



Tupelo Police Department

Press Release

ALL INDIVIDUALS ARRESTED ARE PRESUMED INNOCENT UNTIL PROVEN GUILTY

-----For Immediate Release-----

08-22-23

Retaliation Against a Public Servant or Witness Arrest Made:

On 08-17-23 a City of Tupelo Employee reported being the victim of retaliatory threats that were made towards them in the course of them doing their job. These threats included threats to life.

After further investigation, Michael R. Cox (36 y/o male, Tupelo) was arrested for Retaliation Against a Public Servant or Witness. Tupelo Municipal Court Judge Allen ordered Cox to be held on a \$30,000 bond. This case will be presented to the Lee County Grand Jury.

