

**SENTENCING FOR  
THE WEEK OF 11/9/2009**

DATE: 11/4/2009

DEFENDANT: William Adam Whitford

DOB: 9/9/1983

CITY/RESIDENCE: Parkers Prairie, MN

AGENCY: Forest Lake Police Department

CONVICTION: Fleeing a Peace Officer in a Motor Vehicle

SENTENCE: On Count I, the court stayed the imposition of sentence and placed the defendant on probation for 3 years under the following conditions: 1) Serve 42 days with credit for 42 days served; 2) Seek and maintain gainful employment and provide verification to probation officer; 3) Have no same or similar offenses, be law abiding, and cooperate with all the standard conditions of probation; 4) Cooperate with the transfer of his supervision to his county or state of residence; 5) Provide a biological specimen for purposes of DNA analysis. Count II is dismissed.

DATE: 11/12/2009

DEFENDANT: Daniel Jonathan Morris

DOB: 7/14/1971

CITY/RESIDENCE: ST PAUL PARK, MN

AGENCY: St. Paul Park Police Department

CONVICTION: Counts I & II: 1st Degree Criminal Sexual Conduct

SENTENCE: Defendant committed to Commissioner of Corrections for 168 months. 10-year conditional release period applies. Defendant required to register as a predatory offender, defendant to provide a biological specimen for DNA analysis. Restitution to be left open for one year.

DATE: 11/12/2009

DEFENDANT: Xai Thao

DOB: 1/26/1985

CITY/RESIDENCE: St Paul, MN

AGENCY: Woodbury Police Department

CONVICTION: First Degree Controlled Substance Crime

SENTENCE: The defendant was committed to the Commissioner of Corrections for 86 months with credit for time served. He is to provide a DNA sample.

DATE: 11/6/2009

DEFENDANT: Greg Motherway Ritzer

DOB: 4/9/1989

CITY/RESIDENCE: Roseville, MN

AGENCY: Cottage Grove Police Department

CONVICTION: Harassment

SENTENCE: The defendant was sentenced under a stay of imposition and placed on probation for a period of 2 years subject to the following conditions: serve 30 days in the Washington County Jail; have no direct or indirect contact with the victim; complete an anger management treatment program; schedule an intake with Robert Kelly's 6 week program; abstain from the use of all mood-altering chemicals, including alcohol; submit to random testing at his own expense, have no same or similar offenses, be law abiding and cooperate with all the standard conditions of probation; cooperate with the transfer of supervision to State/County of residence; display no threatening or assaultive behavior and provide a biological specimen for the purposes of DNA analysis.

DATE: 10/29/2009

DEFENDANT: Kaitlin Jean Waxlax

DOB: 6/19/1983

CITY/RESIDENCE: Hastings, MN

AGENCY: Cottage Grove Police Department

CONVICTION: Drugs in the 5th Degree; Theft-Take/Use/Transfer Movable Prop-No Consent

SENTENCE: Theft: The defendant received the following misdemeanor sentence: \$1,000 fine and 90 days in jail, with \$950 and 87 days suspended for one year on the following conditions: (1) serve three days in jail, with credit for time served; (2) supervised probation for up to a year; (3) successfully complete the methadone program at Valhalla Place and follow all aftercare recommendations; (4) abstain from the use of mood-altering chemicals, including alcohol, and submit to random urinalyses at her own expense; (5) complete the PERT (shoplifting) Program within 90 days; (6) pay restitution in the amount of \$123 to Kohl's department store through Washington County Court Administration; (7) seek and maintain gainful employment or attend school and provide verification to the supervising probation agent, and (8) pay a \$50 fine or perform five hours of community work service and pay surcharges.

5th degree controlled substance crime: The defendant received the following felony sentence: a stay of adjudication under Minnesota Statute Section 152.18 for up to five years on the following conditions: (1) supervised probation for up to five years; (2) serve three days in the Washington County Jail, with credit for three days served; (3) successfully complete the methadone program at Valhalla Place and follow all aftercare recommendations; (4) abstain from the use of mood-altering chemicals, including alcohol, and submit to random urinalyses at her own expense; (5) complete the PERT (shoplifting) Program within 90 days; (6) seek and maintain gainful employment or attend school and provide verification to the supervising probation agent, and (7) pay a \$50 fine or perform five hours of Community Work Service and pay surcharges.

DATE: 11/9/2009

DEFENDANT: James Richard Padelford

DOB: 11/30/1976

CITY/RESIDENCE: White Bear Lake, MN

AGENCY: Oak Park Heights Police Department

CONVICTION: Assault in the Second Degree

SENTENCE: 54 months in prison, execution stayed on the following conditions: (1) Supervised

probation for up to 7 years; (2) Provide a biological specimen for DNA analysis; (3) Abstain from the use of alcohol and submit to random urinalysis at his own expense; (4) Abide by the harassment restraining order involving victim; (5) Pay a \$500 fine within 12 months; (6) Attend a 16-week anger management program at Washington County Human Services, Inc.; (7) Serve 365 days in jail on Huber Work Release with jail credit for 2 days in custody; Defendant must begin his Huber Work Release no later than 11/23/09 and criteria were waived.

DATE: 11/12/2009

DEFENDANT: Michael Robert King

DOB: 12/23/1979

CITY/RESIDENCE: Hastings, MN

AGENCY: Cottage Grove Police Department

CONVICTION: 5th Degree Controlled Substance

SENTENCE: Imposition of sentence was stayed and the defendant was placed on probation for five years with the following conditions: 1) 30 days jail with credit for 6 days, can be done on work release, in- or out-of-custody Sentence to Service or home detention; 2) complete an updated chemical dependency evaluation and follow the recommendations including aftercare plans; 3) no use of chemicals including alcohol, submit to random testing; 4) seek and maintain gainful employment or attend college and provide verification; 5) no same or similar offenses, remain law abiding; 6) cooperate with transfer of probation to county of residence; 7) \$100 fine plus surcharges. The DNA sample has already been provided.