

State of Minnesota  
County of Blue Earth

District Court  
5th Judicial District

Prosecutor File No. 0070113850  
Court File No. 07-CR-26-3015

State of Minnesota,  
Plaintiff,

**COMPLAINT**  
Warrant

vs.

**KANE ALLEN STRONG DOB: 07/17/1999**

427 S Rice Street  
Blue Earth, MN 56013

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: Domestic Assault - By Strangulation**

Minnesota Statute: 609.2247.2

Maximum Sentence: 3 years or \$5,000 fine, or both

Offense Level: Felony

Offense Date (on or about): 07/20/2026

Control #(ICR#): 26001216

Charge Description: On or about July 20, 2026, in the County of Blue Earth, Minnesota, Kane Allen Strong did assault a family or household member by strangulation.

**COUNT II**

**Charge: Domestic Assault-Felony**

Minnesota Statute: 609.2242.4

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

Offense Level: Felony

Offense Date (on or about): 07/20/2026

Control #(ICR#): 26001216

Charge Description: On or about July 20, 2026, in the County of Blue Earth, Minnesota, Kane Allen Strong did, against a family or household member, as defined in M.S.A. 518B.01 Subd. 2, intentionally inflict or attempt to inflict bodily harm upon another and has two or more previous qualified domestic violence-related offense convictions or adjudications of delinquency within ten years following discharge from sentence or disposition for that offense.

## STATEMENT OF PROBABLE CAUSE

In the morning on July 20, 2026, Chief Honsey from the Mapleton Police Department was contacted by Deputy DeJong from the Jackson County Sheriff's Deputy regarding a domestic assault that took place in Amboy, MN involving Victim 1. The perpetrator was identified as Kane Alan Strong (DOB: 07/17/1999). Victim 1 went to the hospital for treatment.

Deputy DeJong had already spoken with Victim 1 who told DeJong that Strong was going to end up hurting Victim 1 very badly.

A few hours later, Chief Honsey spoke with Victim 1, who reported that Strong assaulted Victim 1 on July 20, 2026, at a residence in Blue Earth County. Victim 1 said Victim 1 and Strong have been in a significant romantic and sexual relationship for eight months.

Victim 1 stated Strong accused Victim 1 of cheating on Strong the previous today. While Victim 1 sat in a chair, Strong put Strong's hands over Victim 1's mouth and nose, making it difficult for Victim 1 to breathe. Strong put two hands around Victim 1's throat, causing Victim 1 to "gag." Victim 1 said Victim 1 struggled to breathe when Strong covered Victim 1's mouth and nose and put Strong's hands around Victim 1's throat. Victim 1 stated this "scared me a lot."

Victim 1 reported Strong also restrained Victim 1's arms on a bed while Victim 1 was on Victim 1's back and Strong sat on Victim 1's pelvic area. Victim 1 tried to push Strong away and Strong would not get off Victim 1 so Victim 1 bit Strong in the chest.

Victim 1 said Strong also punched Victim 1 four times. Strong hit Victim 1 in the wrist when Victim 1 tried to cover Victim 1's face and Strong hit Victim 1 on the right side of Victim 1's face. Strong caused Victim 1 to bleed.

Victim 1's statement to Chief Honsey was consistent with the allegations Victim 1 made to Deputy DeJong.

Deputy DeJong took photos of Victim 1's injuries, which Victim 1 said Strong caused and included two contusions on the left side of the neck, a swollen right eye with bruising around it, a cut near Victim 1's right eye, bruises and scratches on Victim 1's upper right arm, and a swollen left wrist.

Police attempted unsuccessfully to make contact with Strong at the residence where Victim 1 said the assault occurred. Dispatch sent out an Attempt to Locate notice in the afternoon on July 20, 2026. Chief Honsey sent messages to Chiefs of Police in the cities of Winnebago and Blue Earth, advising them Strong may be with Strong's mother, who is believed to reside in Winnebago. Strong has not been located.

Because Strong's present location is unknown, the State requests a Warrant.

Strong has been convicted of the following qualified domestic violence-related offenses in the last ten years: (1) DANCO Violation – Court File No. 25-CR-23-1445 – convicted February 1, 2024; (2) Domestic Assault-By Strangulation – Court File No. 55-CR-22-8358 – convicted December 8, 2023; and (3) HRO Violation – Court File No. 25-CR-18-2122 – convicted November 8, 2018.

## 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**

Joyce Baker  
Police Officer  
104 2nd Ave NE  
PO Box 342  
Mapleton, MN 56065  
Badge: 4874

Electronically Signed:  
07/25/2026 09:46 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:  
07/24/2026 03:34 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: July 27, 2026.

**Judicial Officer**

Mark Betters  
District Court Judge

Electronically Signed: 07/27/2026 08:09 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.

**Kane Allen Strong**

Defendant

**LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICER RETURN OF SERVICE**  
*I hereby Certify and Return that I have served a copy of this Warrant upon the Defendant herein named.*

Signature of Authorized Service Agent: