

AFFIDAVIT FOR SEARCH WARRANT

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The facts to establish the grounds for issuance of a Search Warrant are:

- Deputy Jayme Woody
- Currently a detective for Summit County Sheriff
- Previously in Traffic and School Resource/Youth Crimes, and patrol in Summit County
- Previously employed with Wasatch County Sheriff
- 2 years emergency 911 dispatcher for medical, police, fire
- 1 year as Correction deputy
- Graduated Fred House Corrections Academy August 2006
- Graduated SLCC POST 2007
- Training after graduation:
- Child Abuse Investigations by John E Reid 11/6-11/8 2007
- National Children's Advocacy Center; Law Enforcement's Initial Response to Child Sexual Abuse: Guidelines 01/23/09
- Conference on Child Abuse and Family Violence by Prevent Child Abuse Utah 14.5 hrs 09/24-09/26 2007
- Child Forensic Interviewing by NICHD Guidelines 24 hrs 10/17-10/19 2007
- Rape and Sex Crimes Investigation by PATC 16hrs 03/26-03/27 2007
- Responding to Missing and Abducted Children by NCMEC 36 hrs 09/14-09/18 2009
- Conference on Child Abuse and Family Violence by Prevent Child Abuse Utah 14.5 hrs 11/2-11/4 2009
- Drug Facilitated Sexual Assault by MCTFT 8 hrs 06/15/09
- Domestic Violence and Sexual Assault by West Valley Police 5 hrs 2/12/09
- Highway Vehicle Stops and Drug Trafficking by MCTFT 24 hrs 07/07-07/09 2009
- School Resource Officer 40 hrs by Corbin and Assoc 08/6-08/10 2007
- Drug Law Enforcement Training Program by Homeland Security FLETC 07/21-07/23 2008
- Code R procedures and familiarization by PKMC SANE 2 hrs 11/17/09
- Courtroom Testimony by MCTFT 16 hrs 11/18-11/19 2009
- Current Corrections Emergency Response Team- 4 hrs every month
- Awards from Summit County Sheriff's Office
- Good Samaritan Commendation
- Good Conduct Commendation
- Criminal Investigations Award
- Deputy of the Year award 2010

On 03/04/22 a call came in for a deceased individual, Eric. Eric's wife was the caller and stated that her husband was cold and not breathing. The wife was supposedly attempting to give Eric CPR but when fire and medical arrived they advised that it had not appeared that she had done any CPR, due to the large amount of blood that came from Eric's mouth.

According to Eric's wife she was asleep with the kids in the next room until around 0300 hrs and last saw him at 2130 hrs. She said she lay in bed next to him and put an arm around him and felt he was cold. When she tried to wake him, she noticed he appeared to be deceased. The male was 39 years old and appeared to be in relatively good health with no major health problems except Lyme Disease.

The wife said that they were "celebrating" a work thing and that Eric had one shot of alcohol and a THC gummy. She was asked if he was addicted to any substances or took any other medications. She said he had no substance abuse problems except a pain pill addiction in high school but that he had no problems since.

When she had been asked by EMTs and officers where Eric's medications were during CPR she said she didn't know because the maid just puts medications in random places. The garbages from the home and down the hallway where Eric was, were found were empty and the master bathroom didn't even have a garbage. When looking through the bathroom medications we did not find any pain killers or any other concerning medications for Eric.

While investigating the death I was told by Eric's family members that they suspected his wife had something to do with his death. They advised he warned them that if anything happened to him she was to blame. According to a sister, Eric and his wife went to Greece a few years ago and after his wife gave him a drink he became violently ill and called his sister saying he believed his wife had tried to kill him. On Valentine's Day of 2022, his wife brought him a sandwich, which after one bite Eric broke into hives and couldn't breathe. He used his son's epi-pen as well as Benadryl before passing out for several hours. He woke up and immediately called his business partner about the incident.

Eric had also recently changed his will and life insurance from his wife to his sister. He was looking into a divorce and wanted his kids taken care of. According to the family, Eric never disclosed to his wife that he had cut her out of the will. Also, according to the family, Eric and his wife were arguing over buying a nearly 2-million-dollar property she wanted to "flip". He was planning on telling her that he wasn't going to sign the papers. The day after Eric's death, his wife allegedly signed the closing papers on the home. This was the "celebration" that his wife claimed they were celebrating, was buying the home.

In January of 2022, Eric's wife logged into Eric's life insurance policy (buy/sell) agreement with his business partner and changed them from each other's beneficiary to her as the only beneficiary. They were notified by the insurance company and able to change it back.

