

State of Minnesota
County of Blue Earth

District Court
5th Judicial District

Prosecutor File No. 0070112567
Court File No. 07-CR-26-630

State of Minnesota,
Plaintiff,

COMPLAINT
Summons

vs.

EDDIE QUTEZZ ANTWON CROWDER DOB: 09/09/1995

117 E Cherry Street #2
Mankato, MN 56001

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: Assault-5th Deg-Inflict or Attempt Bodily Harm

Minnesota Statute: 609.224.1(2)

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

Offense Level: Misdemeanor

Offense Date (on or about): 01/05/2026

Control #(ICR#): 26000288

Charge Description: On or about January 5, 2026, in the County of Blue Earth, Minnesota, Eddie Qutezz Antwon Crowder, did intentionally inflict or attempted to inflict bodily harm upon another.

STATEMENT OF PROBABLE CAUSE

On January 5, 2026, at approximately 11:20 pm, Blue Earth County Sheriff Deputy Jase Guetter and Deputy William Davis were dispatched to a rural Mankato address to respond to a report of an assault. The Victim advised dispatch that the person who had assaulted her had left the home and was probably walking towards Mankato.

Deputy Guetter met with the Victim, who stated that Eddie Qutezz Antwon Crowder, DOB: 09/09/1995, had been with her at the residence. The two were first involved in a verbal argument, when Crowder called the Victim "a bitch," so the Victim walked over to where Crowder was sitting and closed his laptop. Crowder then struck her on the side of her head, causing her to stumble and she fell into the wall with enough force that the drywall was indented. When asked if she had been struck with an open hand, or a closed fist, the Victim stated that she had not seen Crowder's hand before she was struck.

The Victim stated that her jaw, neck and back of her head were hurting but she did not want to seek medical care.

Deputies had searched outside the home upon arrival, searching for Crowder, without success. After taking the Victim's statement, additional attempts were made to find Crowder, without success.

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:
02/17/2026 02:31 PM
Blue Earth County, Minnesota

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

Prosecuting Attorney

Deja L. Weber
401 Carver Road
PO Box 3129
Mankato, MN 56002
(507) 304-4600

Electronically Signed:
02/17/2026 02:21 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.

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: February 17, 2026.

Judicial Officer

Timothy J. Looby
Judge of District Court

Electronically Signed: 02/17/2026 04:44 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

vs.

Eddie Qutezz Antwon Crowder

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: