

PETITION

STATE OF MINNESOTA

COUNTY OF HENNEPIN

DISTRICT COURT - JUVENILE DIVISION

FOURTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT

IN THE MATTER OF THE WELFARE OF

27-JV-17-781

Child: DAUNTE DIMITRIUS WRIGHT, (10/27/2000)
DAUNTE DEMETRIUS WRIGHT, (10/22/2000)
3551 THOMAS AVE N
MINNEAPOLIS, MN 55412

Family ID: 350927
C.A. Case No: 17J02159

CA of Record: Elizabeth Scoggin
(0395649)
Juvenile Felony Delinquency Age 16 Or Older

Mother: KATIE ANN BRYANT
(SAME AS CHILD)

Father: ARBUEY TAVORIS WRIGHT
(SAME AS CHILD)

PO:

The Juvenile Court has jurisdiction by reason of the following allegations: The above-named juvenile is alleged to be delinquent pursuant to Minn. Stat. § 260B.007, Subd. 6(1) because said child has violated a state/local law as follows:

Count 1: B1134 Burglary-1st Deg-Dwelling-Occupied-Non-Accomplice Present (Felony)
MINN. STAT. 609.582.1(a), 609.582.1

That on or about 1/30/2017, in Minneapolis, Hennepin County, Minnesota, DAUNTE DIMITRIUS WRIGHT, either directly or as an accomplice, entered a dwelling, without consent and with intent to commit a crime or committed a crime while in the dwelling and another person, J.M., who was not an accomplice, was in the dwelling at any time while DAUNTE DIMITRIUS WRIGHT was in the dwelling.

PROBABLE CAUSE STATEMENT

Your Petitioner is an Assistant County Attorney. In that capacity, Petitioner believes the facts and circumstances recited below establish probable cause.

On January 30, 2017, shortly after 12:00pm, Minneapolis police officers responded to a report of a burglary that just occurred at 3547 Upton Avenue North in Minneapolis, Hennepin County, Minnesota.

Upon their arrival, the officers spoke to the male home owner, thirty-eight year old J.M. The officers learned that he had been in the basement of his home when he heard someone ringing the front door bell.

After looking through a main floor window, J.M. determined that the individual at the front door was a former acquaintance of his young son. J.M. noted that this individual and his son attended the same school and previously played basketball together. Although he could not remember this individual's name, J.M. told the officers that he would provide them with this information after speaking to his son.

This individual was later determined to be DAUNTE DIMITRIUS WRIGHT (DOB 10/27/2000; Respondent herein).

J.M. stated that he did not want to respond to the door bell and ignored Respondent. A short time later, he noticed Respondent had walked to the back door of the house where he repeatedly knocked on the rear entry door.

J.M. watched as Respondent eventually walked away from the rear door and approached an unlocked bathroom window located in a rear corner of the house. After he reached this location, Respondent removed the screen window and then walked across the rear yard and adjoining alley where he placed it against a neighbor's garage.

Respondent then returned to the rear door and again began to repeatedly knock loudly on the door. When he received no response, Respondent returned to the bathroom window, opened it and crawled into the bathroom.

J.M. grabbed a kitchen knife and confronted Respondent as he was about to walk from the bathroom into the adjoining hallway. J.M. told the officers that Respondent was surprised by his presence and immediately retreated into the bathroom after slamming the bathroom door shut. Respondent then exited the house through the same bathroom window and ran from the house.

J.M. ran after Respondent and eventually overtook him. When he did so, he told Respondent that he would be reporting the burglary to Respondent's father. Respondent again seemed surprised that J.M. had followed him as he had stopped running and was casually walking when confronted, apparently unaware that J.M. had pursued him.


After providing officers with the identity of Respondent, J.M. was shown a photo of Respondent. J.M. confirmed that the individual in this photo was indeed the individual who broke into his house as described above.

While inspecting the exterior of the home, officers observed that the bathroom window screen had been removed and placed across the alley where it was found positioned against a neighbor's garage.

Footprints in the freshly fallen snow lead from the rear door to this bathroom window and to the location where the screen was located and back again to the bathroom window.

I endorse this Petition as to form and verify that the contents are true to the best of my information and belief pursuant to
MRJDP 6.03, Subd. 3.

I DECLARE UNDER PENALTY OF PERJURY THAT EVERYTHING I HAVE STATED IN THIS DOCUMENT IS TRUE
AND CORRECT

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