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COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA
COUNTY OF ALLEGHENY

POLICE CRIMINAL COMPLAINT
COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA
VS.



Magisterial District Number: 05-0-03
MDJ: PITTSBURGH MAGISTRATE COURT
Address: 660 FIRST AVENUE
PITTSBURGH, PA 15219

DEFENDANT: (NAME and ADDRESS):
RICHARD ANDREW POPLWASKI
First Name Middle Name Last Name Gen.
FAIRFIELD STREET PITTSBURGH, PA 15201

Phone: 412 350 6715

NCIC Extradition Code Type

Felony - Full Extradition

Distance: _____

DEFENDANT IDENTIFICATION INFORMATION

RACE WHITE	ETHNICITY	Docket Number CR000396-1-09	Date Filed 4-4-09	OTN/LiveScan Number G 461966-1	Complaint/Incident Number 0975657	
SID:	GENDER MALE	DOB	POB	Add'l DOB	SSN	Add'l SSN
Request Lab Services? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes	AKA	First Name	Middle Name	Last Name	Gen	
	HAIR COLOR	EYE COLOR		WEIGHT (lbs.)		
Driver License	State	License Number	Expires:			
DNA	DNA Location				Ft. HEIGHT in.	
FBI Number	MNU Number					
Fingerprint Classification:						
DEFENDANT VEHICLE INFORMATION						
Plate #	State	Hazmat	Registration Sticker (MM/YY)	Comm'l Veh. Ind.	School Veh.	Oth. NCIC Veh. Code
VIN	Year	Make	Model	Style	Color	

Office of the attorney for the Commonwealth Approved Disapproved because: _____

(The attorney for the Commonwealth may require that the complaint, arrest warrant affidavit, or both be approved by the attorney for the Commonwealth prior to filing. See Pa.R.Crim.P. 507).

(Name of the attorney for the Commonwealth)

(Signature of the attorney for the Commonwealth)

(Date)

I, BRIAN WEISMANTLE 14687
(Name of the Affiant) (PSP/MPOETC -Assigned Affiant ID Number & Badge #)
of CITY OF PITTSBURGH PAPPD0000
(Identify Department or Agency Represented and Political Subdivision) (Police Agency ORI Number)
do hereby state: (check appropriate box)

1. X I accuse the above named defendant who lives at the address set forth above
I accuse the defendant whose name is unknown to me but who is described as _____

I accuse the defendant whose name and popular designation or nickname are unknown to me and whom I have, therefore, designated as John Doe or Jane Doe

with violating the penal laws of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania at 301 PITTSBURGH CITY
(Subdivision Code) (Place-Political Subdivision)

In Allegheny County 02
(County Code)

on or about 04/04/2009 7:05



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The acts committed by the accused are described below with each Act of Assembly or statute violated, if appropriate:
 (Set forth a *brief* summary of the facts sufficient to advise the defendant of the nature of the offense(s) charged. A citation to the statute(s) violated, without more, is not sufficient. In a summary case, you must cite the specific section(s) and subsection(s) of the statute(s) or ordinance(s) allegedly violated.)

Inchoate Offense	<input type="checkbox"/> Attempt 18 901 A	<input type="checkbox"/> Solicitation 18 902 A	<input type="checkbox"/> Conspiracy 18 903	<input type="checkbox"/> A1 (Engaging)	<input type="checkbox"/> A2 (Aiding)	<input type="checkbox"/> B (Knowledge)	<input type="checkbox"/> Permitting (Title 75 Only) 75 1575 A		
X	1	2501	A	of the	18	3	H1		
Lead?	Offense#	Section	Subsection		PA Statute (Title)	Counts	Grade	NCIC Offense Code	UCR/NIBRS Code
PennDOT Data (if applicable)		Accident Number				<input type="checkbox"/> Safety Zone	<input type="checkbox"/> Work Zone		
Statute Description/Acts of the accused associated with this Offense:									
18 2501A CRIMINAL HOMICIDE H1 3 COUNTS									
The actor intentionally, knowingly, recklessly or negligently caused the death of POLICE OFFICER PAUL SCIULLO II another human being, in violation of 18 Pa. C.S. §2501(a).									
The actor intentionally, knowingly, recklessly or negligently caused the death of POLICE OFFICER STEPHEN MAYHLE another human being, in violation of 18 Pa. C.S. §2501(a).									
The actor intentionally, knowingly, recklessly or negligently caused the death of POLICE OFFICER ERIC KELLY another human being, in violation of 18 Pa. C.S. §2501(a).									



