

State of Minnesota
County of Blue Earth

District Court
5th Judicial District

Prosecutor File No. 0070113024
Court File No. 07-CR-26-984

State of Minnesota,

Plaintiff,

vs.

KEVIN DALE FREY DOB: 01/19/1969

59155 243rd Street
Kasota, MN 56050

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: Emergency Telephone Calls/Communications - Interrupt, Interfere, Impede, Disrupt 911 Call

Minnesota Statute: 609.78.2(1), with reference to: 609.78.2

Maximum Sentence: 364 days or \$3,000 fine, or both

Offense Level: Gross Misdemeanor

Offense Date (on or about): 03/09/2026

Control #(ICR#): 26007151

Charge Description: On or about March 9, 2026, in the County of Blue Earth, Minnesota, Kevin Dale Frey did and intentionally interrupt, disrupt, impede, or interfere with an emergency call or intentionally prevent or hinder another from placing an emergency call.

COUNT II

Charge: Theft-Obtain Services-No Payment

Minnesota Statute: 609.52.2(a)(13), 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): 03/09/2026

Control #(ICR#): 26007151

Charge Description: On or about March 9, 2026, in the County of Blue Earth, Minnesota, Kevin Dale Frey, 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.

COUNT III

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): 03/09/2026

Control #(ICR#): 26007151

Charge Description: On or about March 9, 2026, in the County of Blue Earth, Minnesota, Kevin Dale Frey, did intentionally inflict or attempted to inflict bodily harm upon another.

COUNT IV

Charge: Damage to Property-4th Deg-Intentional Damage-Other Circumstances

Minnesota Statute: 609.595.3, with reference to: 609.595.3

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

Offense Level: Misdemeanor

Offense Date (on or about): 03/09/2026

Control #(ICR#): 26007151

Charge Description: On or about March 9, 2026, in the County of Blue Earth, Minnesota, Kevin Dale Frey did intentionally cause damage to another person's physical property without the other person's consent.

STATEMENT OF PROBABLE CAUSE

On March 9, 2026, Law Enforcement was dispatched to Business 1 located in Mankato, Minnesota within the County of Blue Earth. Dispatch informed Officers that three males were involved. Victim called 911, regarding the disturbance. Victim indicated that Kevil Dale Frey (DOB 1-19-1969) attempted to run out without paying his tab at Business 1.

Officers Sokolov, McGuire, and Christ responded to the call at Business 1. Officers learned the following from Victim. Victim is an employee at Business 1 and was working his scheduled shift at the time of the incident. Kevin Frey ordered and consumed alcoholic beverages from Business 1 totaling a bill of \$24.38. Frey became intoxicated and started to be disruptive and obnoxious. Witness informed Frey that he needed to pay his bill and leave the establishment. Frey then attempted to leave without paying but Witness had Frey re-enter to pay his bill. Frey tried to pay but his Credit Card was declined. Frey then ran out of Business 1 without paying his bill. Victim then ran after Frey and finally got Frey to stop. Victim took out his cell phone and commanded his cell phone to call 911. Victim was next to Frey when this occurred. Frey then told Victim, "Fuck that." Then Frey smacked the cellphone out of Victim's hand. This caused Victim's cellphone to fall to the ground which resulted in a cracked screen. Frey then struck Victim with a closed fist on the right side of Victim's face. Victim wrestled Frey to the ground, which Frey stood back up and punched and kicked Victim multiple times.

Officer Christ observed Victim's cracked phone screen. Victim estimated the repair cost to be approximately \$100.00. Frey was transported by ambulance to the hospital. Frey was eventually medically cleared fit for confinement. Frey was then placed under arrest and transported to Blue Earth County Jail.

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:
03/10/2026 04:35 PM
Blue Earth County, Minnesota

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

Prosecuting Attorney

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

Electronically Signed:
03/10/2026 04:30 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: March 11, 2026.

Judicial Officer

Mark Betters
District Court Judge

Electronically Signed: 03/11/2026 08:12 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.

Kevin Dale Frey

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: