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Len:

A couple things on Dassey.

First, the Sheriff's Dept has hundreds of records from the Avery clan's phones (cell and land lines) dating back from June 2005 as I recall...most seem irrelevant, but because we have them you are entitled to them.

Mark Wiegert was wondering if you would like them transmissted to you in electronic format? Seems a good solution to me. Let me know.

Second, Steve Avery's Grand Am was seized, searched, processed and is ready to be released...if you want that car retained for any reason, let me know by correspondence by 3/31 (or it will be released). I can't imagine that it needs to be retained.

Third, transcripts are being done for the 2/27 and 3/1 statements of your client. They will be given to you when they are done (next week). Please understand that consistent with State v. Allen, I am expecting a "detailed" motion to suppress the statements, and reasons why you claim they may be inadmissible...I hope you can provide that well before the 5/4 hearing date.

Fourth, we have a box of discovery for you in our office, as you know. We also have a great deal of materials that seem relevant only to Avery, but which you may wish to look through...why don't you stop by sometime soon and tell us what you want by way of discovery.

Fifth, if Avery is granted a prelim on his new charges (Sexual Assault, False Imp. and Kidnapping) your client will be called as a witness, and I assume granted "use immunity" for that hearing only. You can discuss that with him, if it comes about. It's set for 4/13, if it happens at all. Judge Willis still needs to decide that issue.

Finally, there are some items of physical evidence that are still "missing" in this case...I know with all the stuff that's been recovered it's hard to believe there can be more. But, we speculate that Uncle Steve took some digital photos (during or after this series of crimes). Avery's digital camera has not been recovered. Obviously, if found, that would go a long way to ensuring your client may not have to testify. If he

has information that is helpful to the recovery of other physical evidence, including a camera, I'd like to know. Please speak with him about that. Also, your client speaks of "hair that is cut off Teresa" by the 2 of them during the homicide...that has not been recovered yet. Again, any information your client is willing to share would be helpful.

I assume we can discuss any plea potential after the 5/4 motions, but after you watch and listen to the interview (videotaped, and full provision of Miranda, and his mom is in the hallway), you may wish to discuss a plea even before the hearing. I suspect we will be discussing a plea to all 3 charges, but consider a favorable position on Extended Supervision eligibility.

If you, or your client, have any further ideas about his case, or the eventual Avery trial, I am happy to listen. I'm sure you know the kinds of things we are looking for from your client. Have a good weekend.

Ken