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Lead?	2	2501	A	of the	18	9	H1		
Offense#	Section	Subsection	PA Statute (Title)	Counts	Grade	NCIC Offense Code	UCR/NIBRS Code		
PennDOT Data (if applicable)	Accident Number			<input type="checkbox"/> Safety Zone	<input type="checkbox"/> Work Zone				

Statute Description/Acts of the accused associated with this Offense:

18 901A CRIMINAL ATTEMPT H1 9 COUNTS

The actor committed an attempt when, with intent to commit the crime of 18:2501:A, the said actor did the act or acts of FIRED NUMEROUS GUNSHOTS AT POLICE OFFICER T. ANDERSON, which constituted a substantial step toward the commission of the aforesaid crime, in violation of 18 Pa. C.S. §901(a).

The actor committed an attempt when, with intent to commit the crime of 18:2501:A, the said actor did the act or acts of FIRED NUMEROUS GUNSHOTS AT POLICE OFFICER S. MESCAN, which constituted a substantial step toward the commission of the aforesaid crime, in violation of 18 Pa. C.S. §901(a).

The actor committed an attempt when, with intent to commit the crime of 18:2501:A, the said actor did the act or acts of FIRED NUMEROUS GUNSHOTS AT POLICE OFFICER S. RATIGAN, which constituted a substantial step toward the commission of the aforesaid crime, in violation of 18 Pa. C.S. §901(a).

The actor committed an attempt when, with intent to commit the crime of 18:2501:A, the said actor did the act or acts of FIRED NUMEROUS GUNSHOTS AT POLICE OFFICER R. YOSI, which constituted a substantial step toward the commission of the aforesaid crime, in violation of 18 Pa. C.S. §901(a).

The actor committed an attempt when, with intent to commit the crime of 18:2501:A, the said actor did the act or acts of FIRED NUMEROUS GUNSHOTS AT POLICE OFFICER M. TRUESDALE, which constituted a substantial step toward the commission of the aforesaid crime, in violation of 18 Pa. C.S. §901(a).

The actor committed an attempt when, with intent to commit the crime of 18:2501:A, the said actor did the act or acts of FIRED NUMEROUS GUNSHOTS AT POLICE OFFICER C. THIMONS, which constituted a substantial step toward the commission of the aforesaid crime, in violation of 18 Pa. C.S. §901(a).

The actor committed an attempt when, with intent to commit the crime of 18:2501:A, the said actor did the act or acts of FIRED NUMEROUS GUNSHOTS AT POLICE OFFICER M. LEAP, which constituted a substantial step toward the commission of the aforesaid crime, in violation of 18 Pa. C.S. §901(a).

The actor committed an attempt when, with intent to commit the crime of 18:2501:A, the said actor did the act or acts of FIRED NUMEROUS GUNSHOTS AT POLICE OFFICER C. SCHRADER, which constituted a substantial step toward the commission of the aforesaid crime, in violation of 18 Pa. C.S. §901(a).

The actor committed an attempt when, with intent to commit the crime of 18:2501:A, the said actor did the act or acts of FIRED NUMEROUS GUNSHOTS AT POLICE OFFICER T. MCMANAWAY STRIKING HIM IN HIS LEFT HAND, which constituted a substantial step toward the commission of the aforesaid crime, in



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violation of 18 Pa. C.S. §901(a).

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Lead?	3	2707.1	A	of the	18	2	F3	NCIC Offense Code	UCR/NIBRS Code
PennDOT Data (If applicable)	Accident Number					<input type="checkbox"/> Safety Zone	<input type="checkbox"/> Work Zone		
Statute Description/Acts of the accused associated with this Offense:									
18 2707.1A DISCHARGE FIREARM INTO OCCUPIED STRUCTURE F3 2 COUNTS									
The actor knowingly, intentionally or recklessly discharged a firearm into an occupied structure located at 1021 FAIRFIELD STREET, in violation of 18 Pa. C.S. §2707.1(a).									
The actor knowingly, intentionally or recklessly discharged a firearm into an occupied structure located at 1025 FAIRFIELD STREET, in violation of 18 Pa. C.S. §2707.1(a).									

