

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF INDEPENDENCE COUNTY, ARKANSAS
CHANEY WES TAYLOR



WARRANT OF ARREST
COUNTY ARREST WARRANT

Case Number: BAS-25-2046

Warrant No.: BA-25-920

Total Bond to Collect: \$2,725.00

Date Printed: October 7, 2025

The State of Arkansas, To Any Law Enforcement Officer in the State:

IT APPEARING that there are reasonable grounds for believing that **DUSTIN ARCH BLACK** has committed the following offenses:

7-1-103 VIOLATION OF ELECTION LAW
A(AN) CLASS A MISDEMEANOR
VIOLATION DATE: 05-NOV-24 - - COUNTY

in the County of INDEPENDENCE, you are hereby commanded to arrest and bring the above named person before the DISTRICT COURT OF INDEPENDENCE COUNTY.

Given under my hand and seal of said court this October 7, 2025.

- ☐ CASH BOND
☒ PROFESSIONAL BOND
☐ NO CONTACT WITH AFFIANT
☐ MANDATORY APPEARANCE
☐ OTHER: _____

Judge or Clerk

Defendant's Last Known Address:

DUSTIN ARCH BLACK
11965 HIGHWAY 14 E
BIG FLAT AR 72617

Sex: M Race: WHITE
Height: 73 inches Weight: 185 lbs.
Eye color: HAZEL Hair color: BROWN
D.L. State: AR D.L. Number: 913629072
Date of Birth: 08/14/1986
System ID: 913629072

WARRANT RETURN

BOND POSTED: \$ _____ ☐ CASH ☐ RECOGNIZANCE ☐ PROF ☐ 10%

I certify that I have served the within warrant of arrest on the _____ day of _____, 20_____, at _____

- by: ☐ taking into my custody the within named **DUSTIN ARCH BLACK** .
☐ delivering a copy of this warrant of arrest to the within named **DUSTIN ARCH BLACK** personally and releasing the accused upon promise to appear in the **DISTRICT COURT OF INDEPENDENCE COUNTY** on the court date stated herein.
☐ Warrant returned unexecuted
☐ Warrant recalled

Arresting Officer and Agency _____

SID Number: _____

Arrest Tracking Number: _____

COURT DATE: _____ at ____: ____ a.m./p.m.

I promise to appear in said court at said time and place.
I understand the above and that my signature is not an admission of guilt.

Signature: _____

ATN IS REQUIRED FOR FELONIES AND CLASS A MISDEMEANORS (A.C.A. 12-12-1006)

AFFIDAVIT FOR WARRANT OF ARREST

STATE OF ARKANSAS
COUNTY OF INDEPENDENCE

I, **Steven McClanahan**, am a Special Agent with the Arkansas Attorney General's Office/Public Integrity Unit, DO SOLEMNLY SWEAR THAT IN SAID COUNTY OF INDEPENDENCE, ARKANSAS, that **DUSTIN BLACK**, DID PURPOSELY, KNOWINGLY & WILLFULLY COMMIT THE OFFENSE (S) OF:

Miscellaneous misdemeanor offenses/Elections 7-1-103 / (8)-A Misd.

(a) The violation of any of the following shall be deemed misdemeanors punishable as provided in this section:
(8) (B) On early voting days and election day, a person shall not do any electioneering during voting hours:

- (i) In a building in which voting is taking place;
- (ii) Within one hundred feet (100') of the primary exterior entrance used by voters to a building in which voting is taking place; or

(iii) With persons standing in line to vote.

(C) (i) As used in this subdivision (a)(8), "electioneering" means the display of or audible dissemination of information that advocates for or against any candidate, issue, or measure on a ballot.

(ii) "Electioneering" includes without limitation the following:

(a) Handing out, distributing, or offering to hand out or distribute campaign literature or literature regarding a candidate, issue, or measure on the ballot;

(b) Soliciting signatures on a petition;

(c) Soliciting contributions for a charitable or other purpose;

(d) Displaying a candidate's name, likeness, or logo;

(e) Displaying a ballot measure's number, title, subject, or logo;

(f) Displaying or dissemination of buttons, hats, pencils, pens, shirts, signs, or stickers containing electioneering information; and

(g) Disseminating audible electioneering information.

(iii) "Electioneering" does not include:

(a) The presentation of a candidate's identification by the candidate under Arkansas Constitution, Amendment 51, § 13; or

(b) The display of a ballot measure in the polling place as required under § 7-5-202; or

(24) A person shall not enter or remain in an area within one hundred feet (100') of the primary exterior entrance to a building where voting is taking place except for a person entering or leaving a building where voting is taking place for lawful purposes.

(b) (1) Except as otherwise provided, the violation of any provision of this section shall be a Class A misdemeanor.

On Election Day, November 5, 2024, Cathy Drew, the Independence County Election Coordinator, said she received numerous complaints from voters as they entered the polling location, Batesville Community Center, to vote. Drew said the complaints were about two men, later identified as Conrad Reynolds and Dustin Black, who were asking voters questions near the entrance to the polling location. SA McClanahan went to the Batesville Community Center to take photographs and measurements to establish the 100-foot boundaries. The entrance to the community center was situated at a circular drive, where people could be dropped off, with parking available on both sides of the entrance. All voters had to enter the

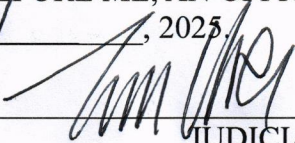
front entrance of the building to vote. The circular drive was paved with asphalt, and the entrance to the building was concrete. The distance from where the asphalt transitioned to concrete at the front of the polling locations was 29 feet 7 inches. Drew first made contact without video, where both Reynolds and Black were within proximity to the front entrance (the concrete portion), and they returned 30 minutes to an hour later. Drew said that when she returned, both Reynolds and Black were within the same area of the polling location, which, by measurement, is within 30 feet of the front entrance where all voters enter and exit.

The SBEC file included a video showing an interaction between Cathy Drew, the Independence County Election Coordinator, and Wendy Henderson, the Independence County Election Commissioner, with Conrad Reynolds, identified as engaging in electioneering. The interaction took place at the Batesville Community Center, located on 1420th Street in Batesville, Arkansas. Drew recorded the video on her iPhone, and it lasted 9 minutes and 4 seconds. A second individual, identified as Dustin Black and appearing to be with Reynolds, wore a lanyard that read "OFFICIAL" at the top, followed by "PAPER BALLOTS!" in the middle, and at the bottom, a box stating, "PAPER BALLOT EXIT POLLS." In the video, Black was holding a clipboard, though the contents were not visible. Black spoke very little during the recording but could be heard saying: "Exit polling, I don't know anything, I don't care either way."

BASED ON THE AFOREMENTIONED INFORMATION, I REQUEST AND PRAY A WARRANT FROM THE DISTRICT COURT OF INDEPENDENCE COUNTY, FOR SAID COUNTY, TO APPREHEND AND BRING THE SAID, **DUSTIN BLACK**, TO COURT TO BE DEALT WITH ACCORDING TO LAW.

 **Special Agent Steven McClanahan**
Affiant

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN TO BEFORE ME, AN OFFICER EMPOWERED TO ADMINISTER OATHS,
THIS 7th DAY OF October, 2025.



JUDICIAL OFFICER

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF INDEPENDENCE COUNTY, ARKANSAS
CHANNEY WES TAYLOR



WARRANT OF ARREST
COUNTY ARREST WARRANT

Case Number: BAS-25-2045

Warrant No.: BA-25-919

Total Bond to Collect: **\$2,725.00**

Date Printed: October 7, 2025

The State of Arkansas, To Any Law Enforcement Officer in the State:

IT APPEARING that there are reasonable grounds for believing that **CONRAD EARL REYNOLDS** has committed the following offenses:

7-1-103 VIOLATION OF ELECTION LAW
A(AN) CLASS A MISDEMEANOR
VIOLATION DATE: 05-NOV-24 - - COUNTY

in the County of INDEPENDENCE, you are hereby commanded to arrest and bring the above named person before the DISTRICT COURT OF INDEPENDENCE COUNTY.

