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Denver Man Found Guilty of Stalking in Douglas County After Chilling Threats and Tracking Estranged Wife

Taylor Warford electronically tracked ex-wife and threatened to kill her while on probation for domestic violence in Jefferson County

Castle Rock, **CO** - On July 9, 2025, a jury found 33-year-old Taylor Warford of Denver guilty of felony stalking and violating a protection order. The verdict came after a disturbing series of actions targeting Warford's ex-wife while he was on probation for domestic violence against her in Jefferson County.

Investigators say Warford placed an electronic tracker in his ex- wife's vehicle and threatened to kill both her and her child. The threats came after Amy Goggins, who separated from Warford in 2023 after her husband's domestic violence conviction, relocated to Castle Rock to escape the abuse.

Despite a no-contact order, Warford's behavior escalated. Police were alerted when Goggins discovered a GPS tracker hidden in her car. Authorities say Warford purchased the tracker while still under active probation supervision.

Warford's family members also contacted authorities after he purchased five sets of handcuffs and a butane torch using a shared family Amazon account. He reportedly told them he planned to "wipe out" his ex-wife and child. In addition, authorities are investigating reports of Warford allegedly attempting to acquire bomb making materials.

Senior Deputy DA Nate Marsh with the 23rd Judicial District Attorney's Office called the verdict a major win for survivor safety. "This verdict sends a message loud and clear that stalking is a crime of escalation and danger. Ms. Goggins showed incredible bravery coming forward, and this conviction ensures Warford will no longer be able to harm her.

District Attorney George Brauchler also commended the jury's decision, "This case highlights a number of weaknesses in our criminal justice system, including the risk created for the public by placing violence-threatening defendants on probation and sending them back into our community. Jefferson County probation was no protection for our Douglas County citizen. Here the jury saw past the faux-mental health defense he was permitted to spring on the jury at trial. Finally, a word to would be domestic violence abusers...she is over you. Move on. It is less costly than losing years of liberty."

Warford is being held without bond. He faces up to 8 years in prison. Sentencing will take place September 12th.

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