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Criminal Sexual Assault And Aggravated Sexual Abuse Arrest

Bloomington, IL - On Thursday, 08/04/22, Matthew Kiely was arrested by the Harvard Illinois Police Department. After a lengthy investigation conducted by Bloomington Police Department's Criminal Investigation Division, a \$1,000,000 dollar warrant was issued for Kiely.

Arrested was Matthew Kiely, M, 44, Harvard Illinois.

Matthew Kiely, was arrested for:

- PREDATORY CRIMINAL SEXUAL ASSAULT (2 counts)
- Aggravated SEX ABUSE (3 counts)

Bond was set at \$1,000,000 - 10% to apply.

Chief Jamal Simington stated, "I want to thank BPD detectives for their hard work during this case. Their efforts are essential in solving alleged violent crimes of this nature. The detectives have been meticulous and persistent throughout the investigation. BPD will continue to partner with our community to enhance the quality of life in Bloomington. The BPD will continue focusing our resources effectively and with persistence to address violence, especially involving young victims who are unable to protect themselves. I would also like to thank the Harvard Police Department for their assistance in apprehending the suspect."

All suspect(s) are presumed innocent unless proven guilty in the court of law.

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This incident remains under investigation. Anyone with information should contact BPD Detective Maas at 309-434-2534 / Cmaas@cityblm.org

If you wish to submit a tip and remain anonymous, please contact the Crime & Intelligence Analysis Unit (CIAU) at (309)-434-2963 or email CIAU@cityblm.org. The CIAU office is staffed from 8am-4:30pm, weekdays. If no one is available to answer your call, please leave the information on the voicemail or send it by e-mail.

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