

File No. 25CR434206-590				Law Enforcement Case No. 20250901161403 CHARLOTTE MECKLENBURG POLICE DEPARTMENT		LID No.		
WARRANT FOR ARREST				STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA In The General Court Of Justice District Court Division MECKLENBURG County				
THE STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA VS.								
Name And Address Of Defendant Cheryl Harris Gates 4718 Morning Dew Court Charlotte NC 28270				Spoken Language Court Interpreter Needed For Any Party, Victim, Or Witness? (If Yes, identify person(s) and language(s). Interpreters provided for all court proceedings at no cost.) ☒ No ☐ Yes: (explain)				
				OFFENSE(S) (see AOC-CR-100 Continuation(s) for charging text)				
				Count No.	Offense	Offense in Violation Of G.S.	Offense Code	
Race W	Sex F	Date Of Birth 01/17/1982	Age 43	1	F - ATTEMPTED FIRST DEGREE MURDER	COMMON LAW	0951	
Name Of Defendant's Employer				2	F - CONTAMINATE FOOD/DRINK W/CS	14-401.16	3486	
Date Of Offense 07/08/2025								
☐ Misdemeanor Offense Which Requires Fingerprinting Per Fingerprint Plan								
Date Of Arrest & Check Digit No. (as shown on fingerprint card)								
Complainant Name (and address, if Complainant is an officer) Jennifer Bumgarner CHARLOTTE MECKLENBURG POLICE DEPARTMENT 601 East Trade St Charlotte NC 28202 MECKLENBURG								
Witness Information								
TO ANY OFFICER WITH AUTHORITY AND JURISDICTION TO EXECUTE A WARRANT FOR ARREST FOR THE OFFENSE(S) CHARGED IN THIS WARRANT: I, the undersigned, find that there is probable cause to believe that on or about the date of offense shown and in the county named above the defendant named above unlawfully, willfully, and feloniously did commit the offense(s) set forth above and on the attached AOC-CR-100 Continuation(s), which is (are) incorporated by reference. This act(s) was in violation of the law referred to in this Warrant For Arrest. This Warrant For Arrest is issued upon information furnished under oath by the complainant listed. You are DIRECTED to arrest the defendant and bring the defendant before a judicial official without unnecessary delay to answer the charge(s) above.								
Date Issued 10/08/2025	Name Of Issuing Official Chaney			Signature 		☒ Magistrate ☐ Deputy CSC ☐ Assistant CSC ☐ Clerk Of Superior Court ☐ District Court Judge ☐ Superior Court Judge		
Location Of Court				Court Date		Court Time		
WAIVER OF PROBABLE CAUSE HEARING								
The undersigned defendant, with the consent of his/her attorney, waives the right to a probable cause hearing.								
Date Waived	Signature Of Defendant			Name Of Attorney		Signature Of Attorney		

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OFFENSES (continued)		
Count 1. Offense: F - ATTEMPTED FIRST DEGREE MURDER		
Charging Text For This Count On or about the date of offense shown and in the county named above the defendant unlawfully, willfully, and feloniously did with malice aforethought attempt to kill and murder JAMES BRADFORD GATES		
Count 2. Offense: F - CONTAMINATE FOOD/DRINK W/CS		
Charging Text For This Count On or about the date of offense shown and in the county named above the defendant unlawfully, willfully, and feloniously did CONTAMINATE CELCIUS ENERGY DRINK WITH PRESCRIPTION MEDICATIONS WITH THE INTENTION OF CAUSING A BLACK OUT CONDITION OR INCAPACITATION.		

