

State of Minnesota  
County of Hennepin

District Court  
4th Judicial District

Prosecutor File No. 21A00176  
Court File No. 27-CR-21-418

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**State of Minnesota,**

Plaintiff,

vs.

**DASEANNA DESTINY WILLIAMS DOB: 11/29/1999**

5801 73rd Ave N  
Apt 136  
Brooklyn Park, MN 55429

Defendant.

**COMPLAINT**

Order of Detention

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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: Aggravated Robbery-1st Degree**

Minnesota Statute: 609.245.1, with reference to: 609.245.1, 609.11.5(a)

Maximum Sentence: 20 YEARS AND/OR \$35,000

Offense Level: Felony

Offense Date (on or about): 01/02/2021

Control #(ICR#): 21001025

Charge Description: That on or about January 2, 2021, in Hennepin County, Minnesota, DASEANNA DESTINY WILLIAMS took personal property from the person or in the presence of Victim, knowing that she was not entitled to the property and used and/or threatened the imminent use of force against Victim to overcome her resistance or powers of resistance to or to compel acquiescence in the taking or carrying away of the property, and inflicted bodily harm upon Victim while using a firearm.

Minimum Sentence: 3 YEARS

**COUNT II**

**Charge: Assault-2nd Degree-Dangerous Weapon-Substantial Bodily Harm**

Minnesota Statute: 609.222.2, with reference to: 609.222.2, 609.11.5(a), 609.101.2

Maximum Sentence: 10 YEARS AND/OR \$6,000-\$20,000

Offense Level: Felony

Offense Date (on or about): 01/02/2021

Control #(ICR#): 21001025

Charge Description: That on or about January 2, 2021, in Hennepin County, Minnesota, DASEANNA DESTINY WILLIAMS assaulted Victim and inflicted substantial bodily harm, while using a firearm.

Minimum Sentence: 3 YEARS

## STATEMENT OF PROBABLE CAUSE

Complainant has investigated the facts and circumstances of this offense and believes the following establishes probable cause:

On or about January 2, 2021, at approximately 12:10 p.m., Minneapolis police officers responded to a shooting that had occurred at an apartment building located on 22nd Street East, in Minneapolis, Hennepin County, Minnesota. Upon arrival, officers met with female Victim, age 76, and her adult son. Victim was bleeding from her head and her hip. Victim and son were transported to Hennepin County Medical Center (HCMC). Officers spoke with Victim's adult son, who lives with Victim at the apartment. Victim's son stated earlier that morning, his mother left the apartment to go to the bank and withdraw cash for their rent. Victim's son stated Victim would have taken the bus to the bank. When Victim returned, Victim's son heard a gunshot outside their apartment door, then saw his mom enter the apartment injured and bleeding.

Officers spoke with Victim. Victim stated when she returned from the bank, there was a female following her in the apartment building parking lot. The female was later identified as DASEANNA DESTINY WILLIAMS (DOB: 11/29/99), hereinafter "Defendant." Victim did not know Defendant. Victim stated Defendant followed her into the apartment building and rode the elevator with her. When Victim got to her apartment door, Defendant pulled out a black handgun and shot Victim in the hip. Defendant also struck Victim in the head with the gun several times and grabbed Victim's purse. Victim stated she had approximately \$900 cash inside the purse. The purse was later located outside the building, but the cash was gone. Officers also located a discharged casing outside Victim's apartment unit along with pieces that appeared to be from the gun.

Doctors at HCMC diagnosed Victim with bone fractures to her shoulder blade and skull, hemorrhages in two different places inside her skull and a laceration to her forehead that required sutures. Victim also had a through-and-through gunshot wound to her upper thigh/buttocks area.

After further investigation and review of surveillance video, officers identified Defendant as the suspect of the shooting. On January 6, 2020, officers executed a search warrant at Defendant's apartment residence located on 73rd Avenue North in Brooklyn Park, Hennepin County, Minnesota. As officers entered the apartment, they observed Defendant attempting to escape through a window. Defendant was detained. During the search, officers located a loaded black Taurus semi-automatic handgun under a mattress. The handgun's trigger guard was missing and appeared to have been broken off. Officers also found crack cocaine inside the apartment.

Officers took a statement from Defendant. Defendant admitted she committed the shooting and robbery of Victim. Defendant admitted she shot Victim, struck her with the handgun and took her purse. Defendant is a suspect in two other recent robberies as well. Defendant is currently in custody.

## 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**

Abdiwahab Ali  
officer  
350 S 5th St  
Minneapolis, MN 55415-1389  
Badge: 0030

Electronically Signed:  
01/07/2021 02:50 PM  
Hennepin County, MN

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

**Prosecuting Attorney**

Kevin C Lin  
Assistant County Attorney  
300 S 6th St  
Minneapolis, MN 55487  
(612) 348-5550

Electronically Signed:  
01/07/2021 02:48 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 as directed in the Notice of Hearing before the above-named court 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: \$100,000.00

Conditions of Release: No Contact with Victim; No use of drugs/alcohol; Random UAs; No Possession of Weapons

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: January 7, 2021.

**Judicial Officer**

Luis Bartolomei  
District Court Judge

Electronically Signed: 01/07/2021 02:52 PM

Sworn testimony has been given before the Judicial Officer by the following witnesses:

**COUNTY OF HENNEPIN  
STATE OF MINNESOTA**

**State of Minnesota**

Plaintiff

vs.

**Daseanna Destiny Williams**

Defendant

*LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICER RETURN OF SERVICE  
I hereby Certify and Return that I have served a copy of this Order of  
Detention upon the Defendant herein named.*

Signature of Authorized Service Agent:

## DEFENDANT FACT SHEET

**Name:** Daseanna Destiny Williams  
**DOB:** 11/29/1999  
**Address:** 5801 73rd Ave N  
Apt 136  
Brooklyn Park, MN 55429

**Alias Names/DOB:** DA'SEANNA DESTINY WILLIAMS DOB: 11/29/1999  
**SID:** MN18A63696  
**Height:**  
**Weight:**  
**Eye Color:**  
**Hair Color:**  
**Gender:** FEMALE  
**Race:** Black  
**Fingerprints Required per Statute:** Yes  
**Fingerprint match to Criminal History Record:** Yes  
**Driver's License #:**  
**SILS Person ID #:** 829120  
**SILS Tracking No.** 3209325  
**Case Scheduling Information:** Defendant has several pending cases in Hennepin County all set for hearing on 2/8/21:  
27-CR-20-23694 - DANCO Violation  
27-CR-20-20726 - Domestic Assault  
27-CR-20-26810 - OFP Violation

**Alcohol Concentration:**

## STATUTE AND OFFENSE GRID

<b>Cnt Nbr</b>	<b>Statute Type</b>	<b>Offense Date(s)</b>	<b>Statute Nbrs and Descriptions</b>	<b>Offense Level</b>	<b>MOC</b>	<b>GOC</b>	<b>Controlling Agencies</b>	<b>Case Numbers</b>
1	Charge	1/2/2021	609.245.1 Aggravated Robbery-1st Degree	Felony	R1523		MN0271100	21001025
	Penalty	1/2/2021	609.11.5(a) Minimum Sentences of Imprisonment-Firearm Use or Possession	Felony	R1523		MN0271100	21001025
	Penalty	1/2/2021	609.245.1 Aggravated Robbery-1st Degree	Felony	R1523		MN0271100	21001025
2	Charge	1/2/2021	609.222.2 Assault-2nd Degree-Dangerous Weapon-Substantial Bodily Harm	Felony	A2223		MN0271100	21001025
	Definition	1/2/2021	609.101.2 Minimum Fines – Victim Assistance Programs	No-Level	A2223		MN0271100	21001025
	Penalty	1/2/2021	609.11.5(a) Minimum Sentences of Imprisonment-Firearm Use or Possession	Felony	A2223		MN0271100	21001025
	Penalty	1/2/2021	609.222.2 Assault-2nd Degree-Dangerous Weapon-Substantial Bodily Harm	Felony	A2223		MN0271100	21001025