

From: [Griffith, Timothy](#)
To: [Bell, Ken](#)
Cc: [White, Thomas](#)
Subject: FW: Software for Facial Recognition Computer
Date: Monday, August 3, 2015 8:47:57 AM

Ken:

Apparently Forensics no longer oversees that computer (see Kathy Pendrak's reply below). If there is a way to at least get Office on that computer, it would be a step in the right direction. If we can get Photoshop approved and purchased, that would be great too.

Tim

From: Griffith, Timothy
Sent: Friday, July 31, 2015 8
To: Pendrak, Kathleen
Subject: RE: Software for Facial Recognition Computer

Thank you. I'll redirect my request.

Tim

Detective Tim Griffith
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Sent from my Verizon Wireless 4G LTE Smartphone

----- Original message -----

From: "Pendrak, Kathleen"
Date: 07/31/2015 08:43 (GMT-08:00)
To: "Griffith, Timothy"
Subject: RE: Software for Facial Recognition Computer

Tim,

Ken Bell is misinformed – the computer belongs to CID. You should be able to purchase Photoshop (yearly subscription) with CID funds and have Office installed by submitting a request to IT Support. Lt. Maule is now the contact person for facial recognition – I just took the liberty of getting it installed. The annual cost for Photoshop is \$131.27 – we just purchased a license in June – we submitted an RFP and Angie Skrabak ordered it.

Thanks ,

Kathy

From: Griffith, Timothy
Sent: Thursday, July 30, 2015 3:59 PM

To: Pendrak, Kathleen
Cc: Bell, Ken; White, Thomas
Subject: Software for Facial Recognition Computer

Kathy:

Ken Bell tells me that the facial recognition computer is under your authority, so I'm sending this your way.

At this point, that computer does not have Office installed, so we can't open Word documents, save emails, etc. Often, when we're working with facial recognition requests, there is a bulletin or email associated which we'd like to review as a part of the work, but we have trouble opening them on that computer.

Also, it has been recommended that we use Photoshop to assist in clarifying still images as a part of the facial recognition process. Photoshop requires a license and we don't have it installed on any of our computers, but it seems to make sense to have it available on that computer. In the meantime, we've been using free programs such as Paint.net to work with still images.

Would it be possible to have the Microsoft Office suite and Photoshop installed onto that computer to assist us with the facial recognition system?

Let me know if you need anything from me to assist with that.

Thanks.

Tim

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