



# City of Gainesville

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200 East University Avenue  
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## Legislation Text

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**PRESTON L. JACKSON, III V. DUANE DIEHL AND GAINESVILLE POLICE DEPARTMENT;  
COURT CASE NO. 1:16-CV-166 (B)**

The City Commission authorize the City Attorney and/or special counsel if insurance coverage is available to represent the City and the individual officer in the case styled Preston L. Jackson, III v. Duane Diehl and Gainesville Police Department; Court Case No. 1:16-CV-166.

On June 6, 2016, Officer Diehl received a First Amended Civil Rights Complaint filed by Preston L. Jackson, III. In 2014, Mr. Jackson was arrested for trespass after warning, battery on a law enforcement officer and resisting arrest with violence. Mr. Jackson claims to have sustained injuries. Mr. Jackson is seeking compensatory damages.