

Coles County Probation Department has accepted the resignation of Probation Officer Megan Weaver effective immediately. The resignation follows a public incident which occurred on April 26, 2019 outside of a bar in Sullivan, IL involving Megan Weaver, her now ex -husband, and his girlfriend in which there were allegations of a physical confrontation and inappropriate language used by her, including the use of profanity and racial slurs.

Megan was employed as a Probation Officer in 2013. According to Pam Kelly she was a good officer having managed both a regular caseload and the Drug Court program during her tenure.

“There was never any indication during her employment that Megan harbored, any prejudice or bias of any kind and she always treated probationers fairly without regard to race, gender, or circumstance,” said Pam Kelly.

“She was a good officer and she will be missed. The allegations are completely out of character with the Megan we knew,” according to Kelly.

Pam Kelly did add, the conduct and language alleged are completely inappropriate and unbecoming of a Probation Officer or any professional.

Megan’s statement:

“It is with a heavy heart; I have decided to resign from the Coles County Probation Office. My behavior was completely inappropriate, and I am deeply sorry. I do not condone or support racist comments or prejudice of any kind. It has been my honor to work for the Coles County Probation Office, as an officer, for the past five and a half years.”