

Photo's, printouts, or other visual images of the pornographic nature, any and all video or audiotapes, and any other evidence connected to the use or distribution or pornography.

The facts and circumstances that lead your affiant to believe this are as follows:

01. On 02/12/07, I investigated the crimes of Aggravated Assault, Aggravated Criminal Trespass, Violation of a protection from harassment and violation of conditions of release in which Adam Flanders was arrested. The crimes occurred at approximately 10:56pm on 02/11/07.
02. On 02/12/07 I interviewed one of the victims, Joshua Lowell. Mr. Lowell is currently on probation for a charge of Gross Sexual Assault that had occurred in August 2003. Mr. Lowell was stabbed by Mr. Flanders in the attack. Mr. Lowell told me he had been in a sexual relationship with Mr. Flanders for over 14 months. Mr. Lowell was also the victim of an assault committed by Mr. Flanders in November 2006. Mr. Lowell told me Mr. Flanders and he communicated with each other on frequent occasions using various internet chat websites. Mr. Lowell told me Mr. Flanders had been sending him and his family threatening emails for the past couple of months. Mr. Lowell told me Mr. Flanders had made up fake profiles on Myspace.com claiming to be Mr. Lowell. Mr. Lowell told me Mr. Flanders had threatened to put various pictures of a possible sexual nature of Mr. Lowell on these website profiles. Mr. Lowell said Mr. Flanders had threatened to report Mr. Lowell to his probation officer for having contact with Mr. Flanders. Mr. Lowell told me he and Mr. Flanders had sent instant messages to each other as recently as 02/11/07 concerning Mr. Flanders coming to Rockland and visiting with Mr. Lowell on the night of 02/11/07. Mr. Lowell told me Mr. Flanders had demanded his account information on various websites using the threats of calling the probation officer. Mr. Lowell said he had not given the information to Mr. Flanders.
03. On 02/12/07 I interviewed Josh Lowell's father, Christopher Lowell, hereafter referred to as Chris. Chris was also a stabbing victim in the assault on 02/11/07. Chris told me he and his son had been receiving emails from Mr. Flanders for the past few months. Chris told me Flanders was angry with him and his wife, accusing them of causing the breakup between Mr. Flanders and his son Joshua. Chris told me the emails became increasingly threatening as time went on. Chris forwarded a number of these emails to me. In various emails Mr. Flanders threatens to turn over copied internet emails and chats that would show Chris' son had violated his probation by having contact with Mr. Flanders. Mr. Flanders also alludes to having journals kept at his residence that detail his thoughts and feelings concerning Josh Lowell and Josh's family.
04. An email dated November 15th, 2006 from suricata5@yahoo.com to Josh Lowell and signed with the name "Sunny" contained the statement, "And this is a warning: if you or anyone retaliates in ANY form (ie: PFH, etc.), I promise you, you and I will be going into the next world together immediately." Ten days later Mr. Flanders was arrested by the Rockland Police Department for assaulting Josh Lowell at a gay/lesbian support group meeting. Mr. Flanders later wrote a letter to the Attorney General's Office and the Christian Civic League (see paragraph 05). In this letter Mr. Flanders wrote about the incident in November 2006. Mr. Flanders wrote, "I knew I could find him (Josh Lowell) at the meeting, and when I physically latched onto him and refused to let go, OUT advisors were forced to restrain me. I had also brought a knife with me with plans to commit suicide and possibly attempt to murder Josh Lowell along with myself."