

LPD Case Number: C4-041787

IN THE COUNTY COURT OF LANCASTER COUNTY, NEBRASKA

CR 24-1

IN THE MATTER OF THE SEARCH WARRANT
OF THE DESCRIBED PREMISES OF
1215 ARAPAHOE STREET #314
LINCOLN, LANCASTER COUNTY, NEBRASKA

SEARCH WARRANT RETURN

STATE OF NEBRASKA)
)
) ss.
COUNTY OF LANCASTER)

The undersigned states that he received the Search Warrant issued herein on the 15th day of May 2024, and that he executed the same on the 15th day of May, 2024, by seizing the property described in the Inventory filed herein and by delivering a copy of the Search Warrant for the said property at the place from which the property is taken.

[Signature] #1638

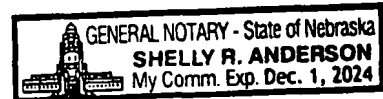
Inv. Dustin Lind #1638

SUBSCRIBED to in my presence and sworn to before me this 21 day of
May, 2024.

[Signature]

Notary Public

LANCASTER COUNTY
2024 MAY 23 PM 3:00
CLERK OF THE
DISTRICT COURT



Warrant Return & Inventory



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INVENTORY

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STATE OF NEBRASKA)
)
COUNTY OF LANCASTER) ss.

INVENTORY OF PROPERTY
SEIZED BY VIRTUE OF THE
SEARCH WARRANT ISSUED HEREIN

Inv. Lind being first duly sworn on oath, deposes and says the following is an inventory of the property seized by virtue of the Search Warrant issued herein.

Marijuana Proof of occupancy
Cash Drum magazine (consent Blanco)
Scale (digital) Cell phone

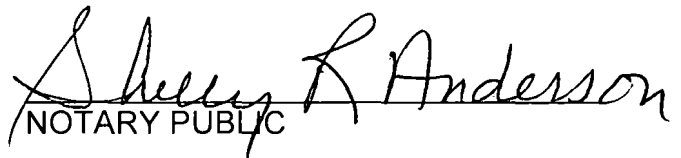
Inventory made in the presence of Inv. Alex Salcedo #1778

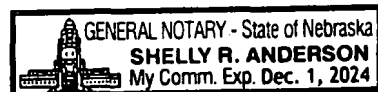
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Inv. Dustin Lind #1638

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NOTARY PUBLIC



RECEIPT

The undersigned hereby acknowledges receipt of the following described property seized from 1215 Arapahoe Street #314, Lincoln, Lancaster County, Nebraska:

- Marijuana
- Cash
- Scale (Digital)
- ~~XXXXXX~~ Proof of Occupancy
- Drum Magazine (consent Blanco)
- Cell Phone

LANCASTER COUNTY
2024 MAY 23 PM 3:00
CLERK OF THE
DISTRICT COURT

DATED this 15 day of May, 2024.

 #1638
Law Enforcement Officer

 #1178
WITNESS

+

LANCASTER COUNTY

2024 MAY 23 PM 3:00

CLERK OF THE DISTRICT COURT

IN THE COUNTY OF LANCASTER COUNTY, NEBRASKA

STATE OF NEBRASKA)
)
County of Lancaster)

ss.

SEARCH WARRANT

TO: Kevin Meyer, a Police Officer with the Lincoln Police Department, Lancaster County, Nebraska, and any and all law enforcement officers.

WHEREAS, Kevin Meyer, has filed an Affidavit before the undersigned Judge of the County Court of Lincoln, Lancaster County, Nebraska, and said written Affidavit, having been duly considered, the court finds that the facts set forth in said Affidavit are true, and that those facts do constitute grounds and probable cause for the issuance of a Search Warrant.

THEREFORE, you are commanded to search 1215 Arapahoe #314, Lincoln, Lancaster County, Nebraska for the following items:

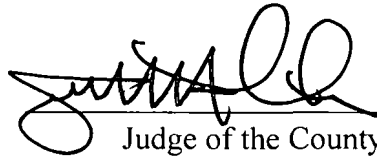
Any controlled substances including but not limited to marijuana, and marijuana related products. Drug paraphernalia commonly used for the ingestion of, and preparation and distribution of, controlled substances including, but not limited to scales, plastic bags, tin foil, or other packaging containers such as vials and plastic wrap; Any documentary evidence relating to the source of the controlled substance including, but not limited to, customer lists, account sheets, ledgers, notes, or diaries, and cell phones. Any proceeds directly attributable to the sale of controlled substances including, but not limited to United States currency, bank accounts, property, or other financial records; Any evidence of occupancy, and authorizing and directing seizure of the same; Surveillance equipment, including but not limited to cameras, monitors, cables, and recording devices.

Law enforcement is authorized to access any safe, lockable storage containers or any other vessel which could reasonably contain controlled substances or any other evidence sought by any means necessary.

Law enforcement is authorized to measure, photograph, video tape, and seize the aforementioned items.

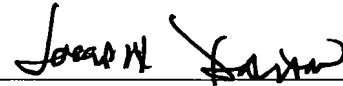
This search warrant shall be executed and returned within ten (10) days to a Judge of the County Court of Lancaster County, Nebraska.

Given under my hand and seal this 15 day of May, 2024.



Judge of the County Court





Printed Name of Judge

IN THE COUNTY COURT OF LANCASTER COUNTY, NEBRASKA

STATE OF NEBRASKA)
) ss. AFFIDAVIT FOR SEARCH WARRANT
COUNTY OF LANCASTER)

Kevin Meyer, being first duly sworn upon oath deposes and states that he is an Investigator for the Lincoln Police Department, Lincoln, Lancaster County, Nebraska. AFFIANT states he is currently involved in the investigation of Deliver; Manufacture; Intent to Deliver Controlled Substance, Schedule 1,2,3 in violation of Nebraska Revised Statute 28-416(1)(2)(B)(F2A) occurring on 05-15-2024, at 1215 Arapahoe Street Apartment #314, Lincoln, Lancaster County Nebraska. AFFIANT has reviewed case reports regarding this investigation prepared by other involved Law Enforcement Officers.

