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IN THE JUSTICE COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF MISSOULA
BEFORE, Landee N. Holloway, JUSTICE OF THE PEACE

STATE OF MONTANA,
Plaintiff,

-vs-
ANTHONY MARK VALLIER,
Defendant,

Department No. 2
Cause No. CR-17-238

COMPLAINT

JASON MARKS, Chief Deputy County Attorney, deposes and says that on or about the 9th day of January, 2017, in Missoula County, the Defendant committed the offenses of COUNT I: TAMPERING WITH OR FABRICATING PHYSICAL EVIDENCE, a Felony, in violation of Montana law, namely: Mont. Code Ann. 45-7-207, punishable by 10 years MSP and/or \$50,000 fine; COUNT II: THEFT, a Felony, in violation of Montana law, namely: Mont. Code Ann. 45-6-301(1)[8], punishable by a fine of not more than \$50,000.00 and/or not more than 10 years MSP.

The facts constituting the offense are:

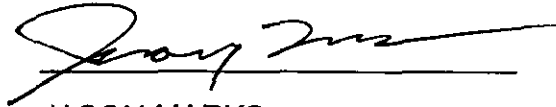
COUNT I: On or about the 9th day of January, 2017, the above-named Defendant believing that an official proceeding or investigation is pending or about to be

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1 instituted concealed or removed cash with the purpose to impair its availability in such
2 proceeding or investigation.

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4 COUNT II: On or about the 9th day of January, 2017, the above-named
5 Defendant purposely or knowingly obtained or exerted unauthorized control over cash in
6 excess of \$1,500 owned by Bradley Stover with the purpose of depriving the owner of
7 the property.

8 DATED this 3rd day of March, 2017.

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11 JASON MARKS
12 Chief Deputy County Attorney

13 Subscribed and sworn to before me this ____ day of March, 2017.

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17 REBECCA BIRKET, Missoula County Sheriff's Office
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24 STATE OF MONTANA)
25 : ss
26 County of Missoula)

27 JASON MARKS, Chief Deputy County Attorney, Montana, being first duly sworn
28 upon oath, deposes and says:

I have read the official law enforcement reports regarding the investigation of ANTHONY MARK VALLIER 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 9th day of January, 2017, Missoula County Sheriff's Deputies responded to a call of regarding shots fired at a cabin off of Highway 12 in Missoula

1 County. The cabin was surrounded and one of the tenants who rented the cabin,
2 Anthony Vallier, was taken into custody. Deputies noted that his hands were covered in
3 blood. Inside the cabin deputies found Vallier's girlfriend, Tanya Gilliam, dead in a chair
4 in the main living area of the cabin and a neighbor, Bradley Stover, was found dead
5 sitting on a nearby couch. Each had died from a single gunshot wound. A
6 semiautomatic handgun was recovered at the scene.
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8 Vallier consented to an interview and the Missoula County Sheriff's Department.
9 He said that he, Tanya, and Bradley had all been drinking together. They had also
10 been discussing the possibility of Tanya purchasing a handgun, the same one
11 recovered following the shootings, from Bradley. However, Vallier said that they had no
12 money with which to purchase it and it would have taken them several months to come
13 up with the \$400 that Bradley wanted for the gun. He said that out of nowhere Bradley
14 fired a shot that hit Tanya. He then struggled with Bradley for the gun and in the process
15 shot Bradley once at point blank range while both of their hands were on the gun.
16 Vallier said that he then attempted to render aid to Tanya. He explained that as the
17 source of the blood on his hands.
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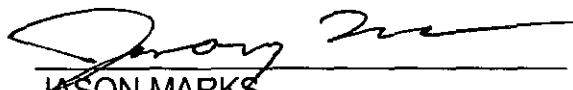
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20 Neighbors were interviewed including the neighbor directly next to Vallier's cabin.
21 He said he had been in the cabin briefly prior to the shootings. He confirmed Vallier's
22 account of the drinking and discussion of Tanya purchasing Bradley's handgun. He
23 also noted that Bradley had a "wad of money." Sometime after he returned to his own
24 residence he heard gunshots and heard Vallier yell, "you motherfucker you shot Tanya."
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27 Detectives conducted an extensive examination of the scene of the shootings.
28 They did not find any evidence that contradicted Vallier's account of how the shootings

1 took place. However, they did not locate any cash consistent with the "wad of money"
2 described by the neighbor. One oddity noted was that there was a smear of blood on
3 Bradley's jeans going into one of his rear pockets. There was no apparent explanation
4 for it and Vallier insisted that he had not touched Bradley's body following the shooting.
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6 Detective Birket began investigating Vallier's finances. She learned that he is on
7 Social Security disability and has a payee. His bank records indicate that on January
8 11, 2017, his checking and saving accounts had a total of \$5.50. That day he returned
9 to his cabin after the scene was released. On January 12, 2017, Vallier made a deposit
10 of \$1,540 into his account. That same day he gave his landlord \$700. Deputy Birket
11 interviewed Vallier's payee who indicated that she did not know where he would have
12 obtained the money that was deposited into his account.
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14 Detective Birket subpoenaed the bank records for Bradley's bank account. On
15 March 2, 2017, she received a copy of the bank records indicating that Bradley had
16 made a \$7,000 cash withdrawal in December of 2016.
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22 JASON MARKS
23 Chief Deputy County Attorney

24 SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN TO before me this ____ day of March, 2017.
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ORDER

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

5 DATED this _____ day of _____, 2017 at _____ a.m./p.m.
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