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		OFFENSES (continued)	
Count 5. Offense:			
Charging Text For This Count			
Count 6. Offense:			
Charging Text For This Count			

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Name Of Defendant Cheryl Harris Gates		If the Warrant For Arrest is not served within one hundred and eighty (180) days, it must be returned to the Clerk of Court in the county in which it was issued with the reason for the failure of service noted thereon.		
Date Of Issuance Of Warrant For Arrest 10/08/2025				
RETURN OF SERVICE				
I certify that the Warrant For Arrest issued in this case on the date noted above for the defendant named above, was received and served as follows:				
Date Received	Date Served	Time Served	Date Returned	
☐ By arresting the defendant and bringing the defendant before:				
Name Of Judicial Official				
☐ The Warrant WAS NOT served for the following reason:				
Signature Of Officer Making Return		Name Of Officer (type or print)		
Department Or Agency Of Officer				
REDELIVERY/REISSUANCE				
Date	Name Of Clerk (type or print)	Signature Of Clerk	☐ Deputy CSC ☐ Assistant CSC ☐ Clerk Of Superior Court	
RETURN FOLLOWING REDELIVERY/REISSUANCE				
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☐ The Warrant WAS NOT served for the following reason:				
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Department Or Agency Of Officer				
AOC-CR-100 Return, Rev. 7/24 © 2024 Administrative Office of the Courts				

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Name Of Defendant Cheryl Harris Gates		NOTE: Use this page to enter judgment on a Warrant For Arrest. Use this Judgment page only if imposing a single , consolidated judgment for all offenses of conviction charged under this file number. Do not use this Judgment page to impose sentence: (i) if imposing separate judgments for separate offenses of conviction charged under this file number; (ii) to impose supervised probation; or (iii) for DWI sentences under G.S. 20-179. For DWI, use AOC-CR-342 (active) or AOC-CR-310 (probation). For structured sentencing offenses, use AOC-CR-602 (active) or AOC-CR-604 (probation).		
Date Of Issuance Of Warrant For Arrest 10/08/2025				
		JUDGMENT		
District Attorney	☐ Def. Waived Attorney ☐ Def. Found Not Indigent ☐ Def. Denied Appointed Counsel	Attorney For Defendant	☐ Appointed ☐ Retained	PRIOR CONVICTIONS: No./Level: 0 ☐ I (0) ☐ II (1-4) ☐ III (5+)
OFFENSES: The following offenses, which are set forth by Count No. in the Warrant For Arrest issued in this case on the date noted above for the defendant named above, are the subject of this Judgment:				
Count 1	PLEA: ☐ guilty ☐ not guilty ☐ no contest _____	VERDICT: ☐ guilty ☐ not guilty _____	M.CL.: ☐ A1 ☐ 1 ☐ 2 ☐ 3	
Count 2	PLEA: ☐ guilty ☐ not guilty ☐ no contest _____	VERDICT: ☐ guilty ☐ not guilty _____	M.CL.: ☐ A1 ☐ 1 ☐ 2 ☐ 3	
Count 3	PLEA: ☐ guilty ☐ not guilty ☐ no contest _____	VERDICT: ☐ guilty ☐ not guilty _____	M.CL.: ☐ A1 ☐ 1 ☐ 2 ☐ 3	
Count 4	PLEA: ☐ guilty ☐ not guilty ☐ no contest _____	VERDICT: ☐ guilty ☐ not guilty _____	M.CL.: ☐ A1 ☐ 1 ☐ 2 ☐ 3	
Count 5	PLEA: ☐ guilty ☐ not guilty ☐ no contest _____	VERDICT: ☐ guilty ☐ not guilty _____	M.CL.: ☐ A1 ☐ 1 ☐ 2 ☐ 3	
Count 6	PLEA: ☐ guilty ☐ not guilty ☐ no contest _____	VERDICT: ☐ guilty ☐ not guilty _____	M.CL.: ☐ A1 ☐ 1 ☐ 2 ☐ 3	
Count 7	PLEA: ☐ guilty ☐ not guilty ☐ no contest _____	VERDICT: ☐ guilty ☐ not guilty _____	M.CL.: ☐ A1 ☐ 1 ☐ 2 ☐ 3	
Count 8	PLEA: ☐ guilty ☐ not guilty ☐ no contest _____	VERDICT: ☐ guilty ☐ not guilty _____	M.CL.: ☐ A1 ☐ 1 ☐ 2 ☐ 3	
Count 9	PLEA: ☐ guilty ☐ not guilty ☐ no contest _____	VERDICT: ☐ guilty ☐ not guilty _____	M.CL.: ☐ A1 ☐ 1 ☐ 2 ☐ 3	
Count 10	PLEA: ☐ guilty ☐ not guilty ☐ no contest _____	VERDICT: ☐ guilty ☐ not guilty _____	M.CL.: ☐ A1 ☐ 1 ☐ 2 ☐ 3	

