State of Minnesota
County of Hennepin

District Court
4th Judicial District

Prosecutor File No. 15A06693
Court File No.

State of Minnesota,
Plaintiff,

vs.

MAURICE CARTER DOB: 02/23/1990
4009 5TH AV SOUTH
Minneapolis, MN 55409
Defendant.

COMPLAINT
Order of Detention

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: Assault-1st Degree-Use of deadly force against peace officer/prosecutor/judge or correction employee
Minnesota Statute: 609.221.2(a), with reference to: 609.11.5, 609.05.1, 609.05.2, 609.101.2, 609.221.2(a), 609.221.2(b)
Maximum Sentence: 20 YEARS AND/OR $30,000, WITH NO SUPERVISED RELEASE
Offense Level: Felony

Offense Date (on or about): 09/12/2015

Control #(ICR#): 15344624

Charge Description: That on or about September 12, 2015, in Hennepin County, Minnesota, MAURICE CARTER, acting alone or intentionally aiding, advising, hiring, counseling or conspiring with another or otherwise procured the other to commit the crime, and while using a firearm, assaulted PV1, a peace officer by using or attempting to use deadly force against PV1 while PV1 was engaged in the performance of his or her duties imposed by law, policy or rule.

Minimum Sentence: 10 YEARS

COUNT II

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Minimum Sentence: 10 YEARS

COUNT III

Charge: Assault-1st Degree-Use of deadly force against peace officer/prosecutor/judge or correction employee
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Minimum Sentence: 10 YEARS

COUNT IV

Charge: Assault-1st Degree-Use of deadly force against peace officer/prosecutor/judge or correction employee
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Minimum Sentence: 10 YEARS

COUNT V

Charge: Assault-1st Degree-Use of deadly force against peace officer/prosecutor/judge or correction employee
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Minimum Sentence: 10 YEARS

COUNT VI

Charge: Assault-1st Degree-Use of deadly force against peace officer/prosecutor/judge or correction employee
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Minimum Sentence: 10 YEARS

COUNT VII

Charge: Assault-1st Degree-Use of deadly force against peace officer/prosecutor/judge or correction employee
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Offense Level: Felony

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Minimum Sentence: 10 YEARS

COUNT VIII

Charge: Assault-1st Degree-Use of deadly force against peace officer/prosecutor/judge or correction employee
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Minimum Sentence: 10 YEARS

COUNT IX

Charge: Assault-1st Degree-Use of deadly force against peace officer/prosecutor/judge or correction employee
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Minimum Sentence: 10 YEARS

STATEMENT OF PROBABLE CAUSE

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

On September 12, 2015, at approximately 2:30 a.m., Minneapolis Police mounted patrol and bike patrol were Downtown, monitoring and managing bar close. At least nine fully-uniformed officers, some on bicycles, and others on horses, were concentrated in the intersection of 5th Street and Hennepin Avenue, Minneapolis, Hennepin County, Minnesota. These officers are fully identified in police reports, and are referenced herein as Police Victims 1-9. Officers heard a loud, rapid succession of gunshots. Officers differentiated the sounds of multiple guns, with different calibers. The gunfire was coming directly toward the officers. Officers reported hearing the sounds of bullets whizzing by their heads. Mounted officers observed the sound of "pinging" as bullet rounds hit the light rail tracks in very close proximity to the horses. The officers believed that they were being fired upon and feared for their lives.

As the shots were fired, multiple officers observed an individual wearing a red sweatshirt on 5th street, about mid-block, firing a handgun toward the intersection. The individual with the red-sweatshirt was quickly apprehended and identified as MAURICE CARTER, Defendant herein. Officers observed CARTER shoot multiple rounds from a semi-automatic handgun, and then calmly turn and walk away from the area. Officers quickly apprehended CARTER, and recovered a loaded handgun in his waistband. Video surveillance shows CARTER firing the handgun multiple times and within moments, his apprehension.

Other officers observed a second individual, later identified as DETROIT DAVIS-RILEY, holding a handgun. DAVIS-RILEY was on the sidewalk south of the transit parking lot barrier fence. DAVIS-RILEY fled into a nearby alley. Officers apprehended DAVIS-RILEY in the alley. Officers recovered a firearm in DAVIS-RILEY's flight path. The firearm was on the ground, along with a cell phone and pair of headphones. Video surveillance shows DAVIS-RILEY firing a handgun multiple times in a southerly direction, toward the intersection, and then fleeing into the alley.

When the shots stopped, officers controlled a chaotic situation. There were at least 50 individuals on the sidewalk, on the light rail station, and in the streets. Officers located six individuals who had suffered gunshot injuries. Some of the injured had multiple gunshot injuries. Officers and first responders provided emergency medical care to the wounded. The shooting victims were transported to the hospital via ambulance, for treatment of the injuries.

Forensic scientists responded to the scene and recovered firearms evidence, including 27 discharged cartridge casings, from at least two different caliber weapons. Many of the discharged cartridge casings are the same caliber as the two firearms recovered from CARTER and near DAVIS-RILEY. Many of the casings were located in the area where CARTER was observed firing, and where video surveillance shows DAVIS-RILEY firing.

In a post-Miranda interview, DAVIS-RILEY admitted that he was involved in a verbal altercation with rivals, but denied firing a gun. DAVIS-RILEY admitted that his cell phone and headphones were missing. DAVIS-RILEY provided a description of the cell phone case, which matched the cell phone case found near the recovered firearm in the alley.

Investigators continue to review extensive video surveillance from the area, and have identified a third gunman. Investigators continue their investigation regarding the civilian witnesses who were hit by gunfire. Many of the victims stated that they were on the sidewalk, mid-block of 5th street, when they were hit by gunfire. All denied that they had seen the person or people that had fired upon them. Some were

uncooperative at the scene, and remain uncooperative.

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	Sara Metcalf Police Sergeant 350 S 5th St Minneapolis, MN 55415-1389 Badge: 4755	Electronically Signed: 09/15/2015 11:49 AM

Subscribed and sworn to before the undersigned.

Notary Public or Judicial Official	<notary name>

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

Prosecuting Attorney	Vicki Vial-Taylor 300 S 6th St Minneapolis, MN 55487 (612) 348-5550	Electronically Signed: 09/15/2015 11:44 AM

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 on _____ ___, _____ at _____ **AM/PM** before the above-named court at 401 Fourth Avenue S, Minneapolis, MN 55415 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: $500,000.00
Conditions of Release:

This complaint is issued by the undersigned Judge as of the following date: _____ ___, _____.

Judicial Officer <judge name>

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

COUNTY OF HENNEPIN
STATE OF MINNESOTA

State of Minnesota
Plaintiff

vs.

MAURICE CARTER
Defendant

Clerk's Signature or File Stamp:

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: