



**OFFICE OF THE WASHINGTON COUNTY ATTORNEY**

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Pursuant to our ongoing commitment to keep the public informed of criminal activity prosecuted by the Washington County Attorney's office, below is a summary of cases handled by the office for the week of July 17, 2017. This list includes dates of Sentencing Hearings of felonies and gross misdemeanors. Contact Cathy Rochel at [WCA@co.washington.mn.us](mailto:WCA@co.washington.mn.us) or 651-430-6115 for further information and copies of complaints.

**SENTENCING FOR  
THE WEEK OF 7/17/2017**

**DATE:** 5/5/2017  
**DEFENDANT:** Brandy Lee Northrup  
**DOB:** 7/21/1969  
**CITY/RESIDENCE:** St. Paul, MN  
**AGENCY:** Woodbury Police Department  
**JUDGE:** Susan R. Miles  
**CONVICTION:** Possession of Burglary Tools  
**SENTENCE:** The Defendant was sentenced to a stay of execution of 13 month sentence and 3 years of probation on the following conditions: 1) follow all State and Federal criminal laws; 2) contact probation officer as directed; 3) tell probation officer within 72 hours if contact with law enforcement; 4) tell probation officer within 72 hours if charged with any new crime; 5) tell probation officer within 72 hours if you change of address, employment, or telephone number; 6) cooperate with the search of person, residence, vehicle, workplace, property, and things as directed by probation officer; 7) sign releases of information as directed; 8) give a DNA sample when directed; 9) do not use or possess any firearms, ammunition, or explosives; 10) do not register to vote or vote until discharged from probation and civil rights are full restored; 11) abstain from the use of all non-prescribed, mood-altering chemicals, including alcohol and submit to random testing.

**DATE:** 4/20/2017  
**DEFENDANT:** Levi Aaron Running  
**DOB:** 1/5/1985  
**CITY/RESIDENCE:** Cottage Grove, MN  
**AGENCY:** Cottage Grove Police Department  
**JUDGE:** B. William Ekstrum  
**CONVICTION:** Count 2: Dangerous Weapon-2nd Degree Possession of Drugs; Count 3: Felon Convicted Crime of Violence - Firearm Violation  
**SENTENCE:** State requested: Count 1: Dangerous Weapon - 1st Degree Sale of Drugs - Dismiss; Count 2: Dangerous Weapon - 2nd Degree Possession of Drugs - Commit to Commissioner of Corrections for 48 months, credit for 161 days served; Count 3: Felon Convicted Crime of Violence - Firearm Violation - Commit to Commissioner of Corrections for 60 months, credit for 161 days

served. SENTENCE: The Defendant was committed to the Commissioner of Corrections on Count 2: Drug 2nd Degree, for a period of 48 months, with credit for 161 days served. On Count 3: Felon Convicted Crime of Violence – Firearm Violation, the Defendant was committed to the Commissioner of Corrections for a period of 60 months, with credit for 161 days served. Count 1: Dangerous Weapon/1st Degree Sale of Drugs was dismissed.

DATE: 5/5/2017  
DEFENDANT: Tony Reed Taylor  
DOB: 1/11/1963  
CITY/RESIDENCE: Roseville, MN  
AGENCY: Oak Park Heights Police Department  
JUDGE: Susan R. Miles  
CONVICTION: Felony DWI  
SENTENCE: Stay of execution of sentence, 36 months; serve 180 days in jail, with credit for 3 days, in-custody Sentence to Serve, as directed by probation; pay a \$50 fine and surcharge and fees, as directed by probation; abstain from alcohol, drugs and submit to random testing; obtain a chemical dependency evaluation and provide proof of the evaluation and follow all recommendations; cooperate with the transfer of residence; 30 days EHM (electronic home monitor) each year of probation beginning May 1, 2017; participate in Cognitive Skills intake and follow all recommendations. Five year conditional release period. 1) follow all State and Federal criminal laws; 2) contact probation officer as directed; 3) tell probation officer within 72 hours if contact with law enforcement; 4) tell probation officer within 72 hours if charged with any new crime; 5) tell probation officer within 72 hours if change of address, employment, or telephone number; 6) cooperate with the search of person, residence, vehicle, workplace, property, and things as directed by probation officer; 7) sign releases of information as directed; 8) give a DNA sample when directed; 9) do not use or possess any firearms, ammunition, or explosives; 10) do not register to vote or vote until discharged from probation and civil rights are full restored.

DATE: 4/20/2017  
DEFENDANT: William James Alexander Wiley, IV  
DOB: 4/10/1983  
CITY/RESIDENCE: St. Paul, MN  
AGENCY: Woodbury Police Department  
JUDGE: B. William Ekstrum  
CONVICTION: Drugs 1st Degree Possession  
SENTENCE: Committed to the Commissioner of Corrections for 90 months, credit for 4 days

DATE: 4/20/2017  
DEFENDANT: Leonard David Caston  
DOB: 3/5/1967  
CITY/RESIDENCE: Minneapolis, MN  
AGENCY: Washington County Sheriff's Office  
JUDGE: B. William Ekstrum  
CONVICTION: Violate No Contact Order

SENTENCE: The State requested: plead guilty to Felony Domestic Abuse No Contact Order (DANCO) in file 82-CR-16-2378 (our file CR-2016-715). Dismiss remaining charges and file 82-CR-16-559 (our file CR-2016-194). Commit to the Commissioner of Corrections for 21 months. SENTENCING: The pre-sentence investigation was waived. The defendant was committed to the Commissioner of Corrections for 21 months in file 82-CR-16-2378. The remaining charges and file 82-CR-16-559 were dismissed.

