STATE OF MAINE

ANDROSCOGGIN, SS

AFFIDAVIT IN SUPPORT OF ARREST WARRANT (M.R.Crim.P. 4(b)) AND INITIAL DETERMINATION OF PROBABLE CAUSE (M.R.Crim.P. 5(d))

To: Any Judge of the District Court or Justice of the Peace.

I, Victoria Lane, being a duly sworn and deposed Maine State Police Detective, state the following:

I am employed as a detective with the Maine State Police and currently assigned to the Major Crimes Unit, Southern Field Division. I am a sworn law enforcement officer and a 2020 graduate of the Maine State Police Academy. The statements contained in the affidavit are based upon my knowledge and experience and on information received from other individuals and other law enforcement officers as set forth below.

The following facts and circumstances lead this affiant to believe that **Robert Card** (DOB: 04/04/1983) committed eighteen (18) counts of Murder in violation of 17-A M.R.S. Sec. 201, in the city of Lewiston, Maine, on or about October 25, 2023:

- On 03/25/2023 at 1856 hours, Auburn Communication Center received a first report of a male shooting inside Just In Time Recreation (also known as Sparetime Recreation) located at 24 Mollison Way in Lewiston. The Auburn Communication Center subsequently received numerous 911 calls reporting multiple victims at this location.
- 2. At 1908 hours, Auburn Communication Center received multiple reports of an active shooter inside Schemengee's Billards located at 553 Lincoln Street in Lewiston.
- 3. At 2048 hours, Androscoggin Sheriff's Office Detective Maurice Drouin obtained video surveillance footage from Schemengee's. The video showed a white male exit a white passenger vehicle armed with an assault rifle and make entry into the establishment. A screenshot of the white passenger vehicle was distributed to investigating law enforcement personnel.
- 4. At 2113 hours, I made entry into Just In Time Recreation. I observed seven (7) deceased individuals inside the establishment with one (1) being a female and the rest

males. The victims had sustained apparent gunshot wounds. I observed numerous rifle cartridges on the ground throughout the premises.

- At 2126 hours, Lewiston Police Department Chief David St. Pierre received a phone call from Nature 11 Station Stating the male in the distributed suspect photograph was her brother, Robert Card.
- 6. At 2147 hours I made entry into Schemengee's, I observed seven (7) deceased males inside and one (1) additional deceased male was located outside. The victims each sustained apparent gunshot wounds. I observed numerous rifle cartridges on the ground throughout the premises.
- At 2156 hours, Lisbon Police Department advised officers located a Subaru at the Pojopscot boat launch.
- At 2157 hours, Maine State Police Detective Conner Walton conducted a reverse vehicle registration search on Robert. The DMV return indicated a white 2013 Subaru Outback bearing ME PC 9246PD was registered to Robert Card.
- 9. At 2201 hours, Lisbon Police Department confirmed the Subaru in the Pejepscot boat launch was the suspect's vehicle.
- 10. At 2203 hours, Maine State Police Detective Justin Huntley interviewed N

at Lewiston Police Department, Ms. Here told Det, Huntley that Robert has Н been delusional since February 2023 after a bad break-up. New explained to Det. Huntley that since the break-up, Robert has had significant weight loss, has been hospitalized for mental health issues and prescribed medication that he stopped taking. described Robert as being very interested in firearms and owned a lot N I of them to include assault rifles and handguns. N Н said that Robert believed there was a conspiracy against him and people were accusing him of being a pedophile. Robert believed businesses were broadcasting online that Robert was a told Det. Huntley that the following businesses: Sparetime nedophile. N Recreation; Schemengee's; Gowell's Market in Litchfield; and, Mixers Nightclub in Sabattus were the businesses that were broadcasting that Robert was a pedophile. . Robert also believed that his family was involved in the conspiracy.

11. At 2330 hours, Maine State Police Sergennt Jesse Duda spoke with Robert's brother, Refer (1997) (1997) (1997) told Sgt. Duda that Robert had been in a relationship with a person named J C is the past few months before J is (is ended he relationship. R is C is stated that Robert met . (is a cornhole competition at Schemengee's. R is C is said that ever since the relationship ended Robert started wearing hearing aids and had been saying crazy things.

- 12. At 2345 hours, I watched a portion of the video footage from Schemengee's. I observed the male walk through the bar while seeking out and shooting at patrons. The male in the footage was similar in appearance to the DMV photograph of Robert.
- 13 On October 26, 2023 at 0115 hours, Lisbon Police Department officers told Sgt. David Levesque of Lewiston Police Department who then told your affiant that they observed a long rifle in the Subaru that was located at the Pejepseot boat launch.
- 14. The Subbaru that was located at the Pejepscot boat launch was sized and transported to a secured location. At 0229 hours, I spoke with Trooper Jason Wing who was escorting the Subaru from the Pejepscot boat launch to a secure location. Trooper Wing advised that located in plain view in the passenger area of the vehicle was paperwork containing Robert's name. Trooper Wing confirmed the vehicle's DMV registration returned to Robert Card.
- 15. Eight of the eighteen deceased have been identified as follows:,
 - a. Thomas Ryan Conrad
 - b. Michael Deslauriers, II
 - c. Jason Adam Walker
 - d. Robert E. Violette
 - c. William Young
 - f. Tricia Asselin
 - g. William Brackett
 - h. Keith Macneir

The ten remaining victims have not yet been identified.

In light of all the above stated facts, your affiant has probable cause to believe that Robert Card has committed eighteen (18) counts of the crime of Murder 17-A M.R.S. Sec. 201.

WHEREFORE, your affiant prays that a warrant of arrest issue for Robert Card (04/04/1983) for the crime of Murder in violation of 17-A M.R.S. Sec. 201 and that the defendant be held without bail until his first court appearance in Maine.

I, Victoria Lane, depose and swear, upon information and belief, that all of the information contained within this Probable Cause Affidavit is both truthful and accurate to the best of my knowledge.

Victoria Lane

Detective, Maine State Police

Subscribed and sworn to by Detective Victoria Lane before me this 26th day of October, 2023.

Judge, Maige District Court