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Animal Cruelty Charges Filed Against the Owners of Jurassic Pets in Thornton

17th Judicial District Attorney Dave Young announced Wednesday the filing of multiple charges of animal cruelty against the owners of Jurassic Pets in Thornton.

Lynn Denise Kubic (DOB 05/21/1961) and Brian James Kubic (DOB 09-11-1993) are charged with 38 misdemeanor counts of cruelty to animals for mistreatment and neglect of animals under their care at Jurassic Pets in Thornton. Kenneth Mark Kubic (DOB 06/14/54) is charged with 21 misdemeanor counts of animal cruelty.

The charges are based on an investigation conducted by the Thornton Police Department. A search warrant was executed on the premises at 10380 Washington Street in Thornton in December.

A separate investigation and search was conducted by the Adams County Sheriff's Office on property owned by the Kubics in Brighton where the Kubics operate a business called "Willard's Rodent Factory". No criminal violations have been filed as a result of that investigation.

The Kubics' attorney accepted service of the summons and complaints for all three defendants on Wednesday. They will be arraigned in Adams County Court on April 6 in Division R of Adams County Court.

The filing of a criminal charge is merely a formal accusation that an individual committed a crime under Colorado laws. A defendant is presumed innocent until and unless proven guilty.

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