

State of Minnesota
County of Blue Earth

District Court
5th Judicial District

Prosecutor File No. 0070113466
Court File No. 07-CR-26-2094

State of Minnesota,
Plaintiff,

COMPLAINT
Order of Detention

vs.

JERRY LEE WILLIAMS DOB: 02/21/1963

209 Dewey Lane #305
Mankato, MN 56001-4595

Defendant.

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: Drugs - 5th Degree - Possess Schedule 1,2,3,4 or paraphernalia residual - Not cannabis/hemp

Minnesota Statute: 152.025.2(a)(1), with reference to: 152.025.4(b)

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

Offense Level: Felony

Offense Date (on or about): 05/21/2026

Control #(ICR#): 26015728

Charge Description: On or about May 21, 2026, in the County of Blue Earth, Minnesota, Jerry Lee Williams, did unlawfully possess one or more mixtures containing a controlled substance classified in schedule I, II, III, or IV, except cannabis flower, cannabis products, lower-potency hemp edibles, or hemp-derived consumer products, and the mixture does not include any amount of a controlled substance in a fluid used in a water pipe, and the person possesses more than one dosage unit if the substance is packaged in dosage units.

STATEMENT OF PROBABLE CAUSE

On May 21, 2026, Officer Wagner of the Mankato Department of Public Safety was dispatched to a call for service in Mankato. When Officer Wagner arrived, Witness 1 waved at her and then told her an individual sitting at a picnic table had drugs in the basket of the shopping cart next to them. Officer Wagner made contact with Jerry Lee Williams (DOB 02/21/1963) at the picnic table and observed two large Ziploc baggies filled with prescription medications sitting in the basket of the shopping cart. Williams told Officer Wagner he was keeping them for a friend that had just gotten out of jail, and none of the medications were prescribed to Williams. Williams also stated he had no way of contacting his friend and did not know when he would be back.

Officer Wagner verified none of the medications in were prescribed to Williams. Amongst the medications, Officer Wanger located 2 lorazepam pills. Lorazepam is a schedule IV controlled substance.

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:
05/22/2026 09:17 AM
Blue Earth County, Minnesota

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

Prosecuting Attorney

Todd Coryell
Assistant County Attorney
401 Carver Road
PO Box 3129
Mankato, MN 56002
(507) 304-4600

Electronically Signed:
05/22/2026 09:05 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: May 22, 2026.

Judicial Officer

Mark Betters
District Court Judge

Electronically Signed: 05/22/2026 09:26 AM

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

**COUNTY OF BLUE EARTH
STATE OF MINNESOTA**

State of Minnesota

Plaintiff

vs.

Jerry Lee Williams

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: