

State of Minnesota
County of Blue Earth

District Court
5th Judicial District

Prosecutor File No. 0070114061
Court File No. 07-CR-26-3520

State of Minnesota,

Plaintiff,

vs.

BRADLEY ALLEN SCHLUETER DOB: 06/17/1968

No Permanent Address
Mankato, MN 56001

Defendant.

COMPLAINT

Order of Detention

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: Predatory Offender - Knowingly commits act or fails to fulfill registration requirement

Minnesota Statute: 243.166.5(a)(1), with reference to: 243.166.5(c)

Maximum Sentence: 5 years or \$10,000 fine, or both

Offense Level: Felony

Offense Date (on or about): 08/04/2026 to 08/25/2026

Control #(ICR#): 26027076

Charge Description: On or between August 4, 2026 and August 25, 2026, in the County of Blue Earth, Minnesota, Bradley Allen Schlueter did, as a person required to register under section 243.166 who was given notice, knows, or reasonably should know of the duty to register and who knowingly committed an act or failed to fulfill a requirement that violates any provision of this section.

STATEMENT OF PROBABLE CAUSE

Officer Casillas of the Mankato Department of Public Safety is assigned to the Predatory Offender Registration Tracking Team. Bradley Schluter (DOB: 06/17/1968) is required to register as a predatory offender in the State of Minnesota as a result of a 2013 5th Degree Criminal Sexual Conduct conviction (Court File # 07-CR-13-1314). Schluter's registration requirements have been extended due to multiple prior POR convictions.

Schluter was released from the Blue Earth County Jail on August 4, 2026. Prior to his release, Schluter completed a MN BCA POR Change of Information Form, stating that he was homeless in the City of Mankato. As a homeless registrant, Schluter is required to check-in weekly with law enforcement. Schluter has completed weekly check-ins in the past and is aware of the requirements.

Schluter has not completed any of the required weekly check-ins with local law enforcement since his release from Blue Earth County Jail on August 4, 2026.

Schluter has previously been convicted of Failure to Register as a Predatory Offender in Court Files # 07-CR-22-4482, 07-CR-14-2796, and 07-CR-14-1221.

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

Adam Gray
Operations Commander
710 S Front St
Mankato, MN 56001-3803
Badge: 3117

Electronically Signed:
08/25/2026 10:49 AM
Blue Earth County, Minnesota

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

Prosecuting Attorney

John L.V. Brooks
Assistant Blue Earth County
Attorney
401 Carver Road
PO Box 3129
Mankato, MN 56002
(507) 304-4600

Electronically Signed:
08/25/2026 09:43 AM

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).

☐ 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: August 25, 2026.

Judicial Officer

Kristine Weeks
District Court Judge

Electronically Signed: 08/25/2026 10:57 AM

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

COUNTY OF BLUE EARTH
STATE OF MINNESOTA

State of Minnesota

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Bradley Allen Schlueter

Defendant

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

Signature of Authorized Service Agent: