

7th. Judicial Circuit 707

Charging Affidavit - FLAGLER

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ARREST <input type="checkbox"/> NOTICE TO APPEAR <input type="checkbox"/> AFFIDAVIT <input type="checkbox"/> C.C. <input type="checkbox"/>		ADULT <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> JUVENILE <input type="checkbox"/>		Court Case Number: _____	
(ORI) FL: 0 1 8 0 0 0 0		Agency Name: Flagler County Sheriff's Office		Agency Case Number: 2020-00016853	
FCIC/NCIC Check? Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>		OBTS# _____		UCR: _____	Date Arrested: 02/20/2020
Time of Arrest: 13:00		Arrested By: Ragazzo Chris		ID Number: 273	
DEFENDANT		Name (L.F.M.): RIPLEY, ROBERT, LAWRENCE		A.K.A.: _____	
DOB: 08/22/1980	Age: 39	Driver's Lic/ID No.: _____	State: Florida	Year Expires: _____	S.S. #: --
Height: 6 0	Weight: 280	Hair: BROWN	Eyes: _____	POB (City, St, Country): _____	Statement: Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Scars, Marks, Tattoos: _____		Business & Occupation: Wadsworth Elementary School		Citizenship: Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	
Probation: Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		Sexual Predator: Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		English: Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	
Deaf/Mute: Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>					
Address-Mailing/Permanent (STREET, APT. NUMBER) (CITY) (STATE) ZIPCODE RESIDENCE PHONE					
Address-Local (STREET, APT. NUMBER) (CITY) (STATE) ZIPCODE RESIDENCE PHONE					
84 Frontier DR Palm Coast Florida 32137- (386)931-9799					
Address-Other(Employer/School) (STREET, APT. NUMBER) (CITY) (STATE) ZIPCODE BUS/SCHOOL PHONE					
4550 Belle Terre PKWY Palm Coast Florida 32164- (386)445-6720					
CHARGES		DOMESTIC VIOLENCE? YES <input type="checkbox"/>		Attachments: Affidavit(s) <input type="checkbox"/> Statement(s) <input type="checkbox"/> NTA Schedule <input type="checkbox"/> Report <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Traffic Infraction(s) <input type="checkbox"/> DUI <input type="checkbox"/>	
Total Charges: 1					
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#2	Charge: _____	FEL <input type="checkbox"/> MISD <input type="checkbox"/> ORD <input type="checkbox"/>	FS/ORD: _____	Citation No.: _____	Bond: _____
#3	Charge: _____	FEL <input type="checkbox"/> MISD <input type="checkbox"/> ORD <input type="checkbox"/>	FS/ORD: _____	Citation No.: _____	Bond: _____
CO-DEFENDANT		Co-Def #1. Arrested? Y <input type="checkbox"/> N <input type="checkbox"/> Fel <input type="checkbox"/> Misd. <input type="checkbox"/> Traf. <input type="checkbox"/> Ord. <input type="checkbox"/> NTA <input type="checkbox"/>			
Co-Def #2. Arrested? Y <input type="checkbox"/> N <input type="checkbox"/> Fel <input type="checkbox"/> Misd. <input type="checkbox"/> Traf. <input type="checkbox"/> Ord. <input type="checkbox"/> NTA <input type="checkbox"/>					
#1 NAME(L.F.M.): _____		Race: _____		Sex: _____	DOB: _____
#2 NAME(L.F.M.): _____		Race: _____		Sex: _____	DOB: _____
NARRATIVE		The undersigned certifies and swears that there is a probable cause to believe the above names defendant, on the <u>19th</u> day of <u>February</u> , <u>2020</u> , at approximately <u>12:00</u> <u>A.M.</u> <u>X</u> P.M. at <u>4550 Belle Terre PKWY</u> within <u>Flagler</u> County, violated the law and did then and there.			
On 2/21/2020, I, Sergeant Chris Ragazzo met with Cory Jackson at Matanzas High School, as I was filling in for the School Resource Deputy. Mr. Jackson stated that he and Mrs. Jackson reviewed school surveillance videos of an incident that occurred at Wadsworth Elementary School on 2/19/2020 at the School Board Administration Office and therefore they requested to sign charges against Robert Ripley. Mr. Jackson stated that his stepson, [REDACTED], came home from school on 2/19/2020 and told his mother, Crystal Jackson and him that he was pushed down by a teacher, but said that they were not aware of the extent of the incident. Mr. Jackson stated that DCF was also aware of the incident as they came to discuss it on the 19th as					
Supervisor Approved: Lowe, William B 02/24/2020					
NOTICE TO APPEAR		MANDATORY APPEARANCE <input type="checkbox"/>		YOU NEED NOT APPEAR IN COURT BUT MUST COMPLY WITH INSTRUCTIONS ON THE REVERSE SIDE OF YOUR COPY <input type="checkbox"/>	
				FINE, AND COSTS AMOUNT: _____	
I AGREE TO APPEAR IN COURT HEREIN TO ANSWER THE OFFENSE CHARGED OR TO PAY THE FINE INDICATED. I UNDERSTAND THAT SHOULD I WILLFULLY FAIL TO APPEAR BEFORE THE COURT AS REQUIRED, OR PAY THE LISTED FINE, I MAY BE HELD IN CONTEMPT OF COURT AND A WARRANT FOR MY ARREST WILL BE ISSUED.					
SIGNATURE OF DEFENDANT		DATE		RELATIONSHIP TO JUVENILE	
Sworn to and subscribed before me, the undersigned This ____ day of ____ , ____ .		I swear/affirm the above statements are correct and true.		Rt Thumb	
Name: _____		OFFICER'S/COMPLAINANT'S SIGNATURE			
Notary Public <input type="checkbox"/> Law Enforcement or Corrections Officer <input type="checkbox"/> Personally Known <input type="checkbox"/> Produced Identification <input type="checkbox"/> Type of Identification: _____		NAME(PRINTED)		ID NUMBER	
OFFICIAL USE ONLY		Inmate Number & facility: _____			

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Witness/Victim/Evidence Form 707-A

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Defendant Name: RIPLEY, ROBERT, LAWRENCE		Agency Case Number: 2020-00016853				
Name (L,F,M): Tuttle, William,	Vic <input type="checkbox"/> Wit <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Race: WHITE	Sex: M <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> F <input type="checkbox"/>	Age:	DOB:	SSN:
Address 4550 BELLE TERRE PKWY PALM COAST, Florida (#, Street, City, State):		Zip: 32164-	Home Phone: (386)446-6720		Statement: Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	
Bus./School Address:		Zip:		Bus. Phone:		Phone:
Relative/ Contact Name:		Relative/Contact Address:		Phone:		Phone:
Name (L,F,M): TERRY, FRED,	Vic <input type="checkbox"/> Wit <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Race: BLACK	Sex: M <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> F <input type="checkbox"/>	Age:	DOB:	SSN:
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Bus./School Address:		Zip:		Bus. Phone:		Phone:
Relative/ Contact Name:		Relative/Contact Address:		Phone:		Phone:
Name (L,F,M): JACKSON, CORY,	Vic <input type="checkbox"/> Wit <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Race: BLACK	Sex: M <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> F <input type="checkbox"/>	Age: 41	DOB: 07/27/1978	SSN: --
Address 27 WELLWOOD LN PALM COAST, Florida (#, Street, City, State):		Zip: 32164-	Home Phone: (386)264-4755		Statement: Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	
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Relative/ Contact Name:		Relative/Contact Address:		Phone:		Phone:
Name (L,F,M):	Vic <input type="checkbox"/> Wit <input type="checkbox"/>	Race:	Sex: M <input type="checkbox"/> F <input type="checkbox"/>	Age:	DOB:	SSN:
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Relative/ Contact Name:		Relative/Contact Address:		Phone:		Phone:
Name (L,F,M): NOCERO, STEVEN,	Vic <input type="checkbox"/> Wit <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Race: WHITE	Sex: M <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> F <input type="checkbox"/>	Age:	DOB:	SSN:
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EVIDENCE COLLECTED

Description of Evidence	Date Recovered	Model Serial/I.D. Number	Drug Amount
Owner(Name)	(Address)	(Phone)	Value
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I certify that the foregoing is a complete list of
witnesses/victims & evidence known to me.

Investigating Officer

ID Number

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Defendant Name:

RIPLEY, ROBERT, LAWRENCE

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CHARGES

DOMESTIC
VIOLENCE?

YES ☐

Attachments: Affidavit(s) ☐ Statement(s) ☐ NTA Schedule ☐ Report ☐ Traffic Infraction(s) ☐

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well. Mr. Jackson stated that [REDACTED] mentioned his knees were scraped and bruised during the incident at school. He also stated that the incident was reported to Flagler County Sheriff's Office on 2/19/20 by Mrs. Jackson at the request of DCF as she was told she had 24 hours to do so.

Upon review of FCSO case report # 20-16853, Deputy Scailia went to 27 Wellwood Dr. to take an initial report of the incident. The report was based on information provided to Deputy Scailia by Mr. & Mrs. Jackson due to the fact [REDACTED] was sleeping. Photos were taken of [REDACTED] knees and submitted to records management system. The report states that this incident would be referred to SRD for further investigation.

On 2/21/2020 around 2:10pm, I met with David Bossardet, who is the Risk Manager for the School District to review video of the incident. I watched what appeared to be two school surveillance videos on Mr. Bossardet's laptop, I observed the following videos which did not have audio.

The first video showed CAM7 on 2/19/20 @ 11:53 am and started out with a child, who was identified as [REDACTED] on the floor, with what appeared to be staff nearby. I observed on the video Mr. Ripley walk down the hallway and approach [REDACTED] (11:55). A couple of minutes into the video (11:59), [REDACTED] gets up and walks with Mr. Ripley. Once they approach a hallway (12:00), [REDACTED] walks away from Mr. Ripley, when Mr. Ripley tries to redirect [REDACTED] he drops down to the ground. Mr. Ripley picks [REDACTED] up and carries him away without further incident.

The second video I viewed starts with CAM 3 @ 2/19/20 @ 12:01, the video starts out in a room, which is referred to as "The Beach". This part of the school is where trained teachers and staff work with students who display emotional or behavioral issues as they cannot be in classrooms with other students. [REDACTED] and Mr. Ripley are seen on video entering the room and [REDACTED] immediately flails his arms and attempts to get away and get past Mr. Ripley. At this time, Mr. Ripley pushes [REDACTED] back into the room; [REDACTED] falls backwards to the ground onto his buttocks, then on his back. Mr. Ripley walks out of the video frame and it appears that he goes out of the room. [REDACTED] then gets up and approaches the door, when Mr. Ripley enters again and tries to get [REDACTED] into another room within, which is referred to as a reflection room. It seems [REDACTED] refuses to go into this room and becomes defiant with Mr. Ripley for several minutes, following him around, kicking at Mr. Ripley as he tries to get him inside the room. Mr. Ripley is seen with his school radio in hand during this time, but due to not having audio what is said is unknown.

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Video from 2/19/20 @ approximately 12:06 [REDACTED] kicks higher @ Mr. Ripley, at which time Mr. Ripley grabs his foot, then his hand. It appears that he grabs his hand at the same time to prevent him from falling backwards. [REDACTED] continues his defiant behavior for several minutes.

Video from 2/19/20 @ 12:09 Mr. Ripley is observed picking [REDACTED] up and puts him into the reflection room in what appears to be a pushing motion. [REDACTED] exits the reflection room and continues his defiant behavior. A male staff member, who is identified as Mr. Tuttle (teacher) walks into the room around 12:11 pm as [REDACTED] continues to go around the other side of the room and continues to be defiant towards Mr. Ripley. Mr. Tuttle leaves the room within a minute or so, but [REDACTED] continues his defiant actions and appears to take his clothing off, to include his pants.

Video from 2/19/20 at around 12:18 Fred Terry (WES AP) is seen walking in and appears to assist with the situation. [REDACTED] continues to be defiant with Mr. Terry, but does not appear to be physical or kick at Mr. Terry. Approximately 30 mins into the videos, I did not see any further physical altercations and was informed by David Bossardet, that there weren't any more incidents of concern.

2/21/2020, after I watched the videos, I spoke with Mr. Jackson (present) and Mrs. Jackson via (Speakerphone), as she called him to find out next steps. During our conversation, Mrs. Jackson said [REDACTED] was disabled and wanted to know about "battery on a disabled person charges". I asked how he was disabled, as per the video I watched [REDACTED] was fully mobile, running from staff, flailing his body around, and kicking at Mr. Ripley during the 30 minutes or so that I watched. Mrs. Jackson stated [REDACTED] was documented with Flagler Courts as being disabled and said she would provide me documentation for such. I gave Mr. Jackson a voluntary statement to have Mrs. Jackson complete it so we could obtain her statement and explained to contact the Sheriff's Office once she completed it so we could collect it as I do not have one from her as the mother.

On 2/21/20 @ approximately 1620 hours, I attempted contact at Mr. Ripley's house, but did not get an answer at the door and left case card for call back.

As of 2/24/2020 1pm Mrs. Jackson has not provided information about [REDACTED] disability, nor has she provided a statement about the incident on her sons behalf. During a phone call with Mrs. Jackson on 2/24/2020 at approximately 12:30, she informed Deputy Lima that she and her son [REDACTED] had provided enough statements and said she wasn't providing any more information, saying "we have everything we need

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to arrest him".

On 2/24/2020 Deputy Lima collected written statements from Wadsworth Elementary School Staff to include the following; Fred Terry (Assistant Principal), Steven Nocero (staff member), and Brian Tuttle (teacher).

Fred Terry said he was called to assist Mr. Ripley with [REDACTED] and said he did see [REDACTED] being defiant, to include kicking Mr. Ripley, but did not witness Mr. Ripley push [REDACTED]

Steven Nocero stated that he is familiar with [REDACTED] (student) as he works in the Special Needs area. Steve stated that he observed [REDACTED] being defiant to include kicking Mr. Ripley, yelling at him and using profane language. Steven stated that he did not witness Mr. Ripley push [REDACTED] as he was tending to other students around the same time.

It should be noted that the injuries reported by [REDACTED] and his parents are not consistent with what I observed watching surveillance video footage. This charging affidavit for Battery will be sent to the State Attorney's Office for further review. All statements gathered by Deputy Lima and I will be submitted to FCSO records.

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