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CRIMINAL COMPLAINT	RULE 3A:3 AND 7C:	
		CASE NO. 2023-08085
Print ALL information clearly:		NAME OF TAXABLE PARTY.
	☑ General District Court	CRIMINAL COMPLAINT
	Juvenile and Domestic Relations District Court	ACCUSED: Name, Description, Address/Location
Under the penalty of perjury, I, the undersigned Compla Accused committed a criminal offense, on or about	ninant swear or affirm that I have reason to believe that the	The state of the s
<u>October 15, 2023</u> DATE	in the 🛛 City 🗋 County 🗖 Town	Charity, Lakavious Lamont
of Newport News		
I base my belief on the following facts:		Newport News, Virginia 23607
See Attachment A		*
		BORN BIT RACE SEX MO DAY YR FT IN WGT EYZS R B M 65 03 1989 5 10 153 BB BL SSN: 224-53-5261 Other identification or location information. Virginia License: A60314275 LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICER USE ONLY Charges Requested: 18.2-32-2nd Degree Murder 18.2-53.1- Use of Firearm in Commission of a Felony
		Name of Victim: Williams, Quandrell
Subscribed and sworn to before me this day.		
The statements above are true and accurate to the best of	my knowledge and belief.	
In making this complaint, I have read and fully understant. By swearing to these facts. I agree to appear in court	nd the following:	
The charge in this warrant cannot be dismissed exce	t and testify is a warrant or summons is issued.	
Detective B.N. Beers #1293		
Subscribed and swom before me this day,	29 Johns 1533	

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Name of Detective: B.N. Beggs Newport News Police Department Computer #: 1293

FORM DC-311 7/96 PC (114:6-010 6/96)

ATTACHMENT A:

I base my belief on the following facts:

On October 15, 2023, at approximately 0541 hours, officers were dispatched to

Garden Drive, Newport News, in reference to a shooting. Upon arrival,
Officer J. Cameron located the victim, Quandrell Damone Williams, lying on the front porch suffering from several gunshot wounds, including a gunshot wound to the head. Quandrell Williams was transported to Riverside Regional Medical Center, Surgical Intensive Care Unit with life-threatening injuries.

Two subjects were located inside the residence, identified as Shaquora Vinston, and Justice Monae Williams. A gun was located on the kitchen counter, along with two shell casings on the floor of the residence, and one on the kitchen stove. There were two bullet holes located in the center of the rear door, with the damage indicating the shots were fired inside the residence, and through the door.

The Newport News Homicide Unit was notified, and responded to the scene to assist. During the execution of a Search Warrant for the residence, the firearm on the kitchen counter, a FN FNS-40, .40 caliber firearm, as seized as evidence for the investigation. There were no other firearms recovered from the scene; to include, the residence, or from Quandrell William's person.

On October 17, 2023, this affiant received the National Integrated Ballistic Information Network (NIBIN) acquisition report for firearm and easings recovered from the scene. Based on the microscopic comparison, the casings recovered from the scene are believed to have been fired from the firearm, which was recovered from the scene.

Cooperating Witness #1 advised they looked out of the window of their residence after hearing gunshots, and saw two females standing over Mr. Williams' body. Several additional witnesses corroborated Cooperating Witness #1's statement, however, they wish to remain anonymous. An anonymous witness advised, they observed one male exiting the rear door of the residence, after the gunshots, but before observing the two females standing over Mr. Williams' body.

Cooperating Witness # 2 stated, before they heard the gunshots, they heard banging and arguing. They heard a male voice yelling, "I see your light on... I know you are in there... I want my clothes." Cooperating Witness # 2 stated, they know the "child's father" frequents the residence, and drives a dark colored Dodge Charger. The yelling and banging stopped after they heard a car door shut, which sounded like it came from the parking lot closest to the Garden Drive building. The yelling stopped for approximately 10 minutes, before they heard multiple gunshots. Cooperating Witness # 2 stated, they did not immediately look outside; however, when they looked out their upstairs window, it was dark and they did not see anyone on the porch and could only hear breathing that sounded like a "whistle". They went downstairs, and looked outside again, where they then observed two females on the porch, looking down at a male with a gunshot wound to his head. They recognized one female, who they know as "Justice," standing on the porch near the victim's body. They heard Justice telling an unknown female, "Oh no, what are we going to do." Witness # 2 stated, they later heard Justice talking to police, and heard saying, "I just want to make sure my sister is OK."

During a subsequent interview of Justice Williams, she confirmed to reside at Garden Drive. She shares a child with Quandrell Williams; however, he does not live with her and he does not have a key to her residence. After the gunshots, Justice Williams and Shaquora Vinston located Quandrell Williams lying on the back porch of Parden Drive. He was suffering from at least one gunshot wound. Justice Williams denied anyone, other than herself and her sister to be inside the residence at the time of the offense. However, both Justice Williams and Shaquora Vinston denied shooting Quandrell Williams.

During an interview with cooperating Witness # 3, they revealed that two males picked Justice Williams and Shaquora Vinston up, later in the evening on October 14, 2023 to go out to a couple clubs. The four arrived at the clubs in a black Jeep SUV, driven by a male known as, "K." The second male seen in the vehicle is known as, "Reel." Witness # 3 knew "K" to own a white Mercedez; however, believed the black Jeep SUV that he was driving was a rental vehicle. Between the hours of 2-3 AM, the four individuals returned to _____ Garden Drive. The male known as "Reel", left in the black Jeep SUV, approximately 30 minutes before Quandrell Williams arrived, leaving "K" in the apartment.

On October 17, 2023, a search warrant for Shaquora Vinston's cellphone was obtained. This affiant reviewed the contents of her cellphone download, where numerous evidentiary text communications were located. On October 15, 2023, at approximately 0117 hours, there were text messages sent from Shaquora Vinston's cellphone to phone number, is phone number was confirmed, by Shaquora Vinston to belong to Quandrell Williams. Shaquora Vinston stated Justice Williams was using her cellphone, while they were out in the early morning hours, which was confirmed by a text communication initiated by Shaquora Vinston's phone number to Quandrell Williams. The first text message read, "My phone dead this justice", followed by, "Ima go to a after hour u want me send the lo when I get there". The conversation continues with responses back and forth with Quandrell Williams, who declines wanting the location or going out to the club.

This affiant reviewed text messages prior to this conversation, from other phone numbers, and located a text message at 0029 hours, which reads, "This Kay we outside at the car." The text message was sent from the phone number.

A search of this phone number through a police database, showed the phone carrier as ATT Mobility, and the owner listed as, "Charity Lakavio." Further search of this individual through police databases, identified the male to be Lakavious Lamont Charity,

Further review of the download, this affiant located a message sent on October 14, 2023, at approximately 1137 hours, from "Ju Jie" shone number, Shaquora Vinston's cellphone. During an interview with Justice Williams, she confirmed her cellphone number. In the text communications, Justice Williams asked, "You wanna come out with me and k." They agree during the conversation to both go out later that evening. Meanwhile, they converse for approximately two hours, while making fun of Quandrell Williams for not making money. At 1213 hours, Justice Williams sends a picture to Shaquora Vinston's cellphone, who appears to be the back of Quandrell Williams, who is lying on a bed, which appears to be approximately 2050 hours, Justice Williams tells Shaquora Vinston, she is home. Shaquora Vinston confirms the apartment number, ", which is Justice Williams' address, Garden Drive.

At approximately 0506 hours, Quandrell Williams sent Shaquora Vinston a text message that read, "Tell your sister she better be there when I get there." At approximately 0532 hours, there was a missed phone call to Shaquora Vinston's cellphone from Quandrell Williams' phone number. At approximately 0541 hours. Shaquora Vinston's cellphone dialed 9-1-1. At approximately 0651 hours, and 0654 hours, calls were made from Shaquora Vinston's cellphone to phone number belonging to Lakavious Charity. The two phone calls are both showing they were not answered, with a call time of "00:00."

On October 18, 2023, this affiant met with cooperating Witness # 3, who said they could identify the male they knew as "K". Detective K. Alexander presented a photo lineup to Witness # 3, who positively identified Lakavious Lamont Charity from the photo lineup to be "K." After the gunshots were heard, Witness # 3 heard Lakavious Charity admit to one of the females inside the residence, "I just shot that before leaving the gun on scene, and fleeing on foot from the same door Quandrelle Williams was lying.

On October 25, 2023, Quandrell Williams passed at Riverside Regional Medical Center. Quandrell Williams was pronounced brain dead at approximately 1653 hours, where he was taken off life-support.

On November 6, 2023, this affiant received the historical records from a Search Warrant previously obtained for phone number, T&T Mobility confirmed the account to be active, and the subscriber to be Lakavious Charity. This affiant reviewed the historical records, which corroborate witness statements. The AT&T records show, on October 15, 2023, Lakavious Charity's cellphone, an Apple iPhoneXR, traveled to the area of Garden Drive a couple hours before the shooting, while the device was actively being utilized. Lakavious Charity's device was in the area of the crime scene, at the time of the shooting, and only after the shooting was the device no longer utilized, while still remaining powered on. Later that evening, Lakavious Charity's cellphone number was transferred to a new device, an Apple iPhone 14, while his previous device, the iPhoneXR stopped receiving cellular connectivity.

On December 14, 2023, Lakavious Charity was taken into custody on unrelated, outstanding warrants, from Hampton. He was transported to the Newport News Police Headquarters, where he was interviewed in reference to the murder of Quandrelle Williams. Post Miranda, Lakavious Charity denied any involvement in the shooting and denied being in Stuart Gardens. He initially denied knowing a Justice; however, ultimately admitted to have gone out to the Phantom's club with Justice, and his friend, "Reel". Furthermore, driving them in his rented SUV, since his vehicle was in the shop at that time. After explaining his cellphone puts him on the scene of the murder, and my knowledge that he got a new phone later that day, Lakavious Charity referenced this night with Justice was the same night he lost his phone and had to get a new one. He then made a comment, accusing Justice Williams of possibly stealing his phone that night.

Based off the corroborated statements and evidence revealed, I am requesting warrants on Lakavious Charity for 2nd Degree Murder, and Use of a Firearm in Commission of a Felony.

Detective

NAME OF COMPLAINANT

Subscribed and sworn to before me this day

12/15/23 E 954am

SIGNATURE OF COMPLAINANT