

State of Indiana v. LUKE M. WENKE

Case Number	20D04-2012-CM-001567
Court	Elkhart Superior Court 4
Type	CM - Criminal Misdemeanor
Filed	12/09/2020
Status	12/09/2020 , Pending (active)
Reference	Prosecutor Case Management Number 20D04-2012-CM-DM1716812 Police Agency Number 20ISPC010910 Original County Cause Number d420cm1567

Parties to the Case

Defendant WENKE, LUKE M.

Description

Male, White, 5' 8"

Address

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BOP # 83837-509
Allenwood, PA 17810

State State of Indiana
Plaintiff

Attorney

Vicki Elaine Becker
#1998849

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Elkhart, IN 46516
574-296-1888(W)

Probation Elkhart County Probation
Department

Address

1905 Reliance Road
Goshen, IN 46526

Attorney in Elkhart County Public Defender (Other)
Fact

Removed

01/26/2023 - Other

Charges

01 09/22/2020 35-48-4-11(a)(1)/MB: Possession of Marijuana

Statute

35-48-4-11(a)(1)

Degree

MB

02 09/22/2020 35-48-4-8.3(b)(1)/MC: Possession of Paraphernalia

Statute

35-48-4-8.3(b)(1)

Degree

MC

Chronological Case Summary

12/09/2020	Case Opened as a New Filing
12/09/2020	Case Filed Electronically Added By EFile Manager
12/09/2020	Appearance Filed Appearance - Criminal For Party: State of Indiana File Stamp: 12/09/2020
12/09/2020	Notice of Exclusion of Confidential Information AR 9 - Defendant Personal Information Filed By: State of Indiana File Stamp: 12/09/2020
12/09/2020	Information Filed Redacted Personal Information Filed By: State of Indiana File Stamp: 12/09/2020
12/09/2020	Information Filed Personal Information Filed By: State of Indiana File Stamp: 12/09/2020
12/09/2020	Probable Cause Affidavit Filed Wenke Affidavit.pdf Filed By: State of Indiana File Stamp: 12/09/2020
12/09/2020	Information Filed Wenke Charging Info.pdf Filed By: State of Indiana File Stamp: 12/09/2020
12/09/2020	Hearing Scheduling Activity Initial Hearing scheduled for 12/11/2020 at 8:30 AM.
12/10/2020	Administrative Event Webex Instructions for 12/11/20 initial hearing at 8:30 AM Noticed: WENKE, LUKE M.
12/10/2020	Automated Paper Notice Issued to Parties Hearing Scheduling Activity ---- 12/9/2020 : LUKE M. WENKE
12/10/2020	Automated ENotice Issued to Parties Hearing Scheduling Activity ---- 12/9/2020 : Elkhart County Probation;Vicki Elaine Becker
12/11/2020	Initial Hearing Session: 12/11/2020 8:30 AM, Judicial Officer: Burton, Dean O - MAG Result: Commenced and concluded
12/11/2020	Automated Paper Notice Issued to Parties Administrative Event ---- 12/10/2020 : LUKE M. WENKE
12/22/2020	Hearing Journal Entry Def. fails to appear for hearing. Judicial Officer: Burton, Dean O - MAG Hearing Date: 12/11/2020
12/22/2020	Administrative Event Cause set for hearing 1-25-21 at 9:00 a.m. Summons to issue vm
12/22/2020	Hearing Scheduling Activity Initial Hearing scheduled for 02/08/2021 at 9:00 AM.
12/22/2020	Administrative Event CORRECTION: Initial hearing set for 2-8-21 at 9:00 a.m.

12/22/2020	Service Issued Summons issued by certified mail. llu Serve To: WENKE, LUKE M. Issued: 12/22/2020
12/23/2020	Automated Paper Notice Issued to Parties Hearing Journal Entry ---- 12/22/2020 : LUKE M. WENKE Administrative Event ---- 12/22/2020 : LUKE M. WENKE Hearing Scheduling Activity ---- 12/22/2020 : LUKE M. WENKE Administrative Event ---- 12/22/2020 : LUKE M. WENKE
12/23/2020	Automated ENotice Issued to Parties Hearing Journal Entry ---- 12/22/2020 : Elkhart County Probation;Vicki Elaine Becker Administrative Event ---- 12/22/2020 : Elkhart County Probation;Vicki Elaine Becker Hearing Scheduling Activity ---- 12/22/2020 : Elkhart County Probation;Vicki Elaine Becker Administrative Event ---- 12/22/2020 : Elkhart County Probation;Vicki Elaine Becker
01/05/2021	Service Returned Served certified mail signed. sa Party Served: WENKE, LUKE M. Date Served: 11/02/2021
01/22/2021	Administrative Event Your hearing is scheduled for February 08, 2021, at 9:00 a.m. Elkhart Superior Court 4 will be using WEBEX.COM as our means of conducting virtual hearings over the internet, until further notice. Below are instructions for you to either call in to the program or appear by video through this program: Download the program from the internet: WEBEX.COM YOU WILL JOIN THE MEETING EITHER BY VIDEO AND ENTERING THE MEETING NUMBER, OR BY CALLING TELEPHONE NUMBER 1-408-418-9388 USING: Meeting Number: 179 456 0600 Password: MqfpRwc4G52 After joining the meeting, if by video, mute your mic until the Judge calls your case. Also if you have earphones or buds, please wear them as this seems to eliminate reverberation during the hearings. The Court will open the Meeting for you to join approximately 10 minutes prior to hearing time. If you have any questions or need further assistance, please call the Clerk's Office at (574) 535-6403. dy Noticed: WENKE, LUKE M.
01/23/2021	Automated Paper Notice Issued to Parties Administrative Event ---- 1/22/2021 : LUKE M. WENKE
02/08/2021	Initial Hearing Session: 02/08/2021 9:00 AM, Judicial Officer: Lund, Gretchen S Result: Commenced and concluded
02/09/2021	Hearing Journal Entry State appears via Webex by DPA Kaitlynn Campoli. Defendant fails to appear to initial hearing on 2/8/2021 at 9:00 AM. Court orders warrant issued with bond set at \$1500.00 Surety and/or 10% Cash Bond. ob/jh 11:18 Judicial Officer: Lund, Gretchen S Hearing Date: 02/08/2021
02/09/2021	Order Issuing Warrant for Arrest Bond set at \$1500.00 Surety and/or 10% Cash Bond. Judicial Officer: Lund, Gretchen S Order Signed: 02/09/2021
02/09/2021	Warrant or Writ of Attmnt for the Body of a Person Issued
02/09/2021	Clerk Administrative Event WARRANT EMAILED TO WARRANTS@SHF DEPT. SA
02/10/2021	Automated Paper Notice Issued to Parties Hearing Journal Entry ---- 2/9/2021 : LUKE M. WENKE Order Issuing Warrant for Arrest ---- 2/9/2021 : LUKE M. WENKE
02/10/2021	Automated ENotice Issued to Parties Hearing Journal Entry ---- 2/9/2021 : Elkhart County Probation;Vicki Elaine Becker Order Issuing Warrant for Arrest ---- 2/9/2021 : Elkhart County Probation;Vicki Elaine Becker
04/23/2021	Appearance Filed Appearance by Elizabeth A. Bellin for Defendant ob For Party: WENKE, LUKE M. File Stamp: 04/23/2021

