

State of Minnesota  
County of Blue Earth

District Court  
5th Judicial District

Prosecutor File No.  
Court File No.

BEC-15-1407  
07-CR-15-4741

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**State of Minnesota,**

Plaintiff,

vs.

**AMANDA ANN VOSS DOB: 09/23/1987**

313 W. Broadway  
St. Peter, MN 56082

Defendant.

**COMPLAINT**

Summons

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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: Traffic - DWI - Operate Motor Vehicle Under Influence of Controlled Substance**

Minnesota Statute: 169A.20.1(2), with reference to: 169A.27.2

Maximum Sentence: 90 days and/or \$1,000

Offense Level: Misdemeanor

Offense Date (on or about): 05/27/2015

Control #(ICR#): 15200853

Charge Description: Amanda Ann Voss

On or about May 27, 2015, in the County of Blue Earth, said Defendant, Amanda Ann Voss did, drive, operate, or was in physical control of any motor vehicle when he/she was under the influence of a controlled substance.

**COUNT II**

**Charge: Traffic - DWI - Operate Motor Vehicle Under Infl of Any Amount Schedule I/II Drugs - Not Marijuana**

Minnesota Statute: 169A.20.1(7), with reference to: 169A.27.2

Maximum Sentence: 9 days and/or \$1,000

Offense Level: Misdemeanor

Offense Date (on or about): 05/27/2015

Control #(ICR#): 15200853

Charge Description: Amanda Ann Voss

On or about May 27, 2015, in the County of Blue Earth, said Defendant, Amanda Ann Voss, did drive, operate, or was in physical control of any motor vehicle, when the person's body contains any amount of

a controlled substance listed in schedule I or II other than marijuana or tetrahydrocannabinols.

### COUNT III

**Charge: Traffic - Careless Driving**

Minnesota Statute: 169.13.2

Maximum Sentence: 90 days and/or \$1,000

Offense Level: Misdemeanor

Offense Date (on or about): 05/27/2015

Control #(ICR#): 15200853

Charge Description: Amanda Ann Voss

On or about May 27, 2015, in the County of Blue Earth, said Defendant, Amanda Ann Voss did operate or halt any vehicle upon any street or highway carelessly or heedlessly in disregard of the rights of others, or in a manner that endangers or is likely to endanger any property or any person, including the driver or passengers of the vehicle.

## STATEMENT OF PROBABLE CAUSE

On May 27, 2015, at approximately 11:07 a.m., Troopers Branden Engen and Kevin Killion were patrolling Highway 169 when they received a call for a driving complaint. The caller stated the driver of a minivan had crossed the center and fog line several times and went into the ditch. The Troopers got onto Highway 14 and headed east to the last known location of the car. While getting off the ramp to turn onto North Victory Drive there was a report that the minivan had crashed. Upon arrival to the crash Trooper Pilar Gimenez was already on the scene.

Trooper Killion and Trooper Engen approached the vehicle to render assistance and took over the scene from Trooper Gimenez. The driver, Amber Ann Voss, was ID'd by Minnesota driver's license and said she was not injured during the crash. While talking with Voss she was giving the 1000 yard stare, and her eyes looked watery and glossed over. Troopers had Voss exit the vehicle. When Voss was getting out of the vehicle she was stumbling and had to grab and hold onto the door to keep her balance. Voss walked to the back of her van and while doing so she used the car to keep her balance as she walked. Voss stated she hadn't consumed any alcohol this morning or the night before. Trooper Killion asked if she was on any medication or took any this morning, and she said she had not. Voss stated she only had 800 mg of Ibuprofen this morning. Voss further stated that she had a concussion last night and was given pills for that which included Oxycodone and two other prescription drugs where were found in her purse inside the car. Voss claimed to not have consumed any of them. Trooper Killion advised Voss that he was going to run her through some standard field sobriety tests. Voss recited the alphabet, but completed it very slowly and deliberately. Voss completed the counting backwards test from 67 to 55. She completed that very slowly and deliberately. Trooper Killion next gave Voss instructions on how to complete the one-leg stand. During this test Voss put her right foot down three times, swayed the entire time, and only made it four seconds before she gave up because she couldn't balance. HGN testing was performed. It was noted there was a lack of smooth pursuit in both eyes, onset of nystagmus prior to 45 degrees in both eyes, and distinct and sustained nystagmus at maximum deviation in both eyes. A PBT resulted in 0.000 breath alcohol content.

Based on this, Trooper Pilar Gimenez administered the Romberg test. Voss was to count 30 seconds in her head. When she thought 30 seconds was up, she was to say stop. Forty-three seconds had passed when Voss counted her 30 seconds.

At this time, Voss was placed under arrest for DWI and was transported to the Mayo Clinic for a blood draw. On the way Voss was read her Implied Consent Advisory.

Upon arriving at Mayo Clinic Troopers were told they only do blood draws after hours and they would have to go to the EastRidge Clinic. Troopers took Voss to the EastRidge Clinic where the blood draw was performed at 12:25 p.m. It should be noted that while Troopers transported Voss to the EastRidge Clinic and before they were able to get the blood draw, Voss was falling asleep in the waiting room.

On September 28, 2015, Troopers received the results back from the BCA. The results showed that Voss had Oxycodone, Clonazepam, and a metabolite of Clonazepam in her system. These drugs are a Schedule I or II 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**

Dan Anderson  
State Trooper  
2171 Bassett Drive  
Mankato, MN 56001-6888  
Badge: 31

Electronically Signed:  
11/19/2015 11:49 AM  
Blue Earth County, Minnesota

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

**Prosecuting Attorney**

Stefanie Menning  
401 Carver Road  
PO Box 3129  
Mankato, MN 56002  
(507) 304-4600

Electronically Signed:  
11/18/2015 12:28 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 **December 17, 2015 at 2:00 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: November 19, 2015.

**Judicial Officer**

Greg Anderson  
District Court Judge

Electronically Signed: 11/19/2015 02:25 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.

**AMANDA ANN VOSS**

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: