STATE OF LOUISIANA COURT OF APPEAL, THIRD CIRCUIT

CA 05-31 consolidated with CA 05-32, CA 05-33, CA 05-29, and CA 05-30

WILLIAM JAMES PICARD, ET AL.

VERSUS

CITY OF LAFAYETTE

APPEAL FROM THE
FIFTEENTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT
PARISH OF LAFAYETTE, NO. 99-1688, NO. 2000-0526,
NO. 2000-5288, NO. 99-1343, and NO. 99-1543
HONORABLE EDWARD D. RUBIN, DISTRICT JUDGE

JAMES T. GENOVESE JUDGE

Court composed of Glenn B. Gremillion, Billy H. Ezell, and James T. Genovese, Judges.

AFFIRMED.

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For the reasons assigned in the companion and consolidated case of *Larry M. Bailey, et al. v. City of Lafayette*, 05-29 (La.App. 3 Cir. __/__/05), ____ So.2d ____, the judgment of the trial court granting the Plaintiffs' motion for partial summary judgment and denying Defendant's motion for partial summary judgment on the issue of liability is affirmed. Costs of this appeal are assessed against the Defendant-Appellant, City of Lafayette (Lafayette City-Parish Consolidated Government).

AFFIRMED.