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Lead?	4	907	C	of the	18	1	F3	NCIC Offense Code	UCR/NIBRS Code
PennDOT Data (If applicable)	Accident Number					<input type="checkbox"/> Safety Zone	<input type="checkbox"/> Work Zone		
Statute Description/Acts of the accused associated with this Offense:									
18 907C POSSESSING INSTRUMENTS OF CRIME - UNLAWFUL BODY ARMOR F3 1 COUNT									
The actor knowingly or intentionally used, wore, controlled, possessed or had in his/her custody body armor while in the commission or attempted commission of a felony, namely, FIRING GUNSHOTS AT POLICE OFFICERS, in violation of 18 Pa. C.S. §907(c).									

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Lead?	5	2702	A1	of the	18	9	F1	NCIC Offense Code	UCR/NIBRS Code
PennDOT Data (if applicable)		Accident Number					<input type="checkbox"/> Safety Zone	<input type="checkbox"/> Work Zone	

Statute Description/Acts of the accused associated with this Offense:

18 2702A1 AGGRAVATED ASSAULT F1 9 COUNTS

The actor attempted to cause serious bodily injury to POLICE OFFICER T. ANDERSON or caused such injury intentionally, knowingly or recklessly under circumstances manifesting extreme indifference to the value of human life, in violation of 18 Pa.C.S. §2702(a)(1).

The actor attempted to cause serious bodily injury to POLICE OFFICER S. MESCAN or caused such injury intentionally, knowingly or recklessly under circumstances manifesting extreme indifference to the value of human life, in violation of 18 Pa.C.S. §2702(a)(1).

The actor attempted to cause serious bodily injury to POLICE OFFICER S. RATIGAN or caused such injury intentionally, knowingly or recklessly under circumstances manifesting extreme indifference to the value of human life, in violation of 18 Pa.C.S. §2702(a)(1).

The actor attempted to cause serious bodily injury to POLICE OFFICER R. YOSI or caused such injury intentionally, knowingly or recklessly under circumstances manifesting extreme indifference to the value of human life, in violation of 18 Pa.C.S. §2702(a)(1).

The actor attempted to cause serious bodily injury to POLICE OFFICER M. TRUESDALE or caused such injury intentionally, knowingly or recklessly under circumstances manifesting extreme indifference to the value of human life, in violation of 18 Pa.C.S. §2702(a)(1).

The actor attempted to cause serious bodily injury to POLICE OFFICER C. THIMONS or caused such injury intentionally, knowingly or recklessly under circumstances manifesting extreme indifference to the value of human life, in violation of 18 Pa.C.S. §2702(a)(1).

The actor attempted to cause serious bodily injury to POLICE OFFICER M. LEAP or caused such injury intentionally, knowingly or recklessly under circumstances manifesting extreme indifference to the value of human life, in violation of 18 Pa.C.S. §2702(a)(1).

The actor attempted to cause serious bodily injury to POLICE OFFICER C. SCHRADER or caused such injury intentionally, knowingly or recklessly under circumstances manifesting extreme indifference to the value of human life, in violation of 18 Pa.C.S. §2702(a)(1).

The actor attempted to cause serious bodily injury to T. MCMANAWAY or caused such injury intentionally, knowingly or recklessly under circumstances manifesting extreme indifference to the value of human life, in violation of 18 Pa.C.S. §2702(a)(1).



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Lead?	6	2705	of the	18	4	M2	
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PennDOT Data (if applicable)	Accident Number			<input type="checkbox"/> Safety Zone	<input type="checkbox"/> Work Zone		

Statute Description/Acts of the accused associated with this Offense:

18 2705 RECKLESSLY ENDANGERING ANOTHER PERSON M2 4 COUNTS

The actor recklessly engaged in conduct which placed or may have placed DANIEL in danger of death or serious bodily injury, in violation of 18 Pa. C.S. §2705.