On 04/08/22 the toxicology came back for Eric and it appeared that he died from a massive overdose of Fentanyl. There was nothing in Eric's medications on scene and according to his wife there was no use of any narcotics from Eric. There was

no indication of Eric from friends or family or on scene that Eric was a drug user or that he had any use or behavioral changes to indicate drug use.

I would like to request we be able to thoroughly search the home for any Fentanyl substance or anything that might have trace amounts of Fentanyl including pills, powder, liquids or any containers or areas that may be used to conceal or house the chemical. I also would like to look for any tracking materials, papers, receipts, boxes or anything showing where the Fentanyl may have originated. In my training and experience, illegally obtained Fentanyl is frequently obtained via shipments in the mail.

WHEREFORE, your affiant prays that a Search Warrant be issued for the seizure of said items in the daytime.

APPLICATION TO SEAL SEARCH WARRANT AND RELATED DOCUMENTS:

Your Affiant requests, pursuant to Utah Rule of Crim. P. 40(m) that the search warrant, application, and affidavit or other recorded testimony upon which the warrant is based, to include this application for an order sealing such documents, be SEALED until 06/10/2022 for the following reasons:

pose a serious impediment to the investigation;

Due to experience with other cases of this magnitude in this county, I have had media sources post the information in the warrant to the news causing severe damage to the case. I would like to seal the request long enough to keep the element of surprise so that any evidence will not be disposed of before we have had a chance to plan and serve the warrant.

I declare under criminal penalty of the State of Utah that the foregoing is true and correct.

Executed on: 11th day of April, 2022 @ 03:29 PM by /s/ JAYME N WOODY

IN THE THIRD DISTRICT COURT - ALL DEPARTMENT
IN AND FOR SUMMIT COUNTY, STATE OF UTAH

SEARCH WARRANT

No. 2420941

COUNTY OF SUMMIT, STATE OF UTAH

To any peace officer in the State of Utah:

Proof by Affidavit made upon oath or written affirmation subscribed under criminal penalty of the State of Utah having been made to me by Detective JAYME N WOODY of Summit County Sheriff, this day, I am satisfied that there is probable cause to believe

THAT

On the premises known as 282 Willow Crt., Francis, UT, further described as multi-level home tan home with rock decor, sitting in a cul-de-sac, with a two door garage and a detached garage sitting behind the home.;

In the City of Francis, County of Summit, State of Utah, there is now certain property or evidence described as:

Any Fentanyl substance or anything that might have trace amounts of Fentanyl including pills, powder, liquids or any containers or areas that may be used to conceal or house the chemical including the home and attached and detached garages. Any paper, boxes, receipts, printouts or anything showing any tracking or mailing materials where the substance may have been sent to or from and to what person.

and that said property or evidence:

Was unlawfully acquired or is unlawfully possessed;

has been used or is possessed for the purpose of being used to commit or conceal the commission of an offense; or

is evidence of illegal conduct.

Affiant believes the property and evidence described above is evidence of the crime or crimes of homicide.

YOU ARE THEREFORE COMMANDED:

to make a search in the daytime of the above-named or described person, vehicle, item, and/or premises for the herein-above described property or evidence and if you find the same or any part thereof, retain such property in your custody subject to the direction of a prosecutor or an order of this Court.

ORDER TO SEAL

Based upon the Application to Seal in the accompanying Affidavit in Support of Search Warrant, IT IS HERBY ORDERED that that the search warrant, application, and affidavit or other recorded testimony upon which this search warrant is based, to include the application for an order sealing such documents, is SEALED until 06/10/2022.

Dated: 11th day of April, 2022 @ 03:49 PM /s/

MARK S KOURIS
District Court Judge



RETURN TO SEARCH WARRANT

NO. 2420941

The personal property listed below or set out on the inventory attached hereto was taken from the person of 282 Willow Ct, Francis, by virtue of a search warrant dated the 11th day of April, 2022, and issued by Magistrate MARK KOURIS of the THIRD DISTRICT COURT - ALL DEPARTMENT:

syringe, Hydrocodone pills, supplements, gummies, oils, paperwork, various RX bottles, backpack, THC edibles, tweezers and baggie, bottle Mike's Hard Lemonade, OTC medication bottles

I, Detective JAYME N WOODY of Summit County Sheriff, by whom this warrant was executed, do swear that the above listed or below attached inventory contains a true and detailed account of all the property taken by me under the warrant, on the 13th day of April, 2022.

All of the property taken by virtue of said warrant will be retained in my custody subject to the order of this Court or of any other court in which the offense in respect to which the property, or things taken, is triable.

I declare under criminal penalty of the State of Utah that the foregoing is true and correct.

Executed on: 20th day of April, 2022 @ 10:03 AM by /s/ JAYME N WOODY