

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE SEVENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT,
IN AND FOR VOLUSIA COUNTY, FLORIDA

VSO Case Number
VP260008672

IN RE: PETITION FOR RISK PROTECTION ORDER
AGAINST {Name of Respondent} _____

AFFIDAVIT

STATE OF FLORIDA
COUNTY OF VOLUSIA

I, {full legal name} _____ DEPUTY T. STEWART _____, in my position as {job title} _____ DEPUTY II _____ with the {name of law enforcement officer/agency} _____ VOLUSIA SHERIFF OFFICE _____, swear and affirm that the following facts are true and correct.

1. {Name of Respondent} _____ poses a significant danger of causing personal injury to himself/herself or others by having a firearm or any ammunition in his/her custody or control or by purchasing, possessing or receiving a firearm or any ammunition. The following specific statements, actions, or facts give rise to a reasonable fear of significant dangerous acts by the respondent:

On 04/25/2026, at 0801 hours, deputies responded to a residence located at _____ in the City of Deltona, in regard to a disturbance. Upon arrival, deputies made contact with a male subject, _____ (D1), his son, _____ (O1), and the victims, _____ (V1) and _____ (V2).

_____ 3 Additional pages are attached.

2. {Name of Witness} _____ provided the following information based on his/her personal knowledge:

SEE SECTION 1.

_____ Additional pages are attached.

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Deputy Stewart spoke with _____ who advised the following:

_____ is the live-in boyfriend of _____. _____ used to be in a long-term dating relationship with _____, they have been separated for a while now but live in the same home because they both own the residence and live as a familial unit. _____, a minor, is _____ and _____'s child. _____ and _____ live in separate rooms of the house, while _____ stays in the same room with _____.

_____ had purchased a used vehicle from _____ for \$2,000 USD. After driving the vehicle for a short period of time, the vehicle showed signs that the brakes were not reliable. Today, 04/25/2026, a civil argument ensued over _____ wanting _____ to leave the residence. _____ requested his \$2,000 back for the vehicle and for _____ to take the vehicle back. The argument got heated. _____ went to his bedroom, retrieved a handgun, a black Taurus G3 XL (S/N: #ADA889037), and pointed it at both _____ and _____ while stating he was going to kill _____. _____ stated he was in fear for his safety.

Due to the exhibiting of the firearm, pointing it at _____ and _____ which created a well-founded fear in _____ wishes to press charges for aggravated assault with a firearm. _____ completed a sworn written and verbal statement. _____ completed a Marcy's Law form and advised he wanted his personal information to remain confidential. _____ was provided with a Victim's Rights brochure and a case number.

Deputy Stewart then spoke with _____ who advised the following:

_____ confirmed she used to be in a long-term dating relationship with _____. _____ confirmed she and _____ both own the residence.

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█████ advised she was in fear for her safety.

█████ advised she does not want to press charges. █████ completed a sworn verbal and written statement. █████ completed a Marcy's Law form and advised she wanted her personal information to remain confidential. █████ was provided with a Victim's Rights brochure and a case number due to her being a victim of this domestic related incident.

Deputy Stewart then spoke with █████, who confirmed he was in the residence, but did not see or hear any of the events transpire.

Deputy Mendoza spoke with █████ (D1), due to him only speaking Spanish. █████ (D1), advised the following to Deputy Mendoza:

Initially, █████ advised he was in an argument with █████ over purchasing his vehicle. █████ advised █████ never paid him the money for the vehicle. █████ advised it was a verbal argument; it never got physical.

When it was brought to law enforcement's attention that a firearm was used by █████, this was brought to his attention. █████ advised he never threatened them with a gun, but he did retrieve his firearm from under his pillow and placed it on the dresser.

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[REDACTED] was subsequently placed under arrest for Aggravated Assault with a Firearm on [REDACTED] and Aggravated Assault with a Firearm - Domestic on [REDACTED]. [REDACTED] was placed into properly fitted, double locked handcuffs behind his back. [REDACTED] was searched incident to arrest; no contraband or weapons were found. [REDACTED] was later transported to the Volusia Sheriff District - 4 Office for administrative paperwork completion. He was later transported to the Volusia County Branch Jail.

A criminal history check was conducted, which showed previous domestic related arrests.

Director Quann was notified of this incident due to a juvenile being present in the home when the incident occurred. Sergeant Crofutt was on scene and was notified of what occurred. This report will be uploaded securely to the DCF website due to it being domestic in nature, and a firearm being involved while a child was in the residence.

The firearm and ammunition were seized by assisting deputies and later submitted into a Volusia Sheriff - District 4 evidence locker. An RPO will be completed and submitted. Please see Deputy Cole's supplemental narrative.

3. Affiant is is not aware of any existing protection order governing the respondent under any applicable statute.

_____ Known protection orders are attached

4. The quantities, types, and locations of all firearms and ammunition the petitioner believes to be in the respondent's current ownership, possession, custody or control are as follows:

Quantity	<u>1</u>	Type	<u>TAURUS .9MM</u>	Location	<u>VSO EVIDENCE</u>
Quantity	<u>10</u>	Type	<u>AMMO RND</u>	Location	<u>" "</u>
Quantity	_____	Type	_____	Location	_____
Quantity	_____	Type	_____	Location	_____
Quantity	_____	Type	_____	Location	_____
Quantity	_____	Type	_____	Location	_____

_____ Additional pages are attached.

AFFIANT HEREBY CERTIFIES UNDER PENALTY OF PERJURY THAT THE STATEMENTS AND FACTS IN THIS AFFIDAVIT AND IN ANY ATTACHMENTS ARE TRUE AND CORRECT TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE.

Dated: 04/25/2026

Signature of Affiant: 

Sworn to (or affirmed) and subscribed before me by means of physical presence or online notarization, this 25th day of April, 2026, by Deputy T. Stewart
Affiant's name

 9950
Signature of Attesting LEO Witness

Deputy A. Cole
Print name of Attesting LEO Witness

OR

Signature of Notary Public

(Print, Type, or Stamp Commissioned Name of Notary Public)

Personally known or Produced Identification

(Type of Identification Produced)