The actor recklessly engaged in conduct which placed or may have placed JOHN DUBAWIEWICZ in danger of death or serious bodily injury, in violation of 18 Pa. C.S. §2705.

The actor recklessly engaged in conduct which placed or may have placed GERALDINE LEIPRAS in danger of death or serious bodily injury, in violation of 18 Pa. C.S. §2705.

The actor recklessly engaged in conduct which placed or may have placed ALFRED LEIPRAS in danger of death or serious bodily injury, in violation of 18 Pa. C.S. §2705.



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- I ask that a warrant of arrest or a summons be issued and that the defendant be required to answer the charges I have made.
- I verify that the facts set forth in this complaint are true and correct to the best of my knowledge or information and belief. This verification is made subject to the penalties of Section 4904 of the Crimes Code (18 P.A.C.S. §4904) relating to unsworn falsification to authorities.
- This complaint is comprised of the preceding Page, as well as the attached pages that follow, numbered ___ through ___, specifying offenses and Participants, if any.

The acts committed by the accused, as listed and hereafter, were against the peace and dignity of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and were contrary to the Act(s) of the Assembly, or in violation of the statutes cited.
(Before a warrant of arrest can be issued, an affidavit of probable cause must be completed, sworn to before the issuing authority, and attached.)

(Signature of Affiant)

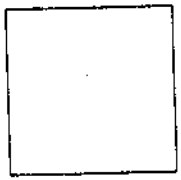
 (Date)

AND NOW, on this date 4-4-2009 I certify that the complaint has been properly completed and verified.

An affidavit of probable cause must be completed before a warrant can be issued.

05-0-04
 (Magisterial District Court Number)

(Issuing Authority)



PAULINE W. ROSE
 JUDICIAL OFFICE
 1000 MARKET STREET
 PHILADELPHIA, PA 19102
 (215) 235-1000



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AFFIDAVIT of PROBABLE CAUSE

1. WHEN:

- a) Date when Affiant received information:
04/04/2009
- b) Date when the source of information (Police Officers, Informant, Victim, Co-Defendant, Defendant, etc.) received information:
04/04/2009

2. HOW:

- a) How Affiant knows this particular person committed crime: (personal observation, defendant's admissions, etc.):
Personal observation of officers and information received by eye-witness.
- b) How the source of information knows this particular person committed the crime:
Personal observation of officers and information received by eye-witness.
- c) How both Affiant and/or source of information knows that a particular crime has been committed:

3. WHAT CRIMES:

- 18 2705 RECKLESSLY ENDANGERING ANOTHER PERSON
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- 18 2501 A CRIMINAL HOMICIDE
- 18 901 A CRIMINAL ATTEMPT
- 18 901 A CRIMINAL ATTEMPT
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- 18 2702 A1 AGGRAVATED ASSAULT
- 18 2702 A1 AGGRAVATED ASSAULT
- 18 2702 A1 AGGRAVATED ASSAULT
- 18 2702 A1 AGGRAVATED ASSAULT
- 18 2702 A1 AGGRAVATED ASSAULT
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- 18 2501 A CRIMINAL HOMICIDE
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- 18 907 C POSSESSING INSTRUMENTS OF CRIME - UNLAWFUL BODY ARMOR
- 18 2707.1 A DISCHARGE FIREARM INTO OCCUPIED STRUCTURE
- 18 2707.1 A DISCHARGE FIREARM INTO OCCUPIED STRUCTURE
- 18 2705 RECKLESSLY ENDANGERING ANOTHER PERSON
- 18 2705 RECKLESSLY ENDANGERING ANOTHER PERSON

4. WHERE CRIME(S) COMMITTED:

1016 FAIRFIELD STREET PITTSBURGH PA 15201



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5. WHY AFFIANT BELIEVES THE SOURCE OF INFORMATION:

- X Source is presumed reliable, i.e. other Police Officer, Eyewitness, Victim of Crime, etc.
Source has given information in the past which has led to arrest and/or conviction
Defendant's reputation for criminal activity
This source made declaration against his/her penal interest to the above offense
Affiant and/or other Police Officers corroborated details of the information



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On April 4, 2009 at approximately 0703 hrs., Allegheny County 911 dispatch received a call from complainant Margaret Poplawski for a domestic incident involving her son, actor Richard Poplawski, who she wanted out of the house because he was giving her a hard time. At 0711 hrs., Pittsburgh Police Officers Steven Mayhle and Paul Scuiollo reported to dispatch that they had arrived on scene at the house, located at 1016 Fairfield Street, in the Stanton Heights section of the City of Pittsburgh.

