

STATE OF OKLAHOMA } S.S.  
CLEVELAND COUNTY }  
IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE TWENTY-FIRST JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF  
OKLAHOMA SITTING IN AND FOR CLEVELAND COUNTY



THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA, **FEB, 16 2022**

Plaintiff,

In the office of the

Court Clerk MARILYN WILLIAMS No. CF-2022-

vs.

APRIL VIENNA PHILLIPS

ADDR: 18401 180th St.  
Lexington, OK 73051

DL: \*\*\*\*7655

SSN: \*\*\*-\*\*-7006

DOB: December, 1973

Defendant(s).

INFORMATION

FOR:

COUNT 1: MURDER IN THE FIRST DEGREE - DELIBERATE INTENT ~ 21 O.S. § 701.7(A), a FELONY

STATE OF OKLAHOMA, COUNTY OF CLEVELAND:

I, Greg Mashburn, the undersigned District Attorney of said County, in the name and by the authority of the State of Oklahoma, give information that in said County of Cleveland and in the State of Oklahoma, **APRIL VIENNA PHILLIPS** did then and there unlawfully, willfully, knowingly and wrongfully commit the crime(s) of:

COUNT 1: MURDER IN THE FIRST DEGREE - DELIBERATE INTENT ~ a FELONY, on or about the 12th day of February, 2022, in Cleveland County, Oklahoma by unlawfully and with malice aforethought causing the death of another human being, to-wit: Rayburn Phillips by inflicting certain mortal wounds, to-wit: by using a firearm to shoot Rayburn Phillips in the chest inflicting mortal wounds from which he languished and died and Rayburn Phillips did in fact die as a result of the wounds inflicted by April Vienna Phillips, contrary to the form of the Statutes in such cases made and provided and against the peace and dignity of the State of Oklahoma.

GREG MASHBURN  
DISTRICT ATTORNEY

By:  Assistant District Attorney

AN/AH 2-16-22

WITNESSES ENDORSED FOR THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA

Olivia Burrus, ccso, Cleveland County Sheriff's Office, 111 N. Peters, Norman, OK 73069  
Kasie Hayes, CCSSO, Cleveland County Sheriff's Office, 203 S. Jones, Norman, OK 73069  
Katherine Frances Henderson, 504 Forman Ave, Norman, OK 73069  
Matthew Sandburg, CCSSO, Cleveland County Sheriff's Office, 111 N Peters Ave., Norman, OK 73069  
Elexa Sanders, CCSSO, Cleveland County Sheriff's Office, 111 N Peters Ave Suite 600, Norman, OK 73069  
Law Enforcement Incident Number: 22-00349 CMS Case ID Number: 22-834  
Lead Law Enforcement Agency: Cleveland County Sheriff's Office

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Plaintiff,  
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FEB 16 2022

Case No. 2022-00349

Defendant.

PHILLIPS, APRIL VIENNA  
Court Clerk MARILYN WILLIAMS  
AFFIDAVIT

CF-22-198

TIME OF ARREST: 0835 HOURS

The undersigned upon oath deposes and states as follows, to wit:

That the affiant is employed by the Cleveland County Sheriff's Office, as a Detective assigned to Operations-CID. That on February 12<sup>th</sup>, 2022, at 18401 180<sup>th</sup> St., in Lexington, Cleveland County, Oklahoma,

The undersigned further states as follows:

On February 12<sup>th</sup>, 2022 at approximately 0512 hours Cleveland County deputies were dispatched to 18401 180<sup>th</sup> St. in Cleveland County in regards to a person shot. The caller advised the victim was shot in the abdomen and did not appear to be breathing. The caller laughed while speaking about the victim being shot. The caller stated the victim was a wife beater and deserved it. The caller stated she would kick the victim in the head.

When asked by dispatch who shot the victim, the caller stated "his fucking wife, and you know what, I don't blame her." Dispatch asked the caller what took place before the victim was shot, the caller stated she would not talk to dispatch until she spoke to her attorney.

The caller could be heard telling someone in the background "Hey, where is the gun? Hey, we need to put the gun away. Where is it?"

Upon arrival to the scene, deputies found an adult white male shot one time in the chest. The male was unresponsive. The victim was transported via ambulance to the Purcell Hospital where he died.

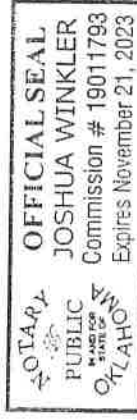
Deputies detained two females on scene, one being the caller and one being the victim's wife, April Vienna Phillips. April told deputies she shot the victim. Both females were extremely intoxicated and were unable to be interviewed to receive more information about what took place.

APRIL VIENNA PHILLIPS was arrested for the following charges:

*Murder in the First Degree, 21 O.S. §701.7 (A)*

///End of Report///

The undersigned swears and affirms that the above information is true and correct.

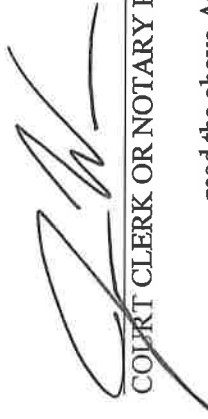


*[Signature]* 2013  
AFFIANT-Detective Olivia Burrus, 2013, CCSO

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12 day of February, 20 22.

My Commission Expires

Nov 21, 2023

  
COURT CLERK OR NOTARY PUBLIC

I, \_\_\_\_\_, read the above Affidavit to

Judge \_\_\_\_\_ by telephone this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_,

20 \_\_\_\_\_, at \_\_\_\_\_ o'clock \_\_\_\_\_ M., and received verbal authorization to detain the Defendant.

\_\_\_\_\_  
DEPUTY SHERIFF

**FINDING OF PROBABLE CAUSE TO DETAIN**

The undersigned Judge of this Court, upon affidavit, hereby finds there (is) (is not) probable cause to detain the Defendant pending further proceedings.

DATED this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20 \_\_\_\_\_.

\_\_\_\_\_  
JUDGE