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Aggravated Cruelty to an Animal Investigation

On Sunday, December 29th, 2024, our department received an animal cruelty call concerning 18-year-old Khalin Lovely, a Loveland man. Lovely was reported to have severely abused a family kitten.

Investigation, coupled with video evidence of the abuse, determined that Lovely had committed aggravated cruelty to an animal, per CRS 18-9-202(1.5)(b)(c). A probable cause arrest was immediately made on Lovely, and he was booked into the Larimer County Jail. Magistrate Sage issued a \$100 cash bond.

Note: The charge, which is normally a class 6 felony, was enhanced to a class 4 felony due to the animal having serious bodily injury, causing it to be euthanized.

The purpose of this news release is to provide timely information to the public. The above charge is merely an accusation, and the defendant is presumed innocent until and unless proven guilty. The details contained in this release are based on information available at the time of drafting. The Loveland Police Department's understanding of this incident may change as additional evidence is collected, analyzed, and reviewed.