DATE: 5/8/2017  
DEFENDANT: Amy Michelle Steiner  
DOB: 3/22/1973  
CITY/RESIDENCE: Cottage Grove, MN  
AGENCY: Cottage Grove Police Department  
JUDGE: B. William Ekstrum  
CONVICTION: Aiding and Abetting an Offender  
SENTENCE: State requested: stay of imposition, 1 year and 1 day, with no further jail. The Defendant was sentenced as follows: Stay of Imposition of sentence, 1 year, 1 day, serve 2 days in jail, with credit for 2 days, pay a fine of \$100 plus surcharge and fees; remain law abiding; follow all State and Federal criminal laws; contact probation officer as directed; tell probation officer within 72 hours if contact with law enforcement; tell probation officer within 72 hours if charged with any new crime; tell probation officer within 72 hours if change of address, employment, or telephone number; cooperate with the search of person, residence, vehicle, workplace, property, and things as directed by probation officer; sign releases of information as directed; give a DNA sample when directed; do not use or possess any firearms, ammunition, or explosives; do not register to vote or vote until discharged from probation and civil rights are fully restored.

DATE: 7/17/2017  
DEFENDANT: Kevin Lee Jurek  
DOB: 4/8/1964  
CITY/RESIDENCE: Woodbury, MN  
AGENCY: Woodbury Police Department  
JUDGE: B. William Ekstrum  
CONVICTION: Burglary 2nd Degree  
SENTENCE: Defendant committed to the Commissioner of Corrections for 37 months with 119 days credit.

DATE: 4/27/2017  
DEFENDANT: Marcel Angelo Parks, Jr  
DOB: 10/27/1991  
CITY/RESIDENCE: St. Paul Park, MN  
AGENCY: St. Paul Park Police Department  
JUDGE: Mary E. Hannon  
CONVICTION: Simple Robbery  
SENTENCE: The State requested: 90 days in jail with credit for 110 days served. The defendant was sentenced to a stay of execution of 28 months and placed on probation for a period of 5 years on the following conditions: Serve 110 days

in jail, credit for 10 days served; pay a fine of \$50 plus surcharge and fees; abstain from alcohol and drugs and submit to random testing; No Contact Order with J.R.S., B.J.H., and J.K.X., provide a DNA sample (previously ordered); complete an intake for Cognitive Skills Programming and follow all recommendations; complete a mental health evaluation and follow all recommendations; obtain a GED; follow all State and Federal criminal laws; contact probation officer as directed; tell probation officer within 72 hours if contact with law enforcement; tell probation officer within 72 hours if charged with any new crime; tell probation officer within 72 hours if change of address, employment, or telephone number; cooperate with the search of person, residence, vehicle, workplace, property, and things as directed by probation officer; sign releases of information as directed; give a DNA sample when directed; do not use or possess any firearms, ammunition, or explosives; do not register to vote or vote until discharged from probation and civil rights are full restored.

DATE: 7/14/2017  
DEFENDANT: Tyree Erik Jones  
DOB: 8/18/1993  
CITY/RESIDENCE: Brooklyn Park, MN  
AGENCY: Woodbury Police Department  
JUDGE: Richard C. Ilkka  
CONVICTION: Aiding and Abetting Engages in Sex Trafficking of an Individual  
SENTENCE: Committed to Commissioner of Corrections for 96 months. 210 days credit. \$50 fine with surcharge and fees. Prostitution surcharge of \$100.

DATE: 5/19/2017  
DEFENDANT: Mohammad A.M. Abdul Majid  
DOB: 7/7/1988  
CITY/RESIDENCE: Bridgeview, IL  
AGENCY: Minnesota Department of Revenue  
JUDGE: Tad V. Jude  
CONVICTION: Aiding and Abetting Sales Tax-Cigarettes-Unstamped  
SENTENCE: Defendant sentenced to stay of imposition of the felony sentence for up to 5 years, subject to early discharge of all economic consequences if the conviction is satisfied. In terms of economic consequences, consistent with restitution, defendants are obligated to pay restitution to Minnesota Department of Revenue in the amount of \$74,116.18. Also required to pay a \$900 fine, a \$1,000 in prosecution costs and criminal surcharge and library fee of \$85.

DATE: 7/17/2017  
DEFENDANT: Christopher Eugene Walker  
DOB: 11/18/1997  
CITY/RESIDENCE: Minneapolis, MN  
AGENCY: Woodbury Police Department  
JUDGE: Mary E. Hannon  
CONVICTION: Receiving Stolen Property

SENTENCE: State requested stay of imposition, 30 days jail, restitution on Count 1 and 2. Defendant sentenced to stay of imposition, 5 years of probation, 178 days jail with 178 days credit, \$50 fine within 180 days, restitution in the amount of \$59.25, no use alcohol or drugs, random testing, DNA sample, transfer probation and Cognitive Skills.

DATE: 5/19/2017

DEFENDANT: Iman Gencehan Ugurlu

DOB: 5/28/1987

CITY/RESIDENCE: Bridgeview, IL

AGENCY: Minnesota Department of Revenue

JUDGE: Tad V. Jude

CONVICTION: Aiding and Abetting Sales Tax-Cigarettes-Unstamped

SENTENCE: Defendant sentenced to stay of imposition of the felony sentence for up to 5 years, subject to early discharge of all economic consequences if the conviction is satisfied. In terms of economic consequences, consistent with restitution, defendants are obligated to pay restitution to Minnesota Department of Revenue in the amount of \$74,116.18. Also required to pay a \$900 fine, a \$1,000 in prosecution costs and criminal surcharge and library fee of \$85.