04/23/2021	Motion Filed Defendant's Motion to Recall Warrant ob Filed By: WENKE, LUKE M. File Stamp: 04/23/2021
04/23/2021	Report of Assets and Liabilities Filed Proposed Order - Recall Warrant ob Filed By: WENKE, LUKE M. File Stamp: 04/23/2021
04/23/2021	Waiver of Initial Hearing Filed Defendant's Waiver of Initial Hearing ob Party: WENKE, LUKE M. File Stamp: 04/23/2021
04/23/2021	Administrative Event CORRECTION- Below entry dated 4/23/2021 should not be titled Report of Assessts and Liabilities Filed. Entry should be Proposed Order Filed. ob
04/23/2021	Order Granting Defendant's Motion To Recall Warrant. dy Judicial Officer: Lund, Gretchen S Order Signed: 04/23/2021
04/23/2021	Administrative Event Atty Elizabeth Bellin enters appearance. Counsel for the Defendant files Waiver of Initial Hearing; not guilty plea entered. Omnibus date: 5/25/21. This is a calendar date for filing certain motions; attorneys and defendants are not required to appear. Further proceedings set for 7/07/21, at 9:00 a.m. dy Noticed: State of Indiana Noticed: Bellin, Elizabeth Ann
04/23/2021	Hearing Scheduling Activity Hearing scheduled for 07/07/2021 at 9:00 AM.
04/23/2021	Warrant or Writ of Attmnt for the Body of a Person Recalled
04/24/2021	Automated ENotice Issued to Parties Administrative Event ---- 4/23/2021 : Elkhart County Probation;Elizabeth Ann Bellin;Vicki Elaine Becker Order Granting ---- 4/23/2021 : Elkhart County Probation;Elizabeth Ann Bellin;Vicki Elaine Becker Hearing Scheduling Activity ---- 4/23/2021 : Elkhart County Probation;Elizabeth Ann Bellin;Vicki Elaine Becker Administrative Event ---- 4/23/2021 : Elizabeth Ann Bellin
06/30/2021	Administrative Event Elkhart Superior Court 4 uses WEBEX.COM as our means of conducting virtual hearings over the internet, until further notice. Below are instructions for you to either call in to the program or appear by video through this program. To appear and join via video, download the program from the internet: WEBEX.COM YOU WILL JOIN THE MEETING EITHER BY VIDEO AND ENTERING THE MEETING NUMBER, OR BY CALLING TELEPHONE NUMBER 1-408-418-9388 AND ENTER THE MEETING NUMBER AND PASSWORD BELOW: Meeting Number: 129 652 5241 Password: Judge-Superior4 After joining the meeting, mute your mic or phone until the Judge calls your case; also if you have earphones or buds, please wear them as this seems to eliminate reverberation during the hearings. The Court will open the Meeting for you to join approximately 10 minutes prior to hearing time. If you have any questions or need further assistance, please call the Clerk's Office at (574) 535-6403. dy Noticed: WENKE, LUKE M.
06/30/2021	Pretrial Diversion Agreement Filed WENKE.pdf vm Party: State of Indiana File Stamp: 06/30/2021
06/30/2021	Administrative Event Court receives Pre-Trial Diversion Agreement and accepts said agreement. Defendant is ordered to pay PTD fee of \$170.00 plus Court cost \$164.00 for a total of \$334.00 due on or before August 27, 2021. Defendant to obtain substance abuse evaluation by August 27, 2021 and complete follow-up recommendations by September 24, 2021. Defendant also to complete 20 hours of community service and provide proof by September 24, 2021 vm
06/30/2021	Hearing Scheduling Activity Hearing scheduled for 07/07/2021 at 9:00 AM was cancelled. Reason: Other.
07/01/2021	Automated Paper Notice Issued to Parties Administrative Event ---- 6/30/2021 : LUKE M. WENKE
07/01/2021	Automated ENotice Issued to Parties Administrative Event ---- 6/30/2021 : Elkhart County Probation;Elizabeth Ann Bellin;Vicki Elaine Becker Hearing Scheduling Activity ---- 6/30/2021 : Elkhart County Probation;Elizabeth Ann Bellin;Vicki Elaine Becker

07/07/2021	CANCELED Hearing Reason: Other Session: 07/07/2021 9:00 AM, Cancelled Comment: FP
08/20/2021	Judgment Judicial Officer: Lund, Gretchen S 01. 35-48-4-11(a)(1)/MB: Possession of Marijuana • Admission 02. 35-48-4-8.3(b)(1)/MC: Possession of Paraphernalia • Admission
08/20/2021	Amended Judgment Judicial Officer: Lund, Gretchen S Reason: Other 01. 35-48-4-11(a)(1)/MB: Possession of Marijuana • Disposition Removed Due to Clerical Error 02. 35-48-4-8.3(b)(1)/MC: Possession of Paraphernalia • Disposition Removed Due to Clerical Error
06/13/2022	Motion to Reinstate Filed Motion to Reinstate Prosecution vm Filed By: State of Indiana File Stamp: 06/13/2022
06/14/2022	Order Granting Motion to Reinstate Order Reinstating Prosecution. Defendant is to appear in person on 7/18/2022 at 9:00 a.m. llu Judicial Officer: Lund, Gretchen S Noticed: WENKE, LUKE M. Noticed: State of Indiana Order Signed: 06/14/2022
06/14/2022	Hearing Scheduling Activity Hearing scheduled for 07/18/2022 at 9:00 AM.
06/15/2022	Automated Paper Notice Issued to Parties Order Granting Motion to Reinstate ---- 6/14/2022 : LUKE M. WENKE Hearing Scheduling Activity ---- 6/14/2022 : LUKE M. WENKE
06/15/2022	Automated ENotice Issued to Parties Hearing Scheduling Activity ---- 6/14/2022 : Elkhart County Probation;Vicki Elaine Becker
07/18/2022	Hearing Session: 07/18/2022 9:00 AM, Judicial Officer: Lund, Gretchen S Comment: mot to reinstate/In person Result: Commenced and concluded
07/19/2022	Hearing Journal Entry State appears in person by DPA Kaitlynn Campoli. Defendant fails to appear. Court's own motion resets this matter for Further Proceeding on 08/29/2022 at 9:00 AM. Clerk to issue summons to appear. Delay chargeable to the Defendant for CR 4 purposes. jh/ap 12:01 Judicial Officer: Ditton, Eric - MAG Hearing Date: 07/18/2022
07/19/2022	Hearing Scheduling Activity Hearing scheduled for 08/29/2022 at 9:00 AM.
07/19/2022	Service Issued SUMMONS ISS CERT MAIL. SA Requested By: State of Indiana Serve To: WENKE, LUKE M. Issued: 07/19/2022
07/20/2022	Automated Paper Notice Issued to Parties Hearing Journal Entry ---- 7/19/2022 : LUKE M. WENKE Hearing Scheduling Activity ---- 7/19/2022 : LUKE M. WENKE

07/20/2022	Automated ENotice Issued to Parties Hearing Journal Entry ---- 7/19/2022 : Elkhart County Probation;Vicki Elaine Becker Hearing Scheduling Activity ---- 7/19/2022 : Elkhart County Probation;Vicki Elaine Becker
08/05/2022	Service Returned Not Served CERTIFIED ENVELOPE RETURNED SHOWING "NOT DELIVERABLE AS ADDRESSED, UNABLE TO FORWARD." SA Pty Not Svd: WENKE, LUKE M. File Stamp: 08/05/2022
08/29/2022	Hearing Session: 08/29/2022 9:00 AM, Judicial Officer: Lund, Gretchen S Comment: FP Result: Commenced and concluded
09/01/2022	Hearing Journal Entry State of Indiana appears in person by DPA Kaitlynn Campoli. Defendant fails to appear. State requests warrant. Court grants request and orders Warrant with \$1500 surety or 10% cash bond issued. jh/ap 11:29 Judicial Officer: Ditton, Eric - MAG Hearing Date: 08/29/2022
09/01/2022	Order Issuing Warrant for Arrest Defendant fails to appear for hearing. Court orders Warrant with \$1500 surety or 10% cash bond. ap Judicial Officer: Ditton, Eric - MAG Order Signed: 09/01/2022
09/01/2022	Warrant or Writ of Attmnt for the Body of a Person Issued
09/01/2022	Clerk Administrative Event WARRANT ISSUED TO SHERIFF OF ELKHART COUNTY BY E-MAIL. AN
09/02/2022	Automated Paper Notice Issued to Parties Hearing Journal Entry ---- 9/1/2022 : LUKE M. WENKE Order Issuing Warrant for Arrest ---- 9/1/2022 : LUKE M. WENKE
09/02/2022	Automated ENotice Issued to Parties Hearing Journal Entry ---- 9/1/2022 : Elkhart County Probation;Vicki Elaine Becker Order Issuing Warrant for Arrest ---- 9/1/2022 : Elkhart County Probation;Vicki Elaine Becker
11/02/2022	Administrative Event Court receives call from Federal Public Defenders office indicating that Defendant request to appear virtually regarding the active warrant on this case. Cause set for hearing November 9, 2022 at 1:30 p.m. Deft. to appear via Webex vm
11/02/2022	Hearing Scheduling Activity Hearing scheduled for 11/09/2022 at 1:30 PM.
11/03/2022	Automated Paper Notice Issued to Parties Administrative Event ---- 11/2/2022 : LUKE M. WENKE Hearing Scheduling Activity ---- 11/2/2022 : LUKE M. WENKE
11/03/2022	Automated ENotice Issued to Parties Administrative Event ---- 11/2/2022 : Elkhart County Probation;Vicki Elaine Becker Hearing Scheduling Activity ---- 11/2/2022 : Elkhart County Probation;Vicki Elaine Becker
11/09/2022	Hearing Session: 11/09/2022 1:30 PM, Judicial Officer: Lund, Gretchen S Comment: Re: active warrant / appearing via Webex Result: Commenced and concluded
11/10/2022	Hearing Journal Entry State of Indiana appears in person by DPA Kaitlynn Campoli. Counsel for the Defendant appears in person by DPD Chris Crawford. Defendant produced by Federal Bureau of Prisons - LSCI Allenwood Facility and sworn in. Further Proceeding held. Defendant examined and found indigent. Court appoints the Public Defender with possible reimbursement. Defendant, by counsel, requests a continuance. State does not object. Court grants the request and resets this matter for Further Proceeding on 12/14/2022 at 1:15 pm. Court recalls warrant issued. Delay chargeable to the Defendant pursuant to CR 4. jh/ap 1:38 Judicial Officer: Ditton, Eric - MAG Hearing Date: 11/09/2022
11/10/2022	Hearing Scheduling Activity Hearing scheduled for 12/14/2022 at 1:15 PM.

