

MESSAGE FROM PROSECUTOR SHERRI BEVAN WALSH

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Stow Woman Found Guilty of Murder

(October 17, 2014... Akron) ... Summit County Prosecutor Sherri Bevan Walsh announced today that a jury found Roxanne Buck, 45, of Bryn Mawr Drive in Stow, guilty of:

- Murder, a special felony
- Tampering with Evidence, a felony of the third degree

On March 14, 2014 Michelle Johnson was brutally murdered in her Stow home. Johnson's mother, who was in West Virginia at the time, contacted police after her daughter failed to return several phone calls. Stow police responded and found Johnson's body hidden under blankets in the backyard shed. Johnson had been stabbed several times in the throat. Investigators found Johnson's blood on library books inside Buck's car and Buck and Johnson's blood in several areas inside the home.

Judge Mary Margaret Rowlands will sentence Buck on Tuesday, October 21 at 11:00a.m.