

1 IN THE JUSTICE COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA,
2 IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF MISSOULA
3 BEFORE Marie A Andersen, JUSTICE OF THE PEACE

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Justice Court

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5 STATE OF MONTANA
6 Plaintiff,
7 -VS-
8 JOEL ARTHUR GOLDER
Defendant,

Dept No. 1
Cause No. CR-2015-458

COMPLAINT

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10 JORDAN KILBY, Deputy County Attorney, deposes and says that on or about the
11 24th day of July, 2015, in Missoula County, the Defendant committed the offenses of
12 COUNT I: ASSAULT WITH WEAPON, a Felony, in violation of Montana law, namely:
13 Mont. Code Ann. 45-5-213, punishable by 20 years MSP and/or \$50,000 fine; COUNT II:
14 PARTNER OR FAMILY MEMBER ASSAULT - 1ST OFFENSE, a Misdemeanor, in
15 violation of Montana law, namely: Mont. Code Ann. 45-5-206[1st], punishable by not less
16 than 24 hours or more than one year MCDF and/or a fine not less than \$100 or more than
17 \$1000.
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19 The facts constituting the offense are:

20 COUNT I: On or about the 24th day of July, 2015, the above-named Defendant
21 purposely or knowingly caused reasonable apprehension of serious bodily injury in Jane
22 Doe by use of a weapon or what reasonably appeared to be a weapon, to wit: a gun.
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24 COUNT II: On or about the 24th day of July, 2015, the above-named Defendant
25 purposely or knowingly caused bodily injury to Jane Doe, a partner, by punching her.
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27 DATED this 26th day of July, 2015.

28 Jordan Kilby
JORDAN KILBY
Deputy County Attorney

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2 Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26 day of July, 2015.

3 Mrs. J. A. Smith
4 JUSTICE OF THE PEACE

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AFFIDAVIT OF PROBABLE CAUSE

9 STATE OF MONTANA)
10 : ss
11 County of Missoula)

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

14 I have read the official law enforcement reports regarding the investigation of JOEL
15 ARTHUR GOLDER for allegedly committing the offense(s) set forth in the complaint and
16 based upon the information contained in the reports, if true, believe probable cause exists
17 to justify charging the above-named defendant as specified in the accompanying
18 complaint.
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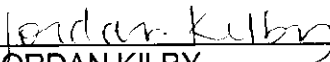
20 On or about the 24th day of July, 2015 Dispatch received a report of a male
21 pointing a gun at his mother and girlfriend at the 2100 block of South Reserve, which is
22 within Missoula County. A later report stated the male's girlfriend, Jane Doe, had just
23 arrived at Community Medical Center.
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25 A Missoula City Police Officer interviewed Jane Doe. Jane Doe stated she and
26 her significant other, Joel Golder, were arguing about infidelities within the relationship
27 when he grabbed a hand gun and pointed it at her forehead. He then moved the
28 handgun to his right and discharged the weapon inches from her left ear. Jane Doe


1 stated she was scared. Golder then took the gun and placed it up against his head.
2 She was able to get the gun from Golder and locked the gun in her car. She stated she
3 went back inside the building because she knew there was another gun in the building
4 and Golder's mother was also there.
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6 Jane Doe stated Golder's mother had the second handgun and somehow
7 transferred it to Jane Doe. Golder then went after Jane Doe, pinning her up against the
8 wall by her throat. Golder then punched Jane Doe in the face at least three times. Jane
9 Doe was able to escape with the gun. She then drove to Community Medical Center.
10 Her injuries were documented and are consistent with her report of what occurred.
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12 A search warrant was executed on the building where the incident took place. A
13 bullet was located lodged in the upper south wall of the business.
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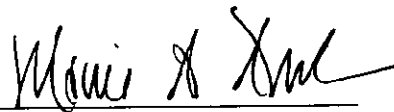
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16 JORDAN KILBY
17 Deputy County Attorney

18 SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN TO before me this 26 day of July, 2015.

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20 JUSTICE OF THE PEACE
21 ORDER
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23 Upon reading the foregoing Affidavit, the Court finds that there is probable cause to
24 believe the above-named Defendant committed the crimes charged.

25 DATED this 26 day of July, 2015 at 2:46 a.m. (p.m.)
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28 JUSTICE OF THE PEACE