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Akron Man Found Guilty of Murder

Marcus Turner Sentenced to Life in Prison

AKRON, Ohio (Monday, May 02, 2016) – Summit County Prosecutor Sherri Bevan Walsh announced today that a Summit County jury found Marcus Turner, 39, of East Tallmadge Avenue in Akron, guilty in connection with a 2013 murder.

Jurors found Turner guilty of the following charges:

- Murder with a firearm specification a special felony
- Felonious Assault with a firearm specification a felony of the 2nd degree

Visiting Judge H.R. Inderlied immediately sentenced Turner to a sentence of life in prison with parole eligibility after 18 years.

In September of 2013, Turner's apartment was burglarized. Turner believed 21-year-old Amandeep Singh broke into his apartment and stole several items. Later in the day, Turner tracked down Mr. Singh and shot him two times. Mr. Singh died from injuries sustained in the shooting.

In November of 2013, a Summit County jury convicted Turner of Having a Weapon Under Disability and found him not guilty of Aggravated Murder. The same jury was hung on the charges of Murder and Felonious Assault. Turner was retried on those two charges.