



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

Elijah Hood 02/10/1998 a Black male, 5'11, 151lbs, Brown Hair, Brown eyes

[REDACTED]

For C.R.S. 18-3-102 Murder in the 1st degree, a Class 1 Felony
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I, Detective Mary McIver, 00117 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 April 26, 2022 at approximately 5:53 p.m., the Denver Combined Communications Center received an additional 911 call from a female who identified herself as [REDACTED] and reported that she walked into [REDACTED] apartment at E. 60th Ave. and N. Dunkirk St. and saw [REDACTED], [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] laying on the floor with blood on them. [REDACTED] continued, explaining that she had seen a hole in [REDACTED] stomach

On April 26, 2022 at approximately 6:18 p.m. Det. Hanlon was contacted by Denver Police Department, District 5 Sergeant K. MORRILL #04094 who was the on-scene incident commander at [REDACTED] N. Dunkirk St., building [REDACTED], unit [REDACTED]. Sergeant K. MORRILL reported that District 5 officers had arrived on scene and contacted the reporting party who called in on April 26, 2022 at approximately 5:53 p.m. Upon contacting these individuals Sergeant K. MORRILL relayed that officers made entry into [REDACTED] N. Dunkirk St., building [REDACTED], unit [REDACTED] and located three individuals within the residence suffering from apparent gunshot wounds. Sergeant K. MORRILL described these individuals as an adult black female, and adult black male and a young black male. Sergeant K. MORRILL relayed that each of these individuals had been pronounced deceased on scene and that the scene was currently being held by officers.

On April 26, 2022 at approximately 6:27 p.m. Det. Hanlon contacted Corporal J. REYES #15082 who advised that he was one of the first officers on scene at this event. Upon arriving on scene Corporal J. REYES advised that officers contacted [REDACTED] dob: [REDACTED], who had called 911 and [REDACTED] dob: [REDACTED]. Corporal J. REYES relayed that [REDACTED] had been dropped off at this location for a celebration and went to building [REDACTED], unit [REDACTED]. Upon arriving there [REDACTED] reported going inside the residence, finding the three decedents and then immediately leaving

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the residence. After this, [REDACTED] advised that she called [REDACTED], who had dropped her off and told her to return to the residence. Upon her return [REDACTED] reported that [REDACTED] entered into the residence, observed the decedents then immediately called 911. Corporal J. REYES then relayed what officers learned from [REDACTED]. [REDACTED] reported that she had dropped [REDACTED] at [REDACTED] residence but was called back to the residence by [REDACTED]. Upon returning [REDACTED] reported going into the residence, seeing the decedents and then immediately leaving to call 911.

In addition to this information gathered, Corporal J. REYES reported that he and other officers made entry into building [REDACTED], unit [REDACTED]. Upon entering the residence Corporal J. REYES reported that officers located three unconscious and unresponsive individuals within the apartment. Corporal J. REYES reported that the first of these individuals is a Black male between the ages of 5 to 7 years old, approximately 4'00" tall, approximately 40 to 50 pounds, who was laying naked in the front entryway of the apartment. Within the kitchen of the apartment Corporal J. REYES reported that there were two individuals, the first of which he described as a Black female, approximately 50-years old, between 5'00" to 5'05" tall, of medium build and wearing a red t-shirt and red, black and white camouflage-colored pants. Corporal J. REYES described the third individual laying in the kitchen as a Black male, approximately 20 to 25-years-old, wearing jeans. Corporal J. REYES advised that all three individuals appeared to be suffering from multiple gunshot wounds. Denver Health Paramedics responded to the scene and all three individuals were pronounced deceased on scene on April 26, 2022 at approximately 6:14 p.m. by Dr. Winer with the Denver Health Medical Center. In addition to these observations, Corporal J. REYES advised that officers completed a safety sweep of the residence and located no additional victims or other individual within the residence. While completing this safety sweep Corporal J. REYES advised that he had observed numerous spent cartridge casings within the residence, specifically within the entryway, kitchen and living room, which is just beyond the front door of the residence.

