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IN THE JUSTICE COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA,
IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF MISSOULA
BEFORE Keren A. Orzech JUSTICE OF THE PEACE

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STATE OF MONTANA

ASHLEY A. HUGHART

-VS-

Plaintiff.

Defendant.

The facts constituting the offense are:

Cause No. CR-2014-12661-62

COMPLAINT

JORDAN KILBY, Deputy County Attorney, deposes and says that on or about the 19th day of October, 2014, in Missoula County, the Defendant committed the offenses of COUNT I: ASSAULT WITH WEAPON, a Felony, in violation of Montana law, namely: Mont. Code Ann. 45-5-213, punishable by 20 years MSP and/or \$50,000 fine; COUNT II: ASSAULT WITH WEAPON, a Felony, in violation of Montana law, namely: Mont. Code Ann. 45-5-213, punishable by 20 years MSP and/or \$50,000 fine; COUNT III: ASSAULT WITH WEAPON, a Felony, in violation of Montana law, namely: Mont. Code Ann. 45-5-213, punishable by 20 years MSP and/or \$50,000 fine

COUNT I: On or about the 19th day of October, 2014, the above-named Defendant purposely or knowingly caused reasonable apprehension of serious bodily injury in KH, a minor, by use of a weapon or what reasonably appeared to be a weapon, to wit: a pogo stick

COUNT II: On or about the 19th day of October, 2014, the above-named

Defendant purposely or knowingly caused reasonable apprehension of serious bodily

injury in JW, a minor, by use of a weapon or what reasonably appeared to be a weapon, to wit: a pogo stick COUNT III: On or about the 19th day of October, 2014, the above-named Defendant purposely or knowingly caused reasonable apprehension of serious bodily injury in JM, a minor, by use of a weapon or what reasonably appeared to be a weapon. to wit: a pogo stick DATED this 20th day of October, 2014. Deputy County Attorney Subscribed and sworn to before me this day of October, 2014. JUSTICE OF THE PEACE COMPLAINT 14-2262 Missoula City Police Dept MCCARTHY 

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County of Missoula

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Cause No. CR-2014-12661-CZ

**AFFIDAVIT OF PROBABLE CAUSE** 

JORDAN KILBY, Deputy County Attorney, Montana, being first duly sworn upon oath, deposes and says:

: ss

I have read the official law enforcement reports regarding the investigation of ASHLEY A. HUGHART for allegedly committing the offense(s) set forth in the complaint and based upon the information contained in the reports, if true, believe probable cause exists to justify charging the above-named defendant as specified in the accompanying complaint.

On or about the 19<sup>th</sup> of October, 2014, Amanda Brown, called 911 when she saw a group of children, run screaming into her home on the 1200 block of Toole Ave in Missoula County. The kids yelled, "He's going to hurt us." She went to the open front door and saw a man holding her daughter's pogo stick. She told the man to leave and he dropped the pogo stick and left. She described him a male adult in his late 20's, wearing a blue backpack, black pants, and a black tank top. She stated he left in the direction of Magic Diamond Casino.

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Officers located a male matching the description at the corner of Burton and Toole, near the Magic Diamond Casino. They identified him as Ashley Hughart. Ashley stated he had been involved in a disturbance with some juvenile gilrs. He said the girls accused him of rape and then took his backpack. He said he threatened to call the police and the girls returned his backpack. He denied grabbing a pogo stick.

KH stated the man chased her with the pogo stick and that she was scared he was going to hit her so she ran from him. She said he was holding the stick like he was going to swing it. JM stated she was initially holding the pogo stick. She stated the man ran at them and she dropped the stick. She stated he picked up the stick and ran after them. JW stated he saw the man yelling at a group of kids. JW stated the man chased him through the yard with the pogo stick in his hand.

JONDAN KILBY
Deputy County Attorney

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN TO before me this \_\_\_\_\_ day of October, 2014.

JUSTICE OF THE PEACE

## <u>ORDER</u>

Upon reading the foregoing Affidavit, the Court finds that there is probable cause to believe the above-named Defendant committed the crimes charged.

DATED this day of	, 2014 at	a.m./p.m.
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