

THE STATE OF TEXAS

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COUNTY OF UVALDE COUNTY §

SEARCH WARRANT

The State of TEXAS: To the Sheriff or any Peace Officer of UVALDE County, State of TEXAS, or any Peace Officer of the State of TEXAS:

The affiant whose name appears on the affidavit in support of this warrant is a peace officer under the laws of TEXAS and did swear to that affidavit before me or someone authorized to take the affiant's oath under the laws of this state. I find the verified facts stated by affiant in the affidavit show that affiant has probable cause for affiant's belief expressed in the affidavit, and those facts establish proper grounds for issuance of this Warrant;

NOW, THEREFORE, YOU ARE ORDERED to search the premises, persons, and vehicles described in the affidavit, as follows: In an incorporated area south of Uvalde located at 552 Diaz Street, Uvalde County, Texas, 78801, Grid Coordinates 29.20037, 99.79344.

At the above-described premises, persons, or vehicles you shall search for and seize the following items:

- Knives, blades, tools, or criminal instruments used to stab, slash, or cut.
- Firearms and ammunition, including live rounds, spent bullets and shell casings, and related devices used with firearms including loading devices, cleaning materials, holsters, cases, and devices for carrying or concealing weapons or ammunition.
- Biological material such as blood, hair, tissue, blood stain evidence that could be used for typing or DNA retrieval for identification of the victim, witnesses or actors in criminal homicide including any surfaces, fabric or clothing on which the evidence appears, and chemical testing for blood that has been cleaned or removed.
- Fingerprints at the location of the victim, actors, or potential witnesses;
- Any communications whether written or stored on electronic media storage devices such as cell phones, computers, USB drives, CD's, DVD's, any other digital storage device, magnetic storage device or tape, or device that records information.
- Evidence of occupancy or control of the premises including but not limited to bills, statements, records, mail, addressed and named correspondence, and others related items.

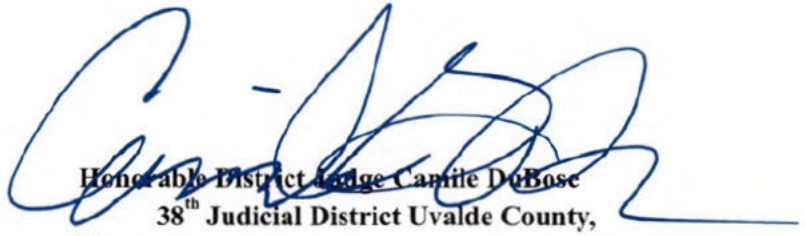
If you find the above described items, you are to seize that property and dispose of the items as provided by law.

Affiant request authority from the Court to transport, remove, or take any property or evidence seized pursuant to the warrant requested herein to any location deemed necessary for purposes of safekeeping and completion of any investigation or proceeding related to the activities described in this affidavit.

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CHRISTINA J. OVALLE
CLERK DISTRICT COURT, UVALDE COUNTY TEXAS
By Amanda Sanchez Deputy

YOU ARE ORDERED TO EXECUTE THIS WARRANT within 3 whole days of the issuance of the warrant, exclusive of the day of its issuance and of the day of its execution, and then return the warrant and show how you have executed this Warrant.

WARRANT ISSUED this 25 day of May, 2022, at 10:49 o'clock A.M. by the below signed magistrate.



Honorable District Judge Camille DeBose
38th Judicial District Uvalde County,
Texas

AFFIDAVIT FOR SEARCH WARRANT

**THE STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF UVALDE**

**BEFORE ME, THE UNDERSIGNED AUTHORITY PERSONALLY APPEARED THE
AFFIANT HEREIN, A PEACE OFFICER UNDER THE LAWS OF TEXAS, WHO BEING
DULY SWORN, ON OATH MADE THE FOLLOWING STATEMENTS:**

My name is [REDACTED], I am a commissioned peace officer by the Texas Department of Public Safety, Texas Rangers Division.

Affiant, [REDACTED] is a certified Master Peace Officer in the State of Texas with continuous 18 plus years of law enforcement service. Affiant is employed by the Texas Department of Public Safety and is currently appointed to the Texas Rangers Division. Affiant's duties with the Texas Rangers involve several areas of criminal investigations within law enforcement to include local crime, aggravated assault, sexual assault, theft, theft by a public servant, robbery, fugitive arrests, manslaughter, murder as well as conducting criminal investigations for the La Salle County Sheriff, Zavala County Sheriff and the Crystal City Police Department Chief of Police. Prior to being appointed to the Texas Rangers, Affiant was assigned to the Texas Department of Public Safety, Criminal Investigations Division as a Special Agent to investigate organized crime to include illegal narcotics, weapons, and bulk cash smuggling for 6 plus years, (11/01/2014 to 12/01/2020).

