



**AFFIDAVIT AND APPLICATION FOR ARREST WARRANT
AND THE ARREST WARRANT FOR THE PERSON(S) OF:**

Mathew Baldwin 07-08-1998 DU ID [REDACTED]



C.R.S. 18-4-203 Second degree burglary in building or occupied structure x 8

Detective Fred Ybarra 89007, the Affiant, state under oath that the facts known to the Affiant which establish probable cause to believe that a criminal offense was committed, and that the offense was committed by the above-named person(s), are the following:

On January 27, 2019 Your Affiant was assigned to investigate a burglary that occurred 2330 S. Kearney Street Denver, CO January 26, 2019 @1931 hours in the City & County of Denver, State of Colorado.

Your Affiant followed up with the initial police report completed by Officer Michael Sweetin #17039.

Officer Sweetin wrote in his preliminary investigation the following:

On 01/27/2019 at 0328 hours, while working car 355S, Sweetin was dispatched to 1770 S. Williams St. on a DU Campus Security Assist.

Upon arrival, Officer Sweetin contacted Campus Security Officer Murfin, Troy (09/17/1965). Murfin stated that he and Campus Security Officer's Mitchel, Shane (08/07/1988) and Morton, Evan 08/12/1995 were dispatched to the basement for Denver University Students that were in a restricted area. Upon their arrival, they smelled a strong odor of Marijuana and found the 4 listed subjects in Storage Room 028. The subjects were non-compliant and aggressive towards security. Security officers were able to get all 4 subjects to the main lobby and await police arrival. I learned from the security officers that DU security had completed several theft reports and believed the subject in the basement were suspects in the thefts. The reports were completed internally by DU Security.

Officer Sweetin then contacted one of the subject's Mathew G Baldwin 07/08/1998 who was immediately argumentative and non-compliant. Officer Sweetin asked Baldwin to stand up in which he refused. I then grabbed Baldwin under the arm and assisted him to stand up. Officer Sweetin told Baldwin to put his hands behind his back in which he began to turtle and pull his arms into his chest. Officer Sweetin gave verbal commands to stop resisting and attempted multiple times to get his left arm behind his back. Other officers came over to assist and after multiple attempts

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to place the subject's hands behind his back we escorted him onto the ground and placed him in handcuffs.

Officer Sweetin found out that the storage room that the subjects were in when contacted had stolen items in a file cabinet from multiple Burglary's that took place in the dorm rooms between the morning of Thursday 01/24/2019 - Saturday 01/26/2018. Security found the items in the file cabinet and recognized them as the stolen items from the reports that had been made.

The listed victims are as follows:

[REDACTED] North Tower Room [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] South Tower Room [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] South Tower Room [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] South Tower Room [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] North Tower Room [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] South Tower Room [REDACTED]

The listed items were taken from each victim:

[REDACTED] Red Nintendo Switch with blue controller, super smash bros game, white Hamilton khaki automatic 38 mm wrist watch with green band.

[REDACTED] Canada Goose green jacket, apple air pods.

[REDACTED] Black Dell Laptop with scratches on top and stickers removed from keyboard.

[REDACTED] Unknown items.

[REDACTED] Beats by Dre headphones, apple ear buds, black LuLu Lemon Size 7 shoes.

[REDACTED] Versace Cologne, white Adidas shoes, a watch with silver face and black band, 2008 Nintendo DS.

The listed items were recovered in the storage room filing cabinet:

1. Hamilton Wrist Watch
2. Echo Smart Pen
3. Wentop Strip Lights
4. Giro Ski Goggles
5. Elements Rolling Papers
6. Apple Mac Book Charger
7. Pair of Shoe Laces
8. Bose Headphones
9. Bose Headphones in case
10. Nintendo Switch
11. Nikon Camera
12. Beats by Dre Headphones with case

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13. Adidas Yeezy Shoes
14. APL Shoes
15. Steve Madden Shoes
16. North Face Hoody
17. XIOS New York Jacket
18. Canadian Goose Jacket

Crime Lab Technician Giannasca Y34 (B13043) arrived on scene and took prints from the cabinets where the stolen items were recovered.

Statements were taken from the three Security Officers that initially contacted the subjects in the storage room.

Technician Giannasca photographed the scene where the property was found. All found property and photos were inventoried and submitted into property.

On January 28, 2019 Your Affiant followed up with Head of DU Security, Mike Fetrow who related he had numerous victims that have come forward with reports stating that their rooms were entered, and their belongings have been stolen. Fetrow stated that he has 3-5 suspects he has identified through his preliminary investigation that is ongoing. Fetrow related that he could get together with Your Affiant on January 29, 2019 at 1000 hours at his office to go through the case and property that the students are missing from their rooms and that he has photos of two suspects on his video surveillance cameras wearing a jacket and a backpack on the persons back. Fetrow asked if Your Affiant could bring the items that were confiscated by the DPD officers back to their campus, so the students can ID and get back and he would sign for the entire possession as head of security for DU.

Your Affiant viewed the property invoice and saw numerous items that had been placed into property bureau.

On January 29, 2019 @0830 hours Your Affiant responded to the DPD property bureau and checked out the items placed into property for the exception of item #5 & 19.

Your Affiant responded to DU Security Office and met with DU Head of Security, Mike Fetrow who had decided with DU Housing Faculty to meet with students and Your Affiant concerning the case. Fetrow signed for the items and took full control & possession of the items for the school. Several students identified their belongings, taken from their rooms in a burglary. Fetrow said he would be working on a detailed report as to which students have items missing from their rooms with all the information with names, DOB's and dollar amounts of the items. The DU housing faculty staff said they would be working on looking into removing the suspects that they believe are all involved in burglarizing the student's rooms.

Your Affiant received a phone call from [REDACTED] regarding their son (Christopher Waldron) who had been expelled from school.

Your Affiant returned the phones call to [REDACTED] and explained the case is an ongoing investigation into some burglary cases involving their son. Your Affiant related to [REDACTED] that DU

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security was working on an internal investigation and hopefully their kids will cooperate with Your Affiant and DU staff to get down to the bottom of all of this and get it resolved.

On January 31, 2019 @0816 hours Your Affiant received a phone call from Matt Baldwin who stated he was on his way into to meet with Your Affiant and would like to talk. Matt stated he had talked with his dad [REDACTED] and said he needed to clear his name and that he had to take the bus to get to district three.

Interview with Matt Baldwin paraphrased. Please see video tape for complete and accurate details.

At approximately 0950 hours Matt arrived at district three and said he wanted to voluntarily speak with Your Affiant about an incident at Denver University. Matt was taken into interview room 239 on the second floor of district three. Matt was informed he was at district three voluntarily and that there was an ongoing investigation on thefts/burglary involving items that were recovered at DU, the items had been recovered by DU Security and Denver police. Matt said he wanted to tell Your Affiant that he had been on "Zanix" a drug used for anxiety but used to get a high" and had been with his friend "Christopher Waldron" and he remembers that he was knocking on doors and did talk with some people from the rooms he knocked on at 1770 S. Williams Street and he thinks, he and Christopher entered some rooms together when there was no one in them & might have taken some items. Matt said he might have gone into the rooms by himself and Christopher might have gone into rooms by himself as well when they did not go into them together. Matt said when he woke up the next morning he saw all these items in his room and said "wow" I might have stolen these things. Matt said he thinks they might have gone into 5-30 rooms from about 12p-4p on Sunday and he could not remember the dates.

Matt said he wanted to make everything right, Your Affiant relayed to Matt if he understands that he is not under arrest and he does not need to speak with Your Affiant.

Your Affiant wanted to show Matt some photos and advised Matt of his Miranda Rights in case he did not want to identify the suspects in the video surveillance still photos that were supplied to Your Affiant by DU Security, Mike Fetrow. Matt identified himself and his friend from the still photos as the only two people who entered and walked into the rooms unauthorized and took some items. Matt was asked what they were going to do with the items they took, Matt said, they were going to sell them for money.

