The search for counsel

Selected passages from the Wingo account of the consultations and changes in representation. The quoted words below come from the submitted Scene 3 narrative.

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“John attended a consultation with three attorneys from Bantz, Gosch & Cremer: Greg Peterson, Joshua Wurgler, and Marshall Lovrien.”

John describes sharing recordings at that meeting. The archived voicemail documents an invitation to meet. Joshua Wurgler’s July 23 letter records the consultation and explains the firm’s decision to decline the case.

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“Johnson Janklow Abdallah then referred John to Rosebud Law, who, in turn, referred him to Robert Trzynka”

The draft describes a joint engagement in July. The July agreement page identifies Trzynka’s firm. A March 2022 proposal names both firms, and John says it was unsigned. The August 25 call records Trzynka bringing Rolf Fiebiger into a discussion with John.

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“Upon returning to Colorado, John contacted the McCollum Crowley law firm in Denver.”

The draft recounts an April meeting in Minnesota about the filing deadline. John’s May 10 email ended the earlier representation and requested his file. The May 27 agreement signed for McCollum Crowley by Wesley J. Cornwell documents the next step.

Source: Scene 3, “The Wingo v. 3M Scandal,” 31-page submitted narrative. Page numbers refer to the uploaded PDF. The accompanying notes identify the documents and recordings discussed in the timeline.