Affiant, has received specialized training on criminal patrol, drug interdiction tactics, organized drug trafficking, interview and interrogation tactics, advanced criminal investigations, and advanced 4th, 5th, and 6th Amendment training as early as 2003. Affiant has conducted investigations on manslaughter, sexual assaults, aggravated assaults, aggravated robbery, drug trafficking organizations and violent Texas gangs which resulted in Affiant writing and executing multiple search warrants at locations concealing evidence, illegal narcotics, weapons to include the seizure of bulk cash in U.S. currency and possession of child pornography within the State of Texas. Affiant has conducted interviews and interrogations of numerous suspects to further his understanding during criminal investigations which led to felony arrests, State and Federal indictments and convictions.

1. **There is in Uvalde County, Texas, a suspected place and premises described and located as follows:** In an incorporated area south of Uvalde located at 552 Diaz Street, Uvalde County, Texas, 78801, Grid Coordinates 29.20037, 99.79344.
See Attachment A: which is incorporated herein for all purposes.



Said suspected place is a single-family residence. The residence has a tan in color exterior, brown trim, two windows facing south, a brown in color front door facing south, and numbers 552 along the left side facing south in addition to the foregoing description, premises and within

the curtilage, if said premises is a residence, that are found to be under the control of the suspected party named below and in, on, or around which said suspected party may reasonably reposit or secrete property that is the object of the search requested herein.

Said suspected place is in the charge of and controlled by each of the following named and/or described individuals (herein called "suspected party," whether one or more), to wit: Rolando Salvador Ramos, H/M, DOB: 05/16/2004.

2. It is the belief of affiant that said suspected party has possession of and is concealing at said suspected place the following property:

Evidence of criminal homicide including but not limited to the following:

- Knives, blades, tools, or criminal instruments used to stab, slash, or cut.
- Firearms and ammunition, including live rounds, spent bullets and shell casings, and related devices used with firearms including loading devices, cleaning materials, holsters, cases, and devices for carrying or concealing weapons or ammunition.
- Biological material such as blood, hair, tissue, blood stain evidence that could be used for typing or DNA retrieval for identification of the victim, witnesses or actors in criminal homicide including any surfaces, fabric or clothing on which the evidence appears, and chemical testing for blood that has been cleaned or removed.
- Fingerprints at the location of the victim, actors, or potential witnesses;
- Any communications whether written or stored on electronic media storage devices such as cell phones, computers, USB drives, CD's, DVD's, any other digital storage device, magnetic storage device or tape, or device that records information.
- Evidence of occupancy or control of the premises including but not limited to bills, statements, records, mail, addressed and named correspondence, and others related items.

3. Affiant has probable cause for said belief by reason of the following facts:

On 05/24/2022, Affiant was contacted by Texas Department of Public Safety, Texas Ranger Lieutenant [REDACTED] who briefed Affiant regarding an active shooter and multiple casualties in the Uvalde County area.

On 05/24/2022, Affiant traveled to Robb Elementary School located at 715 Old Carrizo Road, Uvalde, Texas 78801. Upon arrival, Affiant was briefed by lead investigator, Company "D" Texas Ranger [REDACTED]. Ranger [REDACTED] stated the Suspect: Salvador Rolando Ramos, DOB: 05/16/2004, Hispanic, Male, arrived at the rear property of Robb Elementary School, 715 Old Carrizo Springs Road, Uvalde, Texas 78801 while operating a Gray in color, 2008, Ford, Texas Registration ([REDACTED]). Ramos exited the Ford, while armed with a long rifle and began shooting towards the buildings of Robb Elementary School. Ramos abandoned the Ford and continued to advance towards the interior of Robb Elementary School and gained access inside the school. While inside the school, Ramos fatally shot multiple students and injured several others.