On April 26, 2022, a search warrant was obtained for the residence. The deceased were identified as Mekhi PARHAM ALLEN (dob: 07/24/2017), Donne ALLEN, (dob: 04/10/1999), and Denise HOOD (dob: 09/01/1956). PARHAM ALLEN, ALLEN and HOOD were all shot numerous times. During the search of the residence no signs of forced entry were found, and it appeared as if the suspect/s began shooting while inside the apartment. Both 40 caliber and 10 mm expended cartridge casings were recovered on scene. A witness on scene stated she observed a four-door sedan parked on 60th Ave facing west. She stated she saw two males rushing from complex across the street to the vehicle. A second witness described an Older Gold 2000's Acura or Honda parked on 60th Ave facing west. It was described as having dark tinted windows. She heard a gunshot and saw a black male wearing a black hoodie, black sweats, with the hoodie up, exit from the north east stairwell of building [REDACTED] and get into the Gold sedan. The sedan then left going westbound on E 60th Ave.

From the evidence on scene investigators believe that the suspect/s were already in the residence before the shooting started. PARHAM ALLEN appeared to be taking a shower and Donne ALLEN appeared to be dying his hair when they were murdered. Investigators believe this because PARHAM ALLEN was nude, and the shower was running. ALLEN's hair was wet, partially dyed, and there was hair dye by the sink.

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During the course of this investigation, it was learned that Donne ALLEN had recently gotten out of prison and was an associate of the Seanville Street gang. Denise HOOD has numerous prior contacts with law enforcement. Usually as the reporting party of an incident or victim.

On April 27, 2022, several law enforcement members conducted a neighborhood canvas of the possible egress routes from [REDACTED] Dunkirk St, Denver, CO, looking for any video surveillance footage which would capture the images and movements of the suspect or suspects and or suspect vehicles. Agent McKone went to the storage unit facility at 18815 E 59th Ave, which is West of [REDACTED] N Dunkirk Street, and saw they had multiple cameras facing toward E 60th Ave. The video surveillance was saved and a request for the video was sent to the forensic imaging unit of the crime lab.

On the evening of April 27, 2022, Denver Police Department received an anonymous tip that the suspect was a male called "EJ." The tipster further stated that "EJ" is currently staying near Hampden Ave and Tamarac St with [REDACTED]. Numerous investigators researched known individuals who use the moniker "EJ." ELIJAH Ja'quez Hood (dob:02/10/1998), is believed to use the moniker "EJ." Furthermore, ELIJAH's [REDACTED] resides at [REDACTED] E Mansfield Ave, Denver, CO, which is near the intersection of E Hampden Ave and Tamarac St. Both ELIJAH and ALLEN have been contacted by law enforcement together, Aurora Police Department report 2018-14572. During this contact both ELIJAH and ALLEN had firearms in their possession. Prior to this tip from an anonymous caller, Agent McKone had spoken with Denver Police Detective and RAVEN Task Force Officer Det. Robb. Det. Robb told Agent McKone that in 2016 he recalled HOOD providing information on the whereabouts of ELIJAH. ELIJAH was believed to be involved in several shootings. Agent McKone had shared this information with your Affiant.

Upon researching a telephone number for ELIJAH, your Affiant accessed Denise HOOD'S telephone that was recovered from the scene. In her telephone, she had a text message exchange with a party listed as "EJ" in her telephone. The telephone number associated was [REDACTED]. Upon further research in various databases the same number was returned as a telephone number for ELIJAH Hood. Furthermore, the last communication between Denise HOOD and ELIJAH Hood was on April 26, 2022 at approximately 2:14 p.m. when ELIJAH had told her he was not feeling well because he had smoked "too much weed" and would not be able to make it over. This communication was hours prior to the murders. The original invitation was not on this text thread.

On April 29, 2022 Your affiant reviewed the video footage that had been pulled from the storage facility and observed a gold-colored sedan traveling westbound on 60th Ave around 4:00 pm. However, from the angle of the camera your affiant could not see where the vehicles stopped or came from.

Detective McIver received an anonymous tip that had been forwarded from Crime stoppers that stated the suspect in the homicide was ELIJAH Hood (also known as EJ) . In the tip it stated that ELIJAH and ALLEN had gone down to Atlanta, but ELIJAH had returned a couple of days early and that he and ALLEN may have been fighting about something. The tipster reported ELIJAH had forced the owner of the 4-door gold car to go with him against her will. The tipster also stated that he was staying [REDACTED] and that he had threatened them too.

