

State of Minnesota
County of Blue Earth

District Court
5th Judicial District

Prosecutor File No. 0070114230
Court File No. 07-CR-26-3936

State of Minnesota,

Plaintiff,

vs.

KURT MARTIN HALVORSON DOB: 11/13/1995

206 James Drive
Elysian, MN 56028-1209

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: Obstruct Legal Process-Interfere w/Peace Officer

Minnesota Statute: 609.50.1(2), with reference to: 609.50.2(2)

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

Offense Level: Gross Misdemeanor

Offense Date (on or about): 09/18/2026

Control #(ICR#): 26030086

Charge Description: On or about September 18, 2026, in the County of Blue Earth, Minnesota, Kurt Martin Halvorson did, intentionally, obstruct, resist, or interfere with a peace officer while the officer was engaged in the performance of official duties and the act was accompanied by force or violence or the threat thereof.

STATEMENT OF PROBABLE CAUSE

In the afternoon on September 18, 2026, Witness 1 reported that a customer at Business 1 in Blue Earth County refused to leave Business 1 after Witness 1, a manager there, asked the customer to leave because the man was yelling, screaming, not wearing shoes, and had a bottle of alcohol. Witness 1 wanted the customer trespass and reported he left Business 1 on a bike.

A short time later, Dispatch received a phone call from the suspect. Dispatch told the suspect Officers wanted to speak with him. The suspect expressed concern about being arrested. The suspect said he would return to Business 1.

Officer Schulte spoke with the suspect on the phone. The suspect agreed to meet at Business 2, near Business 1.

While Officers waited for the suspect, Officer McClinton observed a male matching the suspect's description, riding his bike near McDonald's without any shoes on. The suspect crashed his bike near the Officers. The male was identified as Kurt Martin Halvorson (DOB: 11/13/1995).

Within one minute of Schulte's contact with Halvorson, Halvorson became confrontational when Schulte asked him to remove his hands from his pockets. Halvorson yelled, "what the fuck you gonna do? Take me to jail!" Halvorson had a blank stare and puffed out his chest.

Officers observed Halvorson slurred his speech and had watery, bloodshot eyes. When Officers spoke with Halvorson about the disturbance at Business 1, Halvorson said he would sue Business 1 and wanted to go to jail right away. Officer McClinton noticed Halvorson was staring at McClinton blankly and changed quickly from laughing to getting angry. Halvorson told McClinton, "take me to jail, bitch." McClinton became concerned about officer safety and decided detaining and handcuffing Halvorson would create a safer environment.

McClinton told Halvorson he was being detained and took a hold of Halvorson's left arm, directing him to a squad car. McClinton tried to bring Halvorson's left hand behind his back and Halvorson resisted, keeping it by his chest. When McClinton got Halvorson's hands behind his back, using a wrist-lock technique, Halvorson tried to bring his hands back to the front. Halvorson said, "fight me, dog" and "put me in the handcuffs, bitch."

Officers took Halvorson to the ground, and Halvorson continued to struggle and refused to comply. McClinton and Schulte together were able to get Halvorson's hands behind his back. Halvorson told Officers to "fuck off" and that he would "fuck [their] wives."

Officers found in Halvorson's possession several small bottles of alcohol. While Schulte transported Halvorson to the Blue Earth County Jail, Halvorson told Schulte he would, "smash [his] face off the concrete."

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

Jacob Price
Patrol Sergeant
710 S Front St
Mankato, MN 56001-3803
Badge: 3137

Electronically Signed:
09/21/2026 09:22 AM
Blue Earth County, Minnesota

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

Prosecuting Attorney

Christopher K Lowe
Assistant County Attorney
401 Carver Road
PO Box 3129
Mankato, MN 56002
(507) 304-4600

Electronically Signed:
09/21/2026 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: September 21, 2026.

Judicial Officer

Greg Anderson
District Court Judge

Electronically Signed: 09/21/2026 09:36 AM

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

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STATE OF MINNESOTA

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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: