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Maria Juanita Emfinger

On May 22 2023, Maria Emfinger was in Autauga County Circuit Court in reference to an unrelated case, when she refused the judges order to submit to a drug test. Emfinger admitted to using narcotics recently and admitted to being several months pregnant. Maria was ordered to be placed in the Metro Jail where she finally submitted to a drug urinalysis test. Emfinger tested positive for multiple controlled substances and was charged with Chemical Endangerment of a Child. This investigation is still ongoing.

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