



RUTLAND TOWN POLICE DEPARTMENT

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August 27th, 2026

Rutland Town Police Department Press Release

CASE #: 26RT001162
RANK / FULL NAME: Deputy Chief Jimmy Plakas
CONTACT #: 802-772-4327

DATE/TIME: August 20th, 2026
INCIDENT LOCATION: Rutland Town, VT
VIOLATION: Violation of conditions of release (2 counts)

ACCUSED: Dennis S. McLaughlin
AGE: 55
CITY, STATE OF RESIDENCE: Transient, Rutland, VT 05701

SUMMARY OF INCIDENT: On August 20th, 2026, Officers with the Rutland Town Police Department were investigating a reported violation of conditions of release. While investigating that incident, additional information was received that McLaughlin violated additional conditions of release

Subsequent investigation revealed that McLaughlin violated conditions of release imposed upon him by the Honorable Court multiple times on August 20th, 2026.

On August 27th, 2026, Officers with the Rutland Town Police Department issued McLaughlin a flash citation to appear in Vermont Superior Court Rutland Criminal Division to answer for the above listed charges. McLaughlin remains incarcerated at Marble Valley Regional Correctional Facility.

COURT ACTION: Yes
COURT DATE/TIME: August 28th, 2026 – 1230 hours
COURT: Vermont Superior Court Rutland Criminal Division
BAIL: N/A – Remains incarcerated from previous cases
LODGED: Marble Valley Regional Correction Facility

