

State of Minnesota  
County of Blue Earth

District Court  
5th Judicial District

Prosecutor File No. 0070108183  
Court File No. 07-CR-24-2345

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State of Minnesota,  
Plaintiff,

**COMPLAINT**  
Order of Detention

vs.

**GAGE LOGAN LAWSON DOB: 04/22/2005**

Po Box 54  
Thompson, IA 50478

Defendant.

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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 - 4th Degree - Peace Officer - Physically Assaults**

Minnesota Statute: 609.2231.1(b)

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

Offense Level: Gross Misdemeanor

Offense Date (on or about): 06/23/2024

Control #(ICR#): 24016507

Charge Description: On or about June 23, 2024, in the County of Blue Earth, Minnesota, Gage Logan Lawson did physically assault a peace officer when that officer was effecting a lawful arrest or executing any other duty imposed by law.

## **STATEMENT OF PROBABLE CAUSE**

On June 23, 2024, officers of Mankato Department Public Safety were dispatched to the Veterans Bridge located in Mankato, Minnesota, Blue Earth County. Officers received a report that a male without a shirt was screaming "do it."

Officers arrived and observed the male on the hood of the vehicle. The driver stated the male just jumped on the car. Officer Christainson approached the male who was later identified as Gage Logan Lawson. Lawson took his left hand and immediately punched Officer Christainson in the face.

Lawson was arrested. Lawson appeared to be under the influence of a 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**

Daniel Schisel  
Police Commander  
710 S Front St  
Mankato, MN 56001-3803  
Badge: 3135

Electronically Signed:  
06/24/2024 12:01 PM  
Blue Earth County, Minnesota

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

**Prosecuting Attorney**

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

Electronically Signed:  
06/24/2024 10:23 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: June 24, 2024.

**Judicial Officer**

Andrea Jo Lieser  
District Court Judge

Electronically Signed: 06/24/2024 02:18 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.

**Gage Logan Lawson**

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: