



January 28, 2026

The Honorable Darnell T. Brewer
State Representative House District 22
77 S. High St. 10th Floor
Columbus, Ohio 43215

Dear Representative Brewer,

Thank you for your recent correspondence. Our CEO shared your letter regarding the Civilian Review Board's review of the May 30, 2025 incident, and I appreciate the opportunity to address your concerns directly.

As you may recall, we met and spoke at length on June 2, 2025, just days after the incident. I provided my direct contact information and offered to review all related body-worn camera footage with you in person. The head of our Ombudsman Office, which oversees the formal complaint process, also participated in the call and explained how that process works. Neither you nor anyone else filed a formal complaint following that discussion, nor did we receive any additional concerns or requests for follow-up.

However, because of the concerns you shared, I personally initiated our internal review and then moved the matter through our established process. The Civilian Review Board, a panel of non-police Cleveland Clinic employees, reviewed the incident and reached its findings based on the evidence presented.

Your recent correspondence indicates you would like the matter revisited, so I am treating your letter as a formal complaint. An Inspector from our Protective Services Department will contact you to schedule an interview. If you provide information not previously available to the Board, I will reconvene the Civilian Review Board for additional review. If no new information is identified, the Board's prior findings will stand.

I acknowledge the broader concerns you raised about communication and clarity around our procedures. We continually review our processes to ensure they support fairness and transparency, and your feedback will be considered as part of that ongoing work.

Thank you again for reaching out. Please contact me if you have further questions.

Respectfully,



Deon McCaulley
Chief of Police
Cleveland Clinic Police Department