Complainant Margaret Poplawski reported that she awoke early on this date to discover that the dog had urinated on the floor inside her house at 1016 Fairfield Street, at which point she awakened her twenty-two year-old W/M son, actor Richard Poplawski, to confront him about it. Mrs. Poplawski reported that she and her son had a verbal argument, at which point she informed him that she was calling police to remove him from the home. Mrs. Poplawski reported that she called 911 dispatch, and two uniformed police officers responded to her address at 1016 Fairfield Street a short time later, at which point she opened the front door of her residence and admitted them, saying "come and take his ass". Mrs. Poplawski reported that as the officers entered approximately ten feet into the residence, she heard gunshots, turned and saw her son about six feet away with a long rifle in his hands, at which point she fled downstairs after asking him "what the hell have you done?"

Mrs. Poplawski reported that she stayed in the basement for the next couple of hours, during which time she heard her son yell "yeah, I've been shot," and "I'm standing down, come in and help me." Mrs. Poplawski reported that her son had enlisted in the U.S.M.C. a few years ago, but was discharged for assaulting his drill sergeant in basic training. Mrs. Poplawski reported that since his discharge, her son has been stockpiling guns and ammunition, buying and selling the weapons on line, because he believed that as a result of economic collapse, the police were no longer able to protect society. Mrs. Poplawski reported that her son only liked police when they were not curtailing his constitutional rights, which he was determined to protect.

During the course of the investigation, a number of eyewitnesses were located, whose true identities were ascertained by proof positive (such as driver's license, social security number, etc.) and whose true identities have been memorialized in reports maintained by your affiants. To protect these known, but unnamed witnesses, they shall be referred to as Witness #1 and Witness #2 in this affidavit, but they will be available for all future court proceedings.

Witness #1, a resident of the 1000 block of Fairfield Street, reported that he/she was awakened from sleep by the sound of a single gunshot, then an additional gunshot. Witness #1 looked out of his/her home window and observed a police officer down near the front stoop of 1016 Fairfield Street. Witness #1 observed a W/M wearing light-colored clothing standing in the doorway of 1016 Fairfield Street with the screen door open, who fired 2-3 more shots into the downed officer, then re-entered the residence.

Officer Timothy McManaway responded to the scene at 0717 hrs. with other units in response to a dispatch call put out at approximately 0716 hrs. for officers being shot at, where he observed that Officer Eric Kelly has already preceded him as backup to Officers Scuiollo and Mayhle. Officer McManaway reported that Officer Kelly was lying supine near his own white SUV, as he had recently completed the night shift. Officer McManaway reported that in response to Officer Kelly raising his arm for help, he ran to his side, where he observed that Officer Kelly was wounded and complained that he could not breathe. Officer McManaway reported that he took cover near the front of the SUV to assess the threat, at which point gunfire erupted from within 1016 Fairfield Street, striking the vehicle and prompting Officer McManaway to return fire as his hand was injured a bullet or shrapnel.

Officer McManaway returned to Officer Kelly, and was able to pull him to cover behind the SUV, where he remained until they were rescued by S.W.A.T. subsequently. Officer McManaway reported that he was able to see the one officer lying outside the residence near the front stoop, and it was clear that he was dead, having been shot in the head; he could not see the second officer who was later found inside.

Witness #2, another resident of the 1000 block of Fairfield Street, reported that he/she was awakened from sleep by the sound of gunfire outside, at which point he/she looked out of his/her home. Witness #2 saw one police officer (Mayhle) down near the front stoop of 1016 Fairfield Street, and saw a second police officer (Kelly) crawling on the sidewalk near a white SUV that appeared to be riddled with bullets.