11/10/2022	Order Recalling Warrant Court recalls warrant ap Judicial Officer: Ditton, Eric - MAG Order Signed: 11/10/2022
11/10/2022	Warrant or Writ of Attmnt for the Body of a Person Recalled
11/11/2022	Automated Paper Notice Issued to Parties Hearing Journal Entry ---- 11/10/2022 : LUKE M. WENKE Hearing Scheduling Activity ---- 11/10/2022 : LUKE M. WENKE Order Recalling Warrant ---- 11/10/2022 : LUKE M. WENKE
11/11/2022	Automated ENotice Issued to Parties Hearing Journal Entry ---- 11/10/2022 : Elkhart County Probation;Vicki Elaine Becker;Elkhart County Public Defender Hearing Scheduling Activity ---- 11/10/2022 : Elkhart County Probation;Vicki Elaine Becker;Elkhart County Public Defender Order Recalling Warrant ---- 11/10/2022 : Elkhart County Probation;Vicki Elaine Becker;Elkhart County Public Defender
11/15/2022	Appearance Filed Appearance of Christopher Crawford vm For Party: WENKE, LUKE M. File Stamp: 11/15/2022
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11/30/2022	Automated Paper Notice Issued to Parties Administrative Event ---- 11/29/2022 : LUKE M. WENKE
12/14/2022	Hearing Session: 12/14/2022 1:15 PM, Judicial Officer: Lund, Gretchen S Comment: FP Result: Commenced and concluded
12/15/2022	Hearing Journal Entry State of Indiana appears in person by DPA Kaitlynn Campoli. Counsel for the Defendant appears in person by DPD Christopher Crawford. Defendant produced by the Federal Bureau of Prisons and appears via Webex from BOP - Allenwood, PA facility and sworn in. Further Proceeding held. Defendant, by counsel, requests a continuance. State does not object. Court grants the request and resets this matter for further proceeding on 01/24/2023 at 9:00 am. Delay chargeable to the Defendant pursuant to CR 4. Court staff to arrange with facility. jh/ap 1:57 Judicial Officer: Ditton, Eric - MAG Hearing Date: 12/14/2022
12/15/2022	Hearing Scheduling Activity Hearing scheduled for 01/24/2023 at 9:00 AM.
12/16/2022	Automated ENotice Issued to Parties Hearing Journal Entry ---- 12/15/2022 : Elkhart County Probation;Christopher Carle Crawford;Vicki Elaine Becker;Elkhart County Public Defender Hearing Scheduling Activity ---- 12/15/2022 : Elkhart County Probation;Christopher Carle Crawford;Vicki Elaine Becker;Elkhart County Public Defender
01/24/2023	Hearing Session: 01/24/2023 9:00 AM, Judicial Officer: Lund, Gretchen S Comment: FP Result: Commenced and concluded
01/24/2023	Amended Judgment Judicial Officer: Lund, Gretchen S Reason: Judgment of Conviction Converted 01. 35-48-4-11(a)(1)/MB: Possession of Marijuana • Plea by Agreement 02. 35-48-4-8.3(b)(1)/MC: Possession of Paraphernalia • Dismissed

01/24/2023	Sentenced Judicial Officer: Lund, Gretchen S 1. 35-48-4-11(a)(1)/MB: Possession of Marijuana
01/25/2023	Order Issued CRIMINAL SENTENCING ORDER. omo Judicial Officer: Lund, Gretchen S Order Signed: 01/24/2023
01/26/2023	Automated Paper Notice Issued to Parties Order Issued ---- 1/25/2023 : LUKE M. WENKE
01/26/2023	Automated ENotice Issued to Parties Order Issued ---- 1/25/2023 : Elkhart County Probation;Vicki Elaine Becker

Financial Information

* Financial Balances reflected are current representations of transactions processed by the Clerk's Office. Please note that any balance due does not reflect interest that has accrued - if applicable - since the last payment. For questions/concerns regarding balances shown, please contact the Clerk's Office.

WENKE, LUKE M.

Defendant

Balance Due (as of 02/07/2026)

221.00

Charge Summary

Description	Amount	Credit	Payment
Court Costs and Filing Fees	555.00	0.00	334.00

Transaction Summary

Date	Description	Amount
07/01/2021	Transaction Assessment	334.00
08/20/2021	Mail Payment	(334.00)
01/25/2023	Transaction Assessment	221.00

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