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DANE COUNTY, WI
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Honorable Jacob Frost
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STATE OF WISCONSIN.

CIRCUIT COURT

DANE COUNTY

James Fetzer, Ph.D.

Pro Se

Case No.:

Plaintiff,

v.

Jennifer Pagenkopf

Type of Action: Civil Complaint –

Chief of Police

Non-Performance of Duty and

Village of Oregon, Wisconsin

Request for Criminal Referral

and

Phil Van Kampen

Village President

Village of Oregon, Wisconsin.

Jury Trial Demand

Defendants.

COMPLAINT

Plaintiff James Fetzer, Ph.D., Pro Se, hereby submits the following complaint for non-performance of duty and request for criminal referral as follows:

PARTIES

1. Plaintiff, James Fetzer, Ph.D., resides at 800 Violet Lane, Oregon, Wisconsin.
2. Defendant, Jennifer Pagenkopf, is the duly appointed Chief of Police for the Village of Oregon, Wisconsin.
3. Defendant, Phil Van Kampen, is the elected Village President of Oregon, Wisconsin.

JURISDICTION AND VENUE

4. This Court has jurisdiction pursuant to **Wis. Stat. § 801.05**.

5. Venue is proper in Dane County under **Wis. Stat. § 801.50**, as the events giving rise to this complaint occurred in Oregon, Wisconsin.

STATEMENT OF FACTS

6. On or about 25 July 2025, and previously during personal communication at Plaintiff's home, Plaintiff submitted formal complaints to the Oregon Police Department alleging multiple violations of Wisconsin criminal statutes, which now appear to include but are not limited to:

- **Wis. Stat. § 947.0125 – Unlawful use of computerized communication systems**
- **Wis. Stat. § 942.01 – Defamation**
- **Wis. Stat. § 995.50 – Invasion of Privacy**
- **Wis. Stat. § 813.125 – Harassment**
- **Wis. Stat. § 944.21 – Lewd, obscene or indecent materials**
- **Wis. Stat. § 947.01 – Disorderly Conduct**
- **Wis. Stat. § 940.285 – Abuse of Individuals at Risk**

7. Plaintiff provided extensive documentation, including hundreds of examples of harassing, defamatory, and obscene messages sent via electronic communication systems, in violation of the above statutes, by Victor Hugo Vaca Jr.

8. These may be accessed at [BitChute.com](https://bitchute.com) by searching under "[Victor Hugo, Jim Fetzer](#)", five examples of which are attached as Exhibits A-E.

9. Differences of opinion – including videos reporting them – properly fall within the protection of freedom of speech and of the press, but that is not the case here.

10. His conduct constitutes cyberstalking under **18 U.S.C. § 2261A** and criminal harassment under **Wis. Stat. § 947.013** – which includes **(1m) (b)** Engaging in a course of conduct or repeatedly commits acts which harass or intimidate the person, and which serve no legitimate purpose.

11. Criminal harassment is repeated conduct that causes a person to fear for their safety or

well-being, including repeated unwanted communications, following, or cyberstalking

12. Repeated contact can include repeatedly calling or messaging someone, even if the content isn't violent.

13. Cyberstalking involves the use of the Internet, social media, or other digital tools to repeatedly harass or monitor someone.

14. Criminal harassment can include other conduct with no legitimate purpose that is intended to alarm, annoy, or embarrass someone, such as publishing false information online.

15. Had Vaca only published a dozen or fewer of these defamatory, harassing, and (even) elder-abusive videos, the Oregon Police Department might be excused from its inaction.

16. Vaca has repeatedly targeted the Plaintiff and his colleagues, by reporting as truth and falsely depicting them repeatedly and obsessively – for a period now spanning 10 months.

17. Vaca's posts have included obscene thumbnails, commentary, and recurring emails distributed to hundreds of news organizations and prominent individuals within professional communities, falsely accusing them of professional and sexual misconduct, misreporting and weaponizing their private emails to cast them in a false light and in violation of their privacy, maligning them – and [there are over 900 of them](#).

18. Vaca has not merely cast aspersions upon them but hijacked and smeared their online identities for the purpose of criminal harassment and defamation with a view to destroying their livelihoods, careers, and reputations.

19. The harassment has been persistent, relentless, and ongoing, with hateful, defamatory, harassing conduct and depictions emailed, posted in thumbnails, spoken in commentary and in comments, and marketed all over the Internet, with no signs of stopping or slowing down.

20. On 5 August 2025, Defendant Pagenkopf notified Plaintiff, "This is not a matter the

Oregon Police Department is going to take action on.”

21. On 13 September 2025, Plaintiff requested Defendant Van Kampen direct the Oregon Police Department to act on Plaintiff’s submission.

22. The alleged offender, Victor Hugo Vaca Jr., resides in the Republic of Georgia, and the Oregon Police Department has declined to pursue the matter without offering any substantive justification.

23. Plaintiff has repeatedly requested assistance from the Oregon Police Department and, upon refusal, sought help from the Dane County Sheriff’s Office, which declined to intervene.

24. Plaintiff has been forced to sue BitChute and Rumble for non-enforcement of their own “Terms of Service”, *BitChute and Rumble Sued for Violating Own “Terms of Service”: Punitive Penalties Could Run \$30 Million Each* (<https://jameshfetzer.org/2025/08/bitchute-and-rumble-sued-for-violating-own-terms-of-service-punitive-penalties-could-run-30-million-each/>)

25. The platforms are not enforcing their contracts to mitigate abuse. They have been sent cease and desist notices, and yet the criminal abuse continues.

26. Plaintiff has also requested that Defendant Van Kampen, Village President, direct the Oregon Police Department to act on Plaintiff’s complaint, with no response.

27. Plaintiff is a long-standing resident of Oregon, a former Marine Corps officer, and a retired professor of philosophy, who has been denied lawful protection despite clear statutory violations.

LEGAL BASIS FOR CHARGES

28. The following statutes collectively support Plaintiff’s assertion that Defendants have failed to enforce the law, possibly due to political pressure or other improper influence.

- **Wis. Stat. § 946.12(1):** Refusal to perform a known duty
- **Wis. Stat. § 946.12(3):** Abuse of discretionary power for dishonest advantage
- **Wis. Stat. § 946.10:** Bribery and political influence

- **15 U.S. Code § 6851:** Civil action relating to disclosure of intimate images

29. It's incumbent upon law enforcement to investigate crimes and protect its citizens from harm upon notification. Law enforcement must begin at the local level.

JURY DEMAND

30. Plaintiff respectfully requests a jury of twelve persons on all claims triable.

PRAYER FOR RELIEF

31. Plaintiff respectfully requests that the Court:

- a. Declare that Defendants failed to perform their official duties.
- b. Order appropriate corrective or disciplinary measures.
- c. Refer the matter for criminal investigation under **Wis. Stat. §§ 946.12, 946.10**, and other applicable statutes.
- d. Permit Plaintiff to share the criminal complaint with INTERPOL, given the international residence of the alleged offender.
- e. Fine Defendants \$1,000 per day apiece since 5 August 2025 (to be paid by them personally to Plaintiff) for the pain and suffering caused by their ongoing dereliction of duty.
- f. Award costs and any other relief the Court deems just and proper.

Respectfully submitted,



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Date: 28 October 2025

EXHIBITS

These are five examples of (what has now exceeded) [900 videos by Victor Hugo Vaca Jr.](#), which have been published on BitChute and Rumble, the overwhelming majority of which are attacking Plaintiff and colleagues who have spoken up on my behalf. They were also previously sent to the Defendants, where there are hundreds and hundreds more in clear violation of Wisconsin statutes

EXHIBIT A

Having learned that my mother had committed suicide (when I was 11 years of age), Victor used the opportunity to suggest that I was somehow implicated in her “suspicious” death (by murder)? Knowing that I suffered a heart attack in February 2023, there has been speculation that Victor has been attempting to induce another, which on several occasions he has rather openly admitted.



URL: <https://rumble.com/v6x090y-jim-fetzer-compared-to-psycho-norman-bates-article-questions-suspicious-sui.html>

EXHIBIT B

For reasons never fully explained, Victor has also attacked Susan Bradford, a colleague who wrote to him in my defense, in a sincere effort to mitigate the conflict between us. We were attacked as suffering from mental health issues. Curiously, because of my wife's skepticism about my relations with participants in the Sandy Hook shooting event – which my research has proven to have been a FEMA exercise presented as mass murder to promote gun control – I have undergone dementia tests and come out clean on cognitive tests (twice) 27/30 and 28/30 but also a brain scan showing no signs of dementia. This suggests that Victor may have made access to my personal medical records in his ongoing efforts to destroy my public reputation.



URL: <https://rumble.com/v6x0fqu-jim-fetzer-susan-bradford-show-signs-of-mental-illness-use-fbi-dan-bongino-.html>

On my (collaborative) Sandy Hook research, see: Sandy Hook: What we Know Now that We Didn't Know Then (10 February 2024) <https://www.bitchute.com/video/U5lxB2bvX8qV>

EXHIBIT C

Victor's style is to take any word, phrase, or expression and distort its original meaning and context in order to vilify and smear his targets. Discussion of the genocide in Gaza has (as is well-known) generated world-wide condemnation of Israel for the wanton slaughter. My co-host, Paul Hilf, has argued for "White Lives Matter" and variations on the theme, which is all appropriate in open discussion and debate on radio talk shows that I regularly host. But, for Victor, virtually any discussion of any subject under the Sun provides more ammunition for his relentless, vicious and (often) sadistic attacks, where he appears to be being paid by the piece.

**Sofia Smallstorm Jim Fetzer Paul Hilf Avowed Racist Affiliation Raises Alarm After Terrorist Threat**

10 hours ago

URL: <https://rumble.com/v6x18sw-sofia-smallstorm-jim-fetzer-paul-hilf-avowed-racist-affiliation-raises-alar.html>

EXHIBIT D

Victor has been especially brutal toward Susan Bradford, who wrote on my behalf to explain that his attacks on me were not well-founded. Victor specializes in front-loading his attacks by which is meant that he creates “cover art” that demeans, slanders, or otherwise discredits them, and uses the captions to convey his message. Plaintiff has described his efforts as “political pornography”, where the content of the videos frequently bears no relationship to the covers and their captions. He seeks refuge from prosecution by claiming to be “reporting” and “defending free speech”, but actions and pattern of abuse they represent are clearly “anything but” expressions of free speech.

**VictorHugo Reads Kinky Email Sex Starved Susan Bradford Sent To Senile Jim Fetzer Herpes Russ Winter**

URL: <https://rumble.com/v6x0y7g-victorhugo-reads-kinky-email-sex-starved-susan-bradford-sent-to-senile-jim-.html>

EXHIBIT E

Victor has shown an obsession with gay sex since at least 2008, when *The New Times of Miami* published about his hanging a banner of a 4-foot-long penis from a balcony as a publicity stunt [“Courtroom Antics from one of Miami's strangest”](#) (11 December 2008). Now he implies that I am gay by smearing me and (even) marketing underwear with my name on it. Just for the record, I am straight with a son by my first wife and a daughter by my second. He has no moral qualms.



URL: <https://victorhugoart.gumroad.com/l/fetzer-gay-tranny-undies>

Defendants have had these exhibits in their possession since at least 3 August 2025 and have not only taken no corrective action but, as the Chief of Police informed me, intend to take no action.