

STATE OF INDIANA) ____ IN THE VIGO SUPERIOR COURT DIV. ____) SS: ____ IN THE
TERRE HAUTE CITY COURT COUNTY OF VIGO)
CAUSE NO. _____

STATE OF INDIANA AFFIDAVIT OF PROBABLE CAUSE
FOR WARRANTLESS ARREST
vs. Pursuant to I.C. 35-33-7-2(a)

Jon Mutchner Police Case # 24ISPC006079

Arrestee's D.O.B. 04/18/1968 SS # XXX- XX-4353

Arrestee's Address: 3991 E. Moyer Drive Terre Haute IN

I, **Courtland A. Woodruff 9256** _____, a Law Enforcement Officer with the Indiana State Police, swear or affirm that on or about the ____18TH____-Day of- __April____ -2024, in Vigo County, Indiana, the above-named person committed the crime(s) of -35-45-2-1 Intimidation

35-42-2-1 Battery Public Official

33-44.1-3-1 Resisting Law Enforcement

And such belief is based on the following:

On Thursday April 18th, 2024, I Trooper Courtland Woodruff 9256 was dispatched to 3991 E Moyer Drive, requested by Vigo County to assist with a possible physical domestic battery call. The female half of this call had called 911 and was not responding during the call, Vigo County Dispatch advised all they could hear was a male yelling and berating a female while the female was telling him to calm down. Stated he was cursing and could hear property being destroyed.

I was the first unit to arrive on scene. When I approached the front door, I could hear a male voice screaming. I rang the doorbell and a male approached and opened the door. I identified myself as State Police and asked the male, later identified as Jon Mutchner DOB 04/18/1968, to step outside. As he stepped outside, I could smell an odor of alcohol coming from him. As Mr. Mutchner was standing outside, I asked him if he had any weapons and he said no. I asked him to turn around just so I could pat him down for weapons and he began to quickly retreat into the house. I Put my arm out to stop him and he kept running back into the house. I was unsure if Mr. Mutchner had any weapons inside the house and grabbed him. As he continued to resist, we both rolled to ground outside the front door. I did not want to fight Mr. Mutchner inside the home where I did not know the layout or what weapons he may have inside. As we rolled to the ground, a Vigo County Deputy had arrived on scene and assisted with putting Mr. Mutchner into handcuffs. Mr. Mutchner resisted the entire time cursing at us till we were able to put him into handcuffs.

After handcuffing Mr. Mutchner, I cleared the home and made sure the female half, a [REDACTED], was alright. I located her in the home, and she advised she was ok and did not need an ambulance or medical treatment. As I approached her, she began crying and ran up and hugged me. I asked her if she was injured at all, and she said no. I did not see any marks or signs of battery on her. She stated that she and Mr. Mutchner were engaged but they had been arguing for a long time and that they were beginning to break off the relationship. [REDACTED] seemed scared as she was speaking to me. She stated, tonight he had come into the guest room that she had been sleeping in and was screaming at her and cussing at her. She stated she moved to the corner of the room when he was coming at her and when Mr.

Mutchner had got in her face and kept screaming. That is when the mirror/cabinet was knocked over. During the altercation, Miss Bosler is not sure if she tripped over the mirror

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when he was coming at her or not. She had called 911 and kept the phone down by her leg to keep Mr. Mutchner from seeing it. It was at some point during this interaction that I had rang the doorbell and Mr. Mutchner left the room.

██████████ stated Mr. Mutchner did not batter her tonight but that he had been physical with her in the past, throwing her to the ground and dragging her by her hair.

Mr. Mutchner was transported to Vigo County Jail but had to be taken to Regional Hospital for medical clearance. He had a scrap on his cheek and his elbow, I had a scrap on my left elbow sustained during the handcuffing.

Pursuant to IC 35-34-1-2.4, I affirm, under penalty for perjury as specified by IC 35-44-2-1, that the foregoing representations are true.

DATE: 04/18/2024 Affiant /S/ Courtland Woodruff 9256 MOTION

The State of Indiana, by the Prosecuting and/or Deputy Prosecuting Attorney for Vigo County, requests the Court find probable cause for the warrantless arrest of the above named individual and requests 72 hours to determine what, if any, formal charges shall be filed in this matter.

Bond Recommendation and supporting information: _____

/s/ Robert E. Roberts, #21514-84
Prosecutor / Deputy Prosecutor
Vigo County, Indiana

ORDER

The Court, having considered the above affidavit of probable cause, hereby find that probable cause:

_____ does not exist, and the arrested person shall be released from custody forthwith: or

_____ does exist for the above-named arrested person's arrest and said person shall be detained pending his/her appearance in the Vigo Superior Court or Terre Haute City Court during said Court's next regularly scheduled session for hearing criminal matters, unless the person posts bond under the Weekend and Holiday Criminal Bond Order. Further, the Court grants the State's request for 72 hours to file formal charges in this matter. This matter shall be scheduled

for Initial Hearing on

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_____ at _____ a.m. / p.m.

SO ORDERED this _____ day of _____, 20____ at _____ a.m./p.m.

_____ Judge Bond