Given under my hand and seal of said court this October 7, 2025.

- ☐ CASH BOND
☒ PROFESSIONAL BOND
☐ NO CONTACT WITH AFFIANT
☐ MANDATORY APPEARANCE
☐ OTHER: _____

Judge or Clerk

Defendant's Last Known Address:
CONRAD EARL REYNOLDS
17 WESTIN DR
CONWAY AR 72034
501 2690636

Sex: M Race: WHITE
Height: 71 inches Weight: 230 lbs.
Eye color: BROWN Hair color: BROWN
D.L. State: AR D.L. Number: 907618514
Date of Birth: 06/27/1960
System ID: 907618514

WARRANT RETURN

BOND POSTED: \$ _____ ☐ CASH ☐ RECOGNIZANCE ☐ PROF ☐ 10%

I certify that I have served the within warrant of arrest on the _____ day of _____, 20_____, at _____

- by: ☐ taking into my custody the within named **CONRAD EARL REYNOLDS** .
☐ delivering a copy of this warrant of arrest to the within named **CONRAD EARL REYNOLDS** personally and releasing the accused upon promise to appear in the **DISTRICT COURT OF INDEPENDENCE COUNTY** on the court date stated herein.
☐ Warrant returned unexecuted
☐ Warrant recalled

COURT DATE: _____ at ____:____ a.m./p.m.
I promise to appear in said court at said time and place.
I understand the above and that my signature is not an admission of guilt.

Signature: _____

Arresting Officer and Agency
SID Number: _____
Arrest Tracking Number: _____

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AFFIDAVIT FOR WARRANT OF ARREST

STATE OF ARKANSAS
COUNTY OF INDEPENDENCE

I, **Steven McClanahan**, am a Special Agent with the Arkansas Attorney General's Office/Public Integrity Unit, DO SOLEMNLY SWEAR THAT IN SAID COUNTY OF INDEPENDENCE, ARKANSAS, that **Conrad Reynolds**, DID PURPOSELY, KNOWINGLY & WILLFULLY COMMIT THE OFFENSE (S) OF:

Miscellaneous misdemeanor offenses/Elections 7-1-103 / (24)-A Misd.

- (a) The violation of any of the following shall be deemed misdemeanors punishable as provided in this section:
- (24) A person shall not enter or remain in an area within one hundred feet (100') of the primary exterior entrance to a building where voting is taking place except for a person entering or leaving a building where voting is taking place for lawful purposes.
- (b) (1) Except as otherwise provided, the violation of any provision of this section shall be a class A misdemeanor.

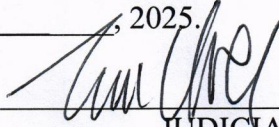
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Drew started videoing the second interaction with Reynolds and Black as she exited her vehicle, which shows Reynolds on the concrete portion outside the entrance to the polling location. Reynolds and Black were within 30 feet of the entrance to the polling location, where all voters entered and exited through the same set of doors. During the video, Reynolds informed Drew that he could conduct exit polling within a 100-foot radius. An additional witness, Caroline Goodwin, who was working the front desk just inside the polling location, stated that she did observe Reynolds, who was holding a clipboard, talking to voters as they entered the building. Goodwin also said she received a complaint that they were telling people how to vote.

BASED ON THE AFOREMENTIONED INFORMATION, I REQUEST AND PRAY A WARRANT FROM THE DISTRICT COURT OF INDEPENDENCE COUNTY, FOR SAID COUNTY, TO APPREHEND AND BRING THE SAID, **Conrad Reynolds**, TO COURT TO BE DEALT WITH ACCORDING TO LAW.

 Special Agent Steven McClanahan
10-7-25 Affiant

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN TO BEFORE ME, AN OFFICER EMPOWERED TO ADMINISTER OATHS,
THIS 1st DAY OF April, 2025.


JUDICIAL OFFICER