Personnel Order 2009-137 concerning such disciplinary action is attached.

Respectfully submitted,

EDWARD A. FLYNN
CHIEF OF POLICE

Attachments
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PERSONNEL ORDER 2009 – 137

August 18, 2009

RE: DISCIPLINARY ACTION

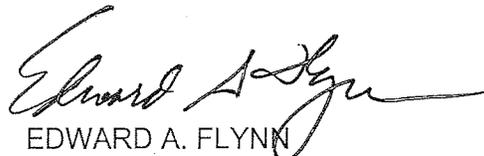
POLICE OFFICER RONALD D. BRIDGES, (007093), Fourth District, charged with violation of Department Rules and Procedures as follows:

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| Rule 4, Section 2/015.00: | Failure to conform to and abide by the criminal laws of the State of Wisconsin. |
| Rule 4, Section 2/045.00: | Failure to report change in address to his commanding officer by filing form PN-2. |

The charges having been substantiated, he is found guilty as charged and the penalty adjudged appropriate by the Chief of Police is as follows:

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| Failure to abide by the criminal laws in effect in the State of Wisconsin. | Discharged from Department. |
| Failure to report change in address to his commanding officer by filing form PN-2. | Five (5) day suspension without pay. |

It is hereby ordered that POLICE OFFICER RONALD D. BRIDGES be discharged from the Department and be suspended for five (5) consecutive working days without pay. It is also hereby ordered that POLICE OFFICER RONALD D. BRIDGES be removed from the payroll effective immediately pursuant to Wisconsin Statute § 62.50(18).



EDWARD A. FLYNN
CHIEF OF POLICE