# Cop pleads guilty to having oral sex with minor

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Yermia "Jeremy" Solomon

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EDITOR'S NOTE: Yermia Solomon's plea agreement does not require him to register as a sex offender. This information was incorrect in an earlier version of this article.

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MONTICELLO - A Monticello police officer who was charged with raping a minor has reached a plea agreement and will resign from the department.

Yermia "Jeremy" Solomon, of Woodridge, pleaded guilty to endangering the welfare of a child, a misdemeanor, on April 16, according to Sullivan County District Attorney James Farrell.

Sentencing is scheduled for July 27. Farrell said he will recommend three years of probation.

In June, Solomon was charged with third-degree rape, a felony, and endangering the welfare of a child and official misconduct, both misdemeanors.

Per the plea agreement, Solomon admits to engaging in oral sex with a minor and will not appeal, Farrell said. There is also a permanent order of protection between Solomon and the minor.

The village's police department brought administrative charges against Solomon based on his indictment, but he will resign in lieu of contesting the charges, according to Farrell.

"It was very important to me to ensure that this individual is not a police officer in this county or any other county," Farrell said.

Solomon had been with the department for about three years at the time of his arrest in June and made about \$79,600 in 2017, according to SeeThroughNY.net. He was 25 at the time of his arrest.

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