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Man Arraigned on Multiple Counterfeit Charges

Mount Clemens, MI - On March 1, 2023 Cornell Hayes allegedly fled Warren Police Officers during an attempted traffic stop. After a short police pursuit Hayes left his vehicle and fled on foot. The defendant was later found hiding under a bed in a residence on St. Clement St. in Warren. After a search of the defendant's vehicle, police found multiple driver's licenses and credit cards with the defendant's photo but different names.

Hayes is charged with Fleeing a Police Officer Third Degree (5 year felony,) Receiving and Concealing a Motor Vehicle (5 year felony,) Counterfeit/Forged State Identification Card with Intent to Deliver/Possessing (5 year felony,) Identity Theft (5 year felony,) three counts of Stealing/Retaining without consent a financial transaction device (4 year felony.)

Cornell Hayes was arraigned in Warren District Court today. District Court Judge Steve Bieda set his bond at 250,000.00 cash/surety, no 10% and upon release he must wear a steel GPS tether.

The defendant's probable cause hearing was scheduled for Tuesday, March 14, 2023 at 8:45am with his preliminary exam scheduled for Tuesday, March 21, 2023 at 8:45am in front of District Court Judge Suzanne Faunce.

The Macomb County Prosecutor's office represents the people. We are committed to achieving justice and following the laws of the State of Michigan. All that are accused of a crime are presumed innocent until proven guilty in a court of law.

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