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Bicycled Bandit Arraigned on Eight Counts in Random Assault Case

Mount Clemens, MI - Yesterday, a thirty-year-old man was arraigned in connection with an alleged sexual assault, and allegedly firing a gun at another victim in connection with this bizarre incident.

It is alleged that on Monday, July 31, 2023, Dakarai Farmer entered a store in Roseville and sexually assaulted the owner by inappropriately touching her. A second victim chased Farmer out of the store. Farmer fled on a bicycle, pointed and shot his gun at the second victim multiple times.

Dakarai Farmer of Eastpointe is charged with Felon in Possession of a Firearm (five year felony), Felon in Possession of Ammunition (five year felony), Carrying a Concealed Weapon (five year felony), Assault with a Dangerous Weapon (four year felony), three counts of Felony Firearm (a mandatory two year felony), and Criminal Sexual Conduct in the Fourth Degree (two-year high-court misdemeanor).

Farmer was arraigned in Roseville District Court in front of District Court Judge Alyia Hakim where bond was set at \$30,000 cash/surety with a mental health assessment. Macomb County Prosecuting Attorney Peter J. Lucido's Office requests a mental health assessment for every gun crime to provide an opportunity for mental health treatment before a suspect can get a chance to commit another gun crime. Upon release Farmer must wear a GPS tether, and have no contact with the victims. A Probable Cause Conference is scheduled for Wednesday, August 9, 2023 at 9:30 am.

"The gravity of gun violence cannot be overstated. Felon's can not legally possess firearms.," said Macomb County Prosecutor Peter J. Lucido.

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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