

State of Minnesota  
County of Blue Earth

District Court  
5th Judicial District

Prosecutor File No.  
Court File No.

BEC-16-0468  
07-CR-16-1302

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**State of Minnesota,**  
Plaintiff,

**COMPLAINT**  
Summons

vs.

**CINDY KAY DUNCANSON DOB: 09/09/1959**

14803 563rd Ave  
Good Thunder, MN 56037

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: Liquor-Purchase/Sell/Barter/Furnish/Give to u/21yr**  
Minnesota Statute: 340A.503.2(1), with reference to: 340A.702(8)  
Maximum Sentence: 1 year and/or \$3,000  
Offense Level: Gross Misdemeanor

Offense Date (on or about): 03/17/2016

Control #(ICR#): 16003500

Charge Description: Cindy Kay Duncanson

On or about March 17, 2016, in the County of Blue Earth, said Defendant, Cindy Kay Duncanson did sell, barter, furnish or give alcoholic beverages to a person under 21 years of age.

## STATEMENT OF PROBABLE CAUSE

On March 17, 2016 at approximately 1:06 PM detectives Jeremy Brennan and Jerry Billiar, both of the Blue Earth County Sheriff's Office, were assigned to conduct an alcohol compliance check at the Mapleton Municipal Liquor Store in the City of Mapleton.

The detectives used a female, identified as W1, who is under the age of 21. W1 was fitted with an electronic recording device, given \$20 of prerecorded money and sent into the bar.

W1 entered the bar and ordered a Coors Light tap beer. The bartender, who would later be identified as Cindy Kay Duncanson, poured W1 the beer and set it in front of her. The detectives could hear the conversation on the electronic monitoring device.

Detective Billiar walked into the bar and observed a glass of beer in front of W1. W1 was seated at the bar and Detective Billiar informed her that she could leave. Detective Brennan then entered the bar and introduced himself to Duncanson.

Detective Brennan told Duncanson that W1 was not of age. Duncanson stated that she cards everyone but just didn't do it this time.

Detective Brennan then exited the bar and did a recorded debrief with W1. W1 stated that she went into the bar and asked for a Coors Light at which time Duncanson poured it for her and set it in front of her. W1 stated she never paid for the beer and then texted Detective Brennan to come in.

## 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**

Richard Murry  
Captain  
401 Carver Rd  
Mankato, MN 56002-0228  
Badge: 2708

Electronically Signed:  
04/04/2016 08:55 AM  
Blue Earth County, MN

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

**Prosecuting Attorney**

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

Electronically Signed:  
03/31/2016 01:28 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 on **April 28, 2016 at 2:30 PM** before the above-named court at 401 Carver Rd, Mankato, MN 56002-0347 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: April 4, 2016.

**Judicial Officer**

Krista J Jass  
Judge of District Court

Electronically Signed: 04/04/2016 11:28 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.

**CINDY KAY DUNCANSON**

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: