

NO WORD ON COST OF INVESTIGATION

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for at the time had a contract with the town.

Around September 2018, they started dating, the woman, who asked not to be named, said in an interview. That fall, she says he took her to two work conferences for first responders, one in Barrie, the other in Walkerton. She says it's her understanding her expenses were covered by the town.

Milton hired an investigator from a Toronto law firm that specializes in workplace investigations. The town would not say how much it spent on the three-month investigation.

As part of the probe, the investigator requested copies of Staver's Highway 407 receipts and other documents that supported where she was the nights she alleged the sexual encounters took place. Then



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in early March, Staver found out that the investigation was done and back in the hands of Milton.

She only found out about Pratt's departure from Milton after the Milton Cham-

pion broke the story. She finally heard from the town again on March 29, in a terse letter that said her complaint had been investigated and Pratt is "no longer employed by the town."



Graham Paine/Metroland

Milton Fire Department - Car One, the Dodge Durango was assigned to former Chief Dave Pratt. It is now parked in back of Milton fire headquarters.

As part of the probe, the investigator also looked into Staver's allegation that her sex with Pratt may have

been filmed on a dashboard camera. That concern is what compelled her to complain to the town in the first

place, Staver said. A Milton official told Staver that no images of her were found during the investigation.



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