Affiant's Background

Your AFFIANT has been a police officer for the Lincoln Police Department since 2013. Your AFFIANT has spent 5 years as a patrol officer, 3 years as a narcotics investigator with the Lincoln-Lancaster County Narcotics Task Force, and is currently assigned as an investigator for the Capital Region Safe Streets Task Force. Your AFFIANT has training and experience in investigating a wide range of crimes to include narcotics and weapon related offenses. Your AFFIANT has authored numerous search warrants pertaining to the aforementioned investigations.

This Affidavit is submitted in support of a search warrant. Since this Affidavit is being submitted for the limited purpose of securing a search warrant, your Affiant has not set forth every fact known to me regarding this investigation. The statements contained in this Affidavit are based in part on the investigation that your Affiant has conducted, and information provided to your Affiant by other law enforcement officers verbally, and through written reports.

Case Facts

On 02-21-2024 at approximately 1352 hours, Investigators with the Capital Region Safe Streets Task Force, along with the Lincoln Police Department SWAT team served a residential search warrant at 1640 Washington Street #5. This was the known apartment of Kaeylab Gonzales (07-29-2004) and Kaeydan Gonzales (12-16-2007). This warrant was sought in furtherance of an ongoing narcotics investigation involving both

Kaeylab and Kaeydan. During a search of the residence, Investigators located approximately 398.9 grams of marijuana, 30.2 grams of suspected Psilocybin mushrooms, 68 commercially available chocolate mushroom bars, 122 THC vape cartridges, \$6380 U.S. Currency, 9mm ammunition and evidence of sales. Kaeylab Gonzales was not present during the service of the warrant and was not arrested on that date.

On or before 03-20-2024, Kaeylab Gonzales violated the terms of his probation and a warrant was issued for his arrest. At that time, investigators began looking for Gonzales to arrest him on his outstanding warrant and to question him in regards to the search warrant that was served at his residence.

On 05-15-2024, Investigators were conducting surveillance and determined that Kaeylab Gonzales was likely at the residence of 1215 Arapahoe Street #314, Lincoln, Lancaster County, Nebraska. While conducting surveillance, investigators observed known associates of Kaeylab Gonzales to come and go from the apartment complex. At approximately 1440 hours, Investigators approached the front door of apartment #314 and began knocking on the door. After a few minutes, Kaeylab Gonzales exited the residence and was detained without issue. A second individual was observed in the apartment as well and was called out to investigators.

Based on the totality of the prior investigation, investigators conducted a safety sweep of the apartment to check for any other parties that would pose a threat to law enforcement. While investigators were still at the door threshold, your AFFIANT could smell the strong odor of marijuana emanating from within the apartment. Investigators conducted a sweep of the apartment finding no other parties inside. Investigators did encounter a door that had been padlocked from the outside which investigators left alone. While clearing the apartment, your AFFIANT observed a small pile of marijuana on the kitchen counter. A short distance away, your AFFIANT observed a digital scale along with a vacuum sealed baggie that had been cut open. This was a large gallon size baggie with the label, "White Stag Farms LLC". A search of this LLC determined that this LLC was a recreational marijuana grow operation based out of Boulder, Colorado. While Gonzales was being walked to a police cruiser he made the unsolicited statement, "all of the weed in there is mine."

From your AFFIANT's training and experience, your AFFIANT knows that a gallon sized baggie would contain a substantial amount of marijuana that would typically be for more than mere personal use. Based on this baggie, along with the digital scale and prior narcotics investigation, your AFFIANT believes that there will be additional evidence of narcotics sales in 1215 Arapahoe Street #314, Lincoln, Lancaster County,

Nebraska.

Location

The address of 1215 Arapahoe is a multi-unit apartment complex in the 1200 block of Arapahoe. The building is tan in color with a brown roof. Each apartment is accessed via individual exterior doors that face an inner courtyard. Apartment #314 is on the southwest side of the complex on the 3rd floor. The apartment door faces east and the numbers "314" are prominently displayed in the center of the door in black lettering.

The above does constitute grounds of probable cause for the issuance of a Search Warrant for 1215 Arapahoe Street Apartment #314, Lincoln, Lancaster County, Nebraska for the following items:

Any controlled substances including but not limited to marijuana, and marijuana related products. Drug paraphernalia commonly used for the ingestion of, and preparation and distribution of, controlled substances including, but not limited to scales, plastic bags, tin foil, or other packaging containers such as vials and plastic wrap; Any documentary evidence relating to the source of the controlled substance including, but not limited to, customer lists, account sheets, ledgers, notes, or diaries, and cell phones. Any proceeds directly attributable to the sale of controlled substances including, but not limited to United States currency, bank accounts, property, or other financial records; Any evidence of occupancy, and authorizing and directing seizure of the same; Surveillance equipment, including but not limited to cameras, monitors, cables, and recording devices.

Your AFFIANT requests permission to access any safe, lockable storage containers or any other vessel which could reasonably contain controlled substances or any other evidence sought by any means necessary.

Your AFFIANT is authorized to measure, photograph, video tape and seize the aforementioned items.

Further AFFIANT saith not;

Dated this 15th day of May, 2024.

Kevin Meyer #1716

Kevin Meyer, Lincoln Police Department AFFIANT

SUBSCRIBED to in my presence and sworn to before me this 15 day of

May, 2024.



[Signature]

Judge of the County Court

Joseph [Signature]

Printed Name of Judge