On 05/24/2022, I was briefed by Company "F" Texas Ranger [REDACTED] regarding two

male witnesses which were identified by Ranger [REDACTED] as [REDACTED] and [REDACTED]. According to Ranger [REDACTED], he learned that the two male witnesses observed a male subject dressed completely in black with long shoulder length black hair standing by the passenger side of the Ford, Texas ([REDACTED]). According to Ranger [REDACTED], [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] walked towards the subject after he had crashed into a ditch behind the elementary school. As [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] approached the male subject, the male subject was holding a long rifle and proceeded to load the rifle with a magazine. According to Ranger [REDACTED], [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] retreated towards the Hillcrest Memorial Funeral Home located at 424 Geraldine St., Uvalde, Texas when the male subject began to fire multiple gunshots in their direction. According to Ranger [REDACTED], [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] witnessed the male subject, approach the school and begin shooting towards the buildings.

On 05/24/2022, Affiant was briefed by Company "D" Texas Ranger [REDACTED] who responded to the Robb Elementary School and entered the mentioned property. According to Ranger [REDACTED], local, state, and federal law enforcement officers gained access into the Robb Elementary School in an attempt to locate Ramos. According to Ranger [REDACTED], law enforcement officers encountered multiple injured students who had suffered apparent gunshot wounds as well as multiple casualties throughout the hallways and classrooms. According to Ranger [REDACTED], law enforcement officers encountered Ramos inside one of the classrooms. Ramos fired multiple gunshots towards their direction. Law enforcement officers returned gunfire and fatally shot Ramos. Among Ramos' belongings, a, Black in color, Apple, I-Phone, 13 Pro-Max was located next to Ramos body. Upon further observation, Ramos was wearing all black clothing and had long black hair which description previously obtained from [REDACTED]

On 05/24/2022, Affiant received Ramos' official identification from Ranger [REDACTED] which indicated a physical address of 552 Diaz Street, Uvalde County, Texas 78801.

Affiant request authority from the Court to transport, remove, or take any property or evidence seized pursuant to the warrant requested herein to any location deemed necessary for purposes of safekeeping and completion of any investigation or proceeding related to the activities described in this affidavit.

WHEREFORE, based on the facts, circumstances, the training of Affiant and the information noted in this document, Affiant asks for issuance of a warrant that will authorize affiant to search for and seize said mobile/cellular phone(s), media, software, and documentation. Furthermore, said items are to be analyzed by a trained computer evidence recovery specialist in order to retrieve, restore, and/or reproduce any or all information believed to be evidence of said offenses.

Affiant:

Texas Ranger

Texas Ranger Division



Subscribed and sworn to before me by said Affiant on this the 25 day of May, 2022.

Honorable District Judge Camile Dubose
38th Judicial District Uvalde, Texas

THE STATE OF TEXAS

COUNTY OF UVALDE

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COURT: 38th Judicial District

RETURN AND INVENTORY

BEFORE ME, THE UNDERSIGNED AUTHORITY, PERSONALLY APPEARED THE AFFIANT HEREIN, A PEACE OFFICER UNDER THE LAWS OF TEXAS, WHO, BEING DULY SWORN, ON OATH MADE THE FOLLOWING STATEMENTS:

My name is [REDACTED], and I am commissioned as a peace officer by The Texas Department of Public Safety, Texas Rangers Company "D".

The attached Search Warrant came to hand on the day it was issued and it was executed on the 25th day of May, 2022, by conducting the search directed therein and by seizing during such search the following described property:


Qty	Description of Property / Evidence
2	Apparent Blood Stain Swabs
1	.223 Cartridge casing - Spent
1	Projectile Fragment
1	Clump of Hair
4	4 - Clumps of Hair
1	Red iPhone
1	.223 Cartridge casing - Spent
1	.223 live cartridge
1	Sonim Radio Phone
1	TX ID Card Suspect
1	Samsung Galaxy A12
1	Projectile Fragment
1	Bag of receipts
2	2 - PMAGS Magazines (30 capacity)
20	1 - Box .223 Cartridges (20) Frontiers
1	Wendy's Hat
1	HP Laptop Computer S/N: 5CD039POSQ
1	Numerous magazine wrappers

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CHRISTINA J. OVALLE
CLERK DISTRICT COURT, UVALDE COUNTY TEXAS
By Amanda Sanchez Deputy


Affiant

06-01-2022
Date

SWORN TO AND SUBSCRIBED BEFORE ME BY THE SAID AFFIANT ON THIS THE
1 DAY OF ~~MAY~~ JUNE, 2022.


Honorable District Judge Camile DuBose
38th Judicial District
Uvalde County