(Over)

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JUDGMENT (continued)					
JUDGMENT: The defendant appeared in open court and freely, voluntarily and understandingly entered the plea(s) on Side One. On the verdict(s) from Side One, it is ORDERED that all offenses of conviction, if more than one, be consolidated for judgment with Count No. _____ (list count of lead offense) and that the defendant:					
☐ pay the following fine/penalty and costs:		Amount Of Fine/Penalty \$		Costs \$	
☐ be imprisoned for a term of _____ days in custody of the ☐ sheriff. ☐ MCP. ☐ Other:* _____ Pretrial credit _____ days served.					
☐ Work release ☐ is recommended. ☐ is not recommended. (NOTE: To <u>order</u> work release, use form AOC-CR-602 to impose judgment.)					
☐ The Court finds that a ☐ longer ☐ shorter period of probation than that which is specified in G.S. 15A-1343.2(d) is necessary.					
☐ Execution of the sentence is suspended and the defendant is placed on unsupervised probation* for _____ months, subject to the following conditions:					
1. commit no criminal offense in any jurisdiction. 2. possess no firearm, explosive or other deadly weapon listed in G.S. 14-269.					
3. remain gainfully and suitably employed, or faithfully pursue a course of study or of vocational training that will equip the defendant for suitable employment and abide by all rules of the institution.					
4. satisfy child support and family obligations, as required by the Court. 5. Submit to the taking of digitized photographs, including photographs of the defendant's face, scars, marks, and tattoos, to be included in the defendant's records. 6. pay to the Clerk the costs of court and any additional sums shown below.					
Costs \$		Fine \$		Restitution** \$	
Attorney's Fee \$		Community Service Fee \$		Other \$	
Total Amount Due \$					
**Name(s), address(es), and amount(s) for aggrieved party(ies) to receive restitution: (NOTE TO CLERK: Record SSN or Tax ID No. of aggrieved party(ies) on AOC-CR-382, "Certification Of Identity (Victims' Restitution)/ Certification Of Identity (Witness Attendance).")					
☐ 7. complete _____ hours of community service during the first _____ days of probation, as directed by the judicial services coordinator, and pay the fee prescribed by G.S. 143B-1483 within _____ days.					
☐ 8. not be found in or on the premises of the complainant or _____.					
☐ 9. not assault, communicate with or be in the presence of the complainant or _____.					
☐ 10. provide a DNA sample pursuant to G.S. 15A-266.4. (AOC-CR-319 required)					
☐ 11. Other: _____					

☐ The Court finds just cause to waive costs as ordered on attached ☐ AOC-CR-415. ☐ AOC-CR-618. ☐ Other: _____.					
It is ORDERED that this: ☐ Judgment is continued upon payment of costs.					
☐ case be consolidated for judgment with _____.					
☐ sentence is to run at the expiration of the sentence in _____.					
☐ COMMITMENT: It is ORDERED that the Clerk deliver <u>two</u> certified copies of this Judgment and Commitment to the sheriff and that the sheriff cause the defendant to be retained in custody to serve the sentence imposed or until the defendant shall have complied with the conditions of release pending appeal.					
PROBABLE CAUSE: ☐ Probable cause is found as to all Counts except _____, and the defendant is bound over to Superior Court for action by the grand jury.					
☐ No probable cause is found as to Count(s) _____ of this Warrant and the Count(s) is dismissed.					
Date	Name Of District Court Judge Or Magistrate (type or print)			Signature Of District Court Judge Or Magistrate	
APPEAL ENTRIES					
☐ The defendant, in open court, gives notice of appeal to the ☐ District ☐ Superior Court.					
☐ The current pretrial release order is modified as follows: _____					
Date	Name Of District Court Judge Or Magistrate (type or print)			Signature Of District Court Judge Or Magistrate	
CERTIFICATION					
I certify that this Judgment is a true and complete copy of the original which is on file in this case.		Date	Date Delivered To Sheriff	Signature	
				☐ Dep. CSC ☐ Asst. CSC	
				☐ Clerk Of Superior Court	
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