Witness #2 reported seeing a third police officer (McManaway) assist the second, apparently wounded police officer to cover at the rear of the SUV, then move to the front left of the SUV. Witness #2 reported that multiple shots were then discharged at the front of the SUV from within 1016 Fairfield Street, at which point the third police officer returned fire at the residence.

Pittsburgh Medics arrived on scene and transported Police Officer Eric Kelly to UPMC Presbyterian University Hospital where he died of his injuries. On 4-4-09 Medical Examiner's Deputies transported Officer Kelly to their Office where an examination was performed by Dr. Xu. Dr Xu determined the Cause of Death: Gunshot wounds of trunk and lower extremities. Manner of Death:



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Homicide.

Numerous Pittsburgh Bureau of Police units subsequently responded to the scene, including members of the S.W.A.T. team, who took up positions on and around residences surrounding 1016 Fairfield Street. A lengthy standoff in excess of approximately three hours ensued, during which time the actor exchanged intermittent gunfire with police. During this of gunfire the following S.W.A.T. officers T. Anderson (driver), S. Mescan (front passenger seat), S. Rattigan, R. Yosi, M. Truesdale, C. Thimons, M. Leap, and C. Schrader were inside their S.W.A.T. vehicle. The above listed actor, Richard Poplawski, identified by officer Anderson, fired numerous gunshots at them while they were inside the S.W.A.T. vehicle, which is bullet proof. Bullets fired by the actor struck the front windshield of both the driver and passenger sides, driver side portal, engines access panel on driver's side and passenger side upper brush guard.

During the course of the shooting the actor's gunfire struck 1021 Fairfield Street, which was occupied by Geraldine and Alfred Leipras. Also, struck by the actor's gunfire was 1025 Fairfield Street, which was occupied by Randel Daniel and John Dubawiewicz.

Once the actor himself was wounded in the leg, police negotiators convinced Richard Poplawski to allow them entry, whereupon he was taken into custody and transported by medics to the hospital for treatment. During the course of treatment rendered at the scene, medics removed light-colored clothing from the actor. S.W.A.T. officers observed the actor wearing body armor during the shooting.

Initial officers who made entry to secure the actor and search for other victims found Officer Scuiollo inside the living room of 1016 Fairfield Street, already deceased as a result of a gunshot wound of the head. These officers also secured the body of Officer Mayhle, who was found near the front stoop of the residence, also already deceased as a result of a gunshot wound of the head. These officers extricated Mrs. Poplawski from the home safely. During the course of this limited entry, S.W.A.T. team members observed numerous articles of ballistic evidence and firearms in plain view in the interior of the residence, as well as blood evidence. Officer Kelly was transported by medics to U.P.M.C. Presbyterian Hospital for treatment, but subsequently was pronounced deceased as a result of his gunshot wounds as previously mentioned.

Police Officers Paul Sciuollo and Stephen Mayhle were pronounced deceased by Pittsburgh Medics and transported to the medical Examiners in an ambulance for examination.

Subsequently on 4-4-09, Dr Shakir performed the examination on Officer Paul Sciuollo and determined the Cause of Death: Gunshot wounds of head and trunk. Manner of Death:Homicide.

Subsequently on 4-4-09, Dr. Luckasevic performed the examination on Officer Stephen Mayhle and determined the Cause of Death: Gunshot wound of head. Manner of Death: Homicide.

Based on the foregoing, your affiants respectfully request that an arrest warrant be issued for Richard A. Poplawski W/M 22: DOB:9-12-1986 charging him with the above listed offenses.



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I, BRIAN WEISMANTLE, BEING DULY SWORN ACCORDING TO THE LAW, DEPOSE AND SAY THAT THE FACTS SET FORTH IN THE FOREGOING AFFIDAVIT ARE TRUE AND CORRECT TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE, INFORMATION AND BELIEF.

[Signature]
(Signature of Affiant)

Sworn to me and subscribed before me this 4 day of April 2019
Date [Signature] Magisterial District Judge

My commission expires first Monday of January,

NOTARY JUDGE
05-2-22

