

**COURT OF APPEALS
DECISION
DATED AND FILED**

July 18, 2002

Cornelia G. Clark
Clerk of Court of Appeals

NOTICE

This opinion is subject to further editing. If published, the official version will appear in the bound volume of the Official Reports.

A party may file with the Supreme Court a petition to review an adverse decision by the Court of Appeals. See WIS. STAT. § 808.10 and RULE 809.62.

**Appeal No. 02-0048
STATE OF WISCONSIN**

**Cir. Ct. Nos. 00-TR-12110
00-TR-12111**

**IN COURT OF APPEALS
DISTRICT IV**

COUNTY OF DANE,

PLAINTIFF-RESPONDENT,

V.

TODD M. OIMOEN,

DEFENDANT-APPELLANT.

APPEAL from a judgment of the circuit court for Dane County:
ROBERT DE CHAMBEAU, Judge. *Affirmed.*

¶1 DYKMAN, J.¹ Todd Oimoen appeals from a judgment of conviction for operating a motor vehicle while under the influence of an

¹ This appeal is decided by one judge pursuant to WIS. STAT. § 752.31(2)(g) (1999-2000). All references to the Wisconsin Statutes are to the 1999-2000 version unless otherwise noted.

intoxicant, in violation of WIS. STAT. § 346.63(1)(a). Oimoen raises two issues regarding a blood draw that was conducted after his arrest: (1) that the warrantless blood draw was unconstitutional because the police could have obtained evidence through a less-invasive breath test; and (2) even if the blood draw was lawful, police required a warrant to analyze the blood because no exigent circumstances existed after the blood was seized.

¶2 Oimoen concedes that the first issue was resolved by *State v. Thorstad*, 2000 WI App 199, 238 Wis. 2d 666, 618 N.W.2d 240, but he suggests that *Thorstad* could be undermined by a case pending before the supreme court at the time of briefing, *State v. Krajewski*, No. 99-3165-CR. *Krajewski* has now been decided. *See* 2002 WI 97. Rather than overrule *Thorstad*, however, *Krajewski* extended its holding, concluding that warrantless blood draws were constitutionally permissible even when the suspect offers to take an alternative test. *Id.* at ¶3. Because Oimoen does not contend that he was “unable to reasonably submit to a blood test,” *Krajewski* forecloses Oimoen’s first argument. *Id.* at ¶52.

¶3 With regard to the second issue, Oimoen also concedes that *State v. VanLaarhoven*, 2001 WI App 275, 248 Wis. 2d 881, 637 N.W.2d 411, has decided that issue against him. We are bound by published decisions of the court of appeals. *See Cook v. Cook*, 208 Wis. 2d 166, 189-90, 560 N.W.2d 246 (1997). We therefore affirm the judgment of conviction.

By the Court.—Judgment affirmed.

Not recommended for publication in the official reports. *See* WIS. STAT. RULE 809.23(1)(b)4.

