# STATE OF MICHIGAN CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE $7^{\text{TH}}$ JUDICIAL CIRCUIT GENESEE COUNTY

#### GRAND JURY FELONY INDICTMENT

PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN,

CONFIDENTIAL/Non-Public File No. 2020-113791-PZ

v File No. 2020-113791-PZ

DEF: NICOLAS LYON

Offense Information
Police Agency/Report No.

Complaining Witness:

Place of Offense: Flint, MI

GRAND JURY

# INDICTMENT

# THE GRAND JURY OF THE COUNTY OF GENESEE PRESENTS THAT:

On or about the above date in County of GENESEE, State of MICHIGAN, the above-named defendant:

#### **COUNT 1: INVOLUNTARY MANSLAUGHTER**

Did cause the death of John Snyder on June 30, 2015 by the grossly negligent failure to perform the following legal duty, to-wit: failing to protect the health of the citizens of Michigan and/or by the grossly negligent performance of that duty in accordance with the public health code; contrary to MCL 750.321. [750.321]

**FELONY:** 15 years and/or \$7,500.00

# **COUNT 2: INVOLUNTARY MANSLAUGHTER**

Did cause the death of Debra Kidd on August 2, 2015 by the grossly negligent failure to perform the following legal duty, to-wit: failing to protect the health of the



citizens of Michigan and/or by the grossly negligent performance of that duty in accordance with the public health code; contrary to MCL 750.321, [750.321]

**FELONY:** 15 years and/or \$7,500.00

#### **COUNT 3: INVOLUNTARY MANSLAUGHTER**

Did cause the death of Brian McHugh on July 5, 2015 by the grossly negligent failure to perform the following legal duty, to-wit: failing to protect the health of the citizens of Michigan and/or by the grossly negligent performance of that duty in accordance with the public health code; contrary to MCL 750.321. [750.321]

**FELONY:** 15 years and/or \$7,500.00

# **COUNT 4: INVOLUNTARY MANSLAUGHTER**

Did cause the death of DuWayne Nelson on August 7, 2015 by the grossly negligent failure to perform the following legal duty, to-wit: failing to protect the health of the citizens of Michigan and/or by the grossly negligent performance of that duty in accordance with the public health code; contrary to MCL 750.321. [750.321]

FELONY: 15 years and/or \$7,500.00

#### **COUNT 5: INVOLUNTARY MANSLAUGHTER**

Did cause the death of Nelda Hunt on July 22, 2015 by the grossly negligent failure to perform the following legal duty, to-wit: failing to protect the health of the citizens of Michigan and/or by the grossly negligent performance of that duty in accordance with the public health code; contrary to MCL 750.321. [750.321]

**FELONY:** 15 years and/or \$7,500.00

#### **COUNT 6: INVOLUNTARY MANSLAUGHTER**

Did cause the death of Peter Derscha on August 17, 2015 by the grossly negligent failure to perform the following legal duty, to-wit: failing to protect the health of the citizens of Michigan and/or by the grossly negligent performance of that duty in accordance with the public health code; contrary to MCL 750.321. [750.321]

FELONY: 15 years and/or \$7,500.00

#### **COUNT 7: INVOLUNTARY MANSLAUGHTER**

Did cause the death of Thomas Mulcahy on August 22, 2015 by the grossly negligent failure to perform the following legal duty, to-wit: failing to protect the health of the citizens of Michigan and/or by the grossly negligent performance of

that duty in accordance with the public health code; contrary to MCL 750.321. [750.321]

**FELONY:** 15 years and/or \$7,500.00

# **COUNT 8: INVOLUNTARY MANSLAUGHTER**

Did cause the death of Arthur Percy on August 31, 2015 by the grossly negligent failure to perform the following legal duty, to-wit: failing to protect the health of the citizens of Michigan and/or by the grossly negligent performance of that duty in accordance with the public health code; contrary to MCL 750.321. [750.321]

FELONY: 15 years and/or \$7,500.00

### **COUNT 9: INVOLUNTARY MANSLAUGHTER**

Did cause the death of Patricia Schaffer on July 23, 2015 by the grossly negligent failure to perform the following legal duty, to-wit: failing to protect the health of the citizens of Michigan and/or by the grossly negligent performance of that duty in accordance with the public health code; contrary to MCL 750.321. [750.321]

**FELONY:** 15 years and/or \$7,500.00

# **COUNT 10: WILLFUL NEGLECT OF DUTY**

As Director of the Michigan Department of Health and Human Services, a public officer, did willfully neglect his mandatory legal duty to protect the health of citizens of Michigan under the Michigan Public Health Code (Act 368 of 1978).

I hereby certify that the foregoing indictment is a TRUE

Grand Justor

SG Flint/Indictment (Lyon) 12.29.20