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Upon checking law enforcement databases and pulling information on ELIJAH Hood and his associates. A female identified as [REDACTED] was returned [REDACTED] was identified as possibly being [REDACTED] of ELIJAH, and [REDACTED] had a driver license with an address of [REDACTED], in the City and County of Denver. There was also a vehicle registered to this party as a Gold 2008 Chevy Impala Sedan. Investigators also responded to address and located the vehicle which had dark tinted windows.

While also checking law enforcement databases, the address of [REDACTED] was checked and another possible [REDACTED] was returned as living at the [REDACTED] along with the [REDACTED].

On May 3, 2022 your Affiant started to research additional information associated with [REDACTED] and located a telephone number for her of [REDACTED]. Additionally, her name came up associated with two other addresses that ELIJAH was also known to frequent of [REDACTED] and [REDACTED]. Due to this, our Affiant authored a search warrant and an affidavit for a search warrant for her phone records which was read, approved and served on the phone company.

At 2:20 p.m. Detective McIver received another anonymous tip that stated Elijah Hood is the one you are looking for in the triple killings.

At 4:24 p.m., Detective McIver received and anonymous tip that for the Green Valley Ranch 3 murders the person we are looking for is Elijah Hood.

On May 5, 2022 your Affiant forwarded the records that had been returned on the evening of May 4, 2022 to Agent McKone for their intelligence unit Agent Andy Morrow to analyze. Upon return of the analysis there were several areas of interest. In the analysis it reported [REDACTED] phone was not mobile at the time of the murders and that she was [REDACTED]. Detective Gibbs responded to that location and confirmed she is employed there, and they confirmed she was working on the date and time of the murder.

While Detective Gibbs was doing this, Detective McIver drove by the address at [REDACTED] and observed the 2008 Gold Chevy Impala parked underneath the car port right in front of the back gate to the back porch. The door to the back porch was open.

Detective McIver received an anonymous tip that the person who shot the people in Green Valley is Elijah Hood.

On May 6, 2022 your affiant located a telephone number [REDACTED] of [REDACTED]. Due to [REDACTED] living at the [REDACTED] address with [REDACTED], E [REDACTED] and where ELIJAH'S phone was putting him, it is possible, this was [REDACTED] that was forced to drive him up to the scene. Also, since the vehicle was recently observed parked in the carport for [REDACTED] it also puts the vehicle at the address where anyone can access it.

On May 8, 2022 at 8:25 p.m. Sgt Murphy with the Denver Police Department Homicide unit contacted your Affiant and reported that a woman that identified herself as Elijah Hood's [REDACTED] reported he had confessed to killing the parties off of Dunkirk. She further stated they are afraid of their lives.

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Detective McIver headed into headquarters to author an arrest warrant. Upon arrival and per your Affiant's request, Sgt. Vasconcellos contacted [REDACTED] again to see about her coming to headquarters to talk to your Affiant. While speaking to [REDACTED] she stated to Sgt. Vasconcellos that Elijah HOOD had confessed to killing the three people out here. When questioned if she meant the murders off of Dunkirk, she answered yes. She is afraid for her and her children's lives. She also added she did not want her name coming into this.

At 10:23 p.m. Detective Gibbs contacted your Affiant and confirmed [REDACTED] was coming to police headquarters to give a statement.

Based on the aforementioned facts, your affiant respectfully requests an arrest warrant for Elijah Hood 02/10/1998, for C.R.S. 18-3-102 Murder in the 1st degree, a Class 1 Felony, 18-3-102 Murder in the 1st degree, a Class 1 Felony, 18-3-102 Murder in the 1st degree, a Class 1 Felony.

I affirm this information to be true and correct

Mary McIver 00117
Signature of Affiant

Subscribed under oath before me on

Date _____ Time _____
Betty Faragher
Judge or Notary Public

My commission expires: _____

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 \$ _____

Betty Faragher
Signature of Judge

Date _____

Printed name of Judge

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

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Signature of Arresting Officer