Matt was very cooperative and willing to work this case out and is sorry about what he did.

Interview with Christopher Waldron paraphrased: Please see video for complete and accurate details.

At approximately 0815 hours Your Affiant received a phone call from [REDACTED] Christopher Waldron's' father who related that his wife had landed in Denver last night and she was with Christopher and needed to speak with Your Affiant or DU security. Your Affiant related that they can stop by district three between the hours of 1:00 - 1:30 pm on today's date. [REDACTED] related he would call his wife and let her know.

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At approximately 1315 hours Christopher & his mother [REDACTED] showed up to district three. Your Affiant interviewed Christopher on the second-floor room 234 and advised Christopher of his Miranda Rights since Waldron was now known to Your Affiant about his role in the burglaries at DU dorms located at 1770 S Williams Street. Christopher said he did not really know anything about the items recovered and did not know anything about him or anyone entering anyone's rooms. Christopher was asked if he had gone into any dorm rooms at DU. Christopher said he doesn't remember going into any rooms and that he was on the DU Campus all over the place throughout the day. Christopher said he could not remember who he was with.

At approximate 1410 hours Your Affiant received a phone call from Christopher's dad [REDACTED] who stated that he had spoken with his wife and said that his son wasn't telling the truth and that hopefully a couple of days he would call Your Affiant back and admit to his part in the case. Your Affiant told [REDACTED] that that would be ok, and that things like this do happen. [REDACTED] said he thinks Christopher was nervous and if he admits to his wrong doing it would work on his behalf.

On February 01, 2019 [REDACTED] called Your Affiant and said he appreciated Your Affiant listening to his son (Christopher) about what he did and that he would make restitution on any damage or missing items that need to be replaced. [REDACTED] said he would call Mike Fetrow and DU faculty to take full responsibility of making sure restitution is made by him in a positive manner.

On February 19, 2019 DU Head of Security, Mike Fetrow emailed Your Affiant his final report and the victims that could be identified that their dorm rooms (8) were burglarized, and items taken.

DU Case #	Date of Offense	Victim or Victims DU ID # / Location
1900069	1/25/19	[REDACTED] N-Victim
1900070	1/25/19	[REDACTED] S-Victim
		[REDACTED] S-Victim
1900073	1/26/19	[REDACTED] S-Victim
1900075	1/26/19	[REDACTED] S-Victim
1900076	1/26/19	[REDACTED] N-Victim
11900077	1/26/19	[REDACTED] S-Victim
1900082	1/24/19	[REDACTED] N Victim
		[REDACTED] N-Victim
1900083	1/28/19	[REDACTED] N-Victim
		[REDACTED] N-Victim

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Suspects- Christopher Waldron and Matthew Baldwin / Total loss of the case listed totals \$5,220.

Based on this information Your Affiant request arrests warrants be signed for Mathew Baldwin 07/08/1998.

I affirm this information to be true and correct

Det. F. J. [Signature] #89004
Signature of Affiant

Subscribed under oath before me on

02-19-2019 1534
Date Time

KEVIN CURTIS
NOTARY PUBLIC - STATE OF COLORADO
My Identification # 20154031358
Expires August 10, 2019

[Signature] 06031
Judge or Notary Public

My commission expires: August 10, 2019

ARREST WARRANT

To all Sheriffs, Peace Officers and Police Officers with the said State:

You are hereby commanded to take the person of the defendant and bring him without unnecessary delay before a Judge of the County Court to be dealt with according to law.

Bail fixed at \$ At first appearance

Beth A. Faragher
Signature of Judge

Date February 19, 2019

Beth A. Faragher
Printed name of Judge

I HEREBY CERTIFY that I executed the above warrant on (date) 2-21-19 by taking MATTHEW BALDWIN
(name of person arrested) into custody and placing said person in the DAC Jail for safekeeping until further order of the court.

K. [Signature] 06003 NCIC
Signature of Arresting Officer
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