State of Minnesota
County of Blue Earth

District Court
5th Judicial District

Prosecutor File No. 0070114635
Court File No. 07-CR-26-4759

State of Minnesota,

Plaintiff,

vs.

KYLE JOSEPH FREDERICK DOB: 02/06/1989

61202 206th Street
Eagle Lake, MN 56024

Defendant.

COMPLAINT

Summons

The Complainant submits this complaint to the Court and states that there is probable cause to believe Defendant committed the following offense(s):

COUNT I

Charge: Traffic - DWI - Operate Motor Vehicle Under Influence of Alcohol
Minnesota Statute: 169A.20.1(1), with reference to: 169A.26.2
Maximum Sentence: 364 days or $3,000 fine, or both
Offense Level: Gross Misdemeanor

Offense Date (on or about): 10/31/2026

Control #(ICR#): 26022521

Charge Description: On or about October 31, 2026, in the County of Blue Earth, Minnesota, Kyle Joseph Frederick, did drive, operate, or was in physical control of any motor vehicle when he/she was under the influence of alcohol, and one aggravating factor was present when the violation was committed.

COUNT II

Charge: Traffic - DWI - Operate Motor Vehicle - Alcohol Concentration 0.08 Within 2 Hours
Minnesota Statute: 169A.20.1(5), with reference to: 169A.26.2
Maximum Sentence: 364 days or $3,000 fine, or both
Offense Level: Gross Misdemeanor

Offense Date (on or about): 10/31/2026

Control #(ICR#): 26022521

Charge Description: On or about October 31, 2026, in the County of Blue Earth, Minnesota, Kyle Joseph Frederick, did, drive, operate, or was in physical control of any motor vehicle, when his/her alcohol concentration at the time, or as measured within two hours of the time, of driving, operating or being in physical control of the motor vehicle was 0.08 or more, and one aggravating factor was present when the violation was committed.

STATEMENT OF PROBABLE CAUSE

On October 31st, 2026, Deputy Grassman and Deputy Guetter of the Blue Earth County Sheriff's Office were dispatched to a report of a pickup truck that had left the roadway and crashed into some trees near Eagle Lake within Blue Earth County. Deputy Guetter arrived first and spoke with Kyle Joseph Frederick (DOB: 02/06/1989), who was identified as the driver of the truck. Frederick was sitting in the driver's seat of the truck when Deputy Guetter arrived.

Deputy Grassman arrived on scene and also noted that he could smell an odor of alcohol coming from Frederick's person and the immediate area. Deputy Grassman also noted that Frederick was slurring his words, his face was slightly blushed in color, and his eyes were showing to be red/bloodshot in color. Deputy Grassman asked Frederick to perform Standardized Field Sobriety Testing (SFSTs) and Frederick complied.

Deputy Grassman observed numerous clues of alcohol impairment throughout the SFSTs. Deputy Grassman noted that Frederick performed poorly in the horizontal gaze nystagmus test, the walk and turn test, and the one leg stand test. Frederick was asked to provide a portable breath test (PBT) sample and Frederick agreed to do so. Frederick's PBT sample registered a .262 alcohol level. Frederick was taken into custody and transported to the Blue Earth County Justice Center.

At the Blue Earth County Justice Center, Deputy Grassman read Frederick the implied consent breath test advisory and Frederick agreed to take the breath test. Frederick provided a breath test result of .24 BAC. The test was taken within two hours of Frederick's driving conduct.

During the interaction with Deputy Grassman, Frederick did acknowledge having consumed two glasses of wine prior to driving.

SIGNATURES AND APPROVALS

Complainant requests that Defendant, subject to bail or conditions of release, be:
(1) arrested or that other lawful steps be taken to obtain Defendant's appearance in court; or
(2) detained, if already in custody, pending further proceedings; and that said Defendant otherwise be dealt with according to law.

Complainant declares under penalty of perjury that everything stated in this document is true and correct. Minn. Stat. § 358.116; Minn. R. Crim. P. 2.01, subds. 1, 2.

Complainant

Paul Barta
Captain
401 Carver Rd
Mankato, MN 56002-0228
Badge: 2721

Electronically Signed:
11/09/2026 09:39 AM
Blue Earth County, Minnesota

Being authorized to prosecute the offenses charged, I approve this complaint.

Prosecuting Attorney

Benjamin R. Chapman
Assistant County Attorney
401 Carver Road
PO Box 3129
Mankato, MN 56002
(507) 304-4600

Electronically Signed:
11/05/2026 04:41 PM

FINDING OF PROBABLE CAUSE

From the above sworn facts, and any supporting affidavits or supplemental sworn testimony, I, the Issuing Officer, have determined that probable cause exists to support, subject to bail or conditions of release where applicable, Defendant's arrest or other lawful steps be taken to obtain Defendant's appearance in court, or Defendant's detention, if already in custody, pending further proceedings. Defendant is therefore charged with the above-stated offense(s).

[X] SUMMONS

THEREFORE YOU, THE DEFENDANT, ARE SUMMONED to appear as directed in the Notice of Hearing before the above-named court to answer this complaint.

IF YOU FAIL TO APPEAR in response to this SUMMONS, a WARRANT FOR YOUR ARREST shall be issued.

[ ] WARRANT

To the Sheriff of the above-named county; or other person authorized to execute this warrant: I order, in the name of the State of Minnesota, that the Defendant be apprehended and arrested without delay and brought promptly before the court (if in session), and if not, before a Judge or Judicial Officer of such court without unnecessary delay, and in any event not later than 36 hours after the arrest or as soon as such Judge or Judicial Officer is available to be dealt with according to law.

[ ] ***Execute in MN Only*** [ ] ***Execute Nationwide*** [ ] ***Execute in Border States***

[ ] ORDER OF DETENTION

Since the Defendant is already in custody, I order, subject to bail or conditions of release, that the Defendant continue to be detained pending further proceedings.

Bail: $
Conditions of Release:

This complaint, duly subscribed and sworn to or signed under penalty of perjury, is issued by the undersigned Judicial Officer as of the following date: November 9, 2026.

Judicial Officer Mark Betters
District Court Judge

Electronically Signed: 11/09/2026 09:51 AM

Sworn testimony has been given before the Judicial Officer by the following witnesses:

COUNTY OF BLUE EARTH
STATE OF MINNESOTA

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Kyle Joseph Frederick

Defendant

LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICER RETURN OF SERVICE
I hereby Certify and Return that I have served a copy of this Summons upon the Defendant herein named.

Signature of Authorized Service Agent: