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Greene Case Could Lead To More Investigations

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DETROIT -- Investigators looking into the Tamara Greene murder case and the pending civil lawsuit are examining hundreds of thousands city officials' text messages, which could lead to more investigations.

John Curry, a professor at the University of Detroit, told Local 4 that while two court-appointed magistrates read through the text messages from Mayor Kwame Kilpatrick, former Detroit Chief of Police Jerry Oliver, current Chief Ella Bully-Cummings and others, they are duty-bound to alert officials of signs of wrongdoing, if uncovered.

Which could launch new investigations, not just pertaining to Tamara Greene.

The messages could also be put into a public file for everyone to see.

Skytel will be sending all of the text message information to federal court in Detroit.

The mayor's office had to give the judge a user list by March 17.

Judges have already been reviewing text messages from April 30, 2003, the night Tamara Greene died in a hail of gunfire.

They are also looking at text messages from Aug. 1, 2002, two days before the earliest possible date the Manoogian party might have happened through May 10, 2003, two days after former deputy chief Gary Grown was fired, and from May 11, 2003 when the Tamara Greene murder case went to the cold case file until a year later.

Greene, 27, whose stage name was Strawberry, allegedly danced at the rumored Manoogian Mansion party. She was later shot and killed and the homicide remains unsolved.

Despite denials by the mayor and a state investigation that claims the party was an urban legend, the story has persisted and has been fueled by a \$150 million federal lawsuit filed on behalf of Greene's 14-year-old son.

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