

State of Minnesota
County of Blue Earth

District Court
5th Judicial District

Prosecutor File No. 0070113549
Court File No. 07-CR-26-2316

State of Minnesota,

Plaintiff,

vs.

JULIAN MICHAEL YBARRA DOB: 07/13/2007

204 1st Avenue Se
Mapleton, MN 56065

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: Damage to Property - 1st Degree - Value Reduced Over \$1000

Minnesota Statute: 609.595.1(4)

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

Offense Level: Felony

Offense Date (on or about): 06/08/2026

Control #(ICR#): 26017758

Charge Description: On or about June 8, 2026 in the County of Blue Earth, Minnesota, Julian Michael Ybarra did intentionally cause damage to another person's physical property without the other person's consent, and the damage reduced the value of the property by more than \$1,000.00, as measured by the cost of repair and replacement.

COUNT II

Charge: Burglary - 3rd Degree - Enters w/out consent with intent to Steal/Commit Felony or Gross Misdemeanor

Minnesota Statute: 609.582.3(a)

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

Offense Level: Felony

Offense Date (on or about): 06/08/2026

Control #(ICR#): 26017758

Charge Description: On or about June 8, 2026, in the County of Blue Earth, Minnesota, Julian Michael Ybarra, did enter a building without consent and with intent to steal or commit any felony or gross misdemeanor while in the building, or entered a building without consent and did steal or commits a felony or gross misdemeanor while in the building, either directly or as an accomplice.

COUNT III

Charge: Liquor-Consumption by persons under 21

Minnesota Statute: 340A.503.1(a)(2)

Maximum Sentence: 90 days or \$1,000 fine, or both.

Offense Level: Misdemeanor

Offense Date (on or about): 06/08/2026

Control #(ICR#): 26017758

Charge Description: On or about June 8, 2026, in the County of Blue Earth, Minnesota, Julian Michael Ybarra did, while under the age of 21 years, consume an alcoholic beverage.

COUNT IV

Charge: Fleeing a Peace Officer By a Means Other Than a Motor Vehicle

Minnesota Statute: 609.487.6

Maximum Sentence: 90 days or \$1,000 fine, or both.

Offense Level: Misdemeanor

Offense Date (on or about): 06/08/2026

Control #(ICR#): 26017758

Charge Description: On or about June 8, 2026, in the County of Blue Earth, Minnesota, Julian Michael Ybarra, did, for the purpose of avoiding arrest, detention, or investigation, attempted to evade or elude a peace officer who is acting in the lawful discharge of an official duty, by means of running, hiding or any other means other than fleeing in a motor vehicle.

COUNT V

Charge: Theft-Take/Use/Transfer Movable Prop-No Consent

Minnesota Statute: 609.52.2(a)(1), with reference to: 609.52.3(5)

Maximum Sentence: 90 days or \$1,000 fine, or both.

Offense Level: Misdemeanor

Offense Date (on or about): 06/08/2026

Control #(ICR#): 26017758

Charge Description: On or about June 8, 2026, in the County of Blue Earth, Minnesota, Julian Michael Ybarra did, intentionally and without claim of right, take, use, transfer, conceal or retain possession of the movable property of another without the other's consent and with intent to deprive the owner permanently of possession of the property.

STATEMENT OF PROBABLE CAUSE

On June 8, 2026, Officer Gelle responded to Business 1 in the City of Mankato in response to an alarm. Officer Gelle learned there was surveillance footage of a person inside stealing cigarettes after breaking a glass door. The individual wore a black sweatshirt with the hood up.

Officers arrived and cleared Business 1. Officer Gelle observed cigarettes strewn about inside Business 1. Outside, Officer Gelle observed a pack of cigarettes across the street and discarded elsewhere.

Nicollet County brought their K-9 unit to assist in the search for a suspect. Officers also deployed a drone.

While officers searched, Blue Earth County Dispatch provided an updated description obtained from Business 1. The suspect was a light-colored male, wearing a black hooded sweatshirt, black pants with something white hanging outside of one of the jean pockets, black facemask and a black backpack.

The K-9 followed a scent trail along the train tracks next to Business 1. A short time later, Officers observed a small light consistent with a cell phone flashlight moving in front of them. Officer Marzolf shined her flashlight, announced police, and saw a male dressed in dark clothing. The male hid between two railroad cars. Officers continued following the scent track towards the Minnesota River Trail.

While the K-9 unit followed the scent track, Officer Gelle observed from the drone a heat signature of the person who hid from the K9 unit and saw that person now hiding under a tree. Officer Marzolf announced police, warned the suspect about the K-9, and ordered the man to stop. The man stopped and put his hands in the air. Officers identified the male as Julian Michael Ybarra (DOB: 7/13/2007).

Officer Wagner took custody of Ybarra. Officers had sent out a photo from the Business 1 surveillance of the suspect to compare to Ybarra. Officer Wagner determined that Ybarra matched the picture. He was wearing a black sweatshirt, black pants, and had fresh lacerations on his right knuckles.

Other officers observed Ybarra and concluded that Ybarra was the individual shown in the surveillance footage from Business 1.

Ybarra admitted to consuming alcohol and provided a PBT of .09

The estimated damage to the broken glass door exceeds \$1,000.

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

Matthew Huettl
Patrol Sergeant
710 S Front St
Mankato, MN 56001-3803
Badge: 3142

Electronically Signed:
06/08/2026 04:25 PM
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
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Electronically Signed:
06/08/2026 04:19 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).

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.

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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: June 8, 2026.

Judicial Officer Andrea Jo Lieser
District Court Judge

Electronically Signed: 06/08/2026 08:24 PM

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

**COUNTY OF BLUE EARTH
STATE OF MINNESOTA**

State of Minnesota

Plaintiff

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Julian Michael Ybarra

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: