

Frank,

I received verification last week from my client that the retraction email had been sent. I will request verification which I can provide to you. Thanks again.

John Nicolucci

In my previous email to the MAPO Board dated November 2, 2016, I stated:

[I]t has come to our attention that leadership of POAM has been meeting with the Snyder Administration and MML on pension reform and reductions to health care.

The Snyder Administration and MML have clearly identified the weak link and are trying to get them to sign off on something for lame duck so they can claim "public safety" is on board.

Based on information I have received since sending that correspondence, it is clear that POAM is equally opposed to the damaging proposed legislation I referenced in my email. Given that the statement in my email about POAM being "stupid and untrustworthy" and a "weak link" was based upon inaccurate information about its activities, I am hereby retracting those comments.

I apologize to POAM and regret the statements made concerning POAM and any harm those statements may have caused to POAM in their effort to fight damaging legislation.

In this time of impending assaults on the compensation and working conditions of Michigan police officers, we are all unified in our efforts to preserve the working conditions, compensation, and most of all, the public safety of all police officers. It is important to maintain that unity.

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*Note - The above retraction was written by MAPO lobbyist Jim Curran from Karoub Associates.