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PRESS RELEASE

Indicted:

Robert W. Fulper 941 Mill Street Phillipsburg, N.J. 04/15/1978

On November 2, 2022, the Warren County Grand Jury returned an indictment against Robert W. Fulper, of Phillipsburg, N.J. An investigation by the Warren County Prosecutor's Office discovered that Mr. Fulper was in possession of numerous documents containing the personal identifying information of former employees of the Town of Phillipsburg.

These documents contained social security numbers, bank account information, passport information, dates of birth, and driver's license numbers of approximately seven (7) individuals who worked for Phillipsburg between 2018 and 2021. Through the statements of these individuals, the investigation determined that none of these victims authorized Mr. Fulper to possess this information. Further, interview of various town personnel revealed that Mr. Fulper had no reason or right to possess this information. Mr. Fulper was a town councilman between 2018 and 2021.

Mr. Fulper was indicted on the following counts:

Count One:

Official Misconduct, Second Degree, N.J.S.A. 2C:30-2

Count Two:

Trafficking in Personal Identifying Information, Second

Degree, N.J.S.A. 2C:21-17.3

Second degree crimes carry a maximum potential sentence of ten (10) years in New Jersey State Prison.

The defendant is presumed innocent unless and until they are proven guilty.

Anthony J. Robinson

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Dated:

November 1, 2022