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Akron man sentenced for Aggravated Robbery and Felonious Assault

(January 10, 2011) ... Prosecutor Sherri Bevan Walsh announced today that Antuan Dorman, 24, of Akron pled guilty to Aggravated Robbery, a felony of the first degree with a mandatory three year firearm specification and Felonious Assault, a felony of the second degree.

After his plea, Dorman was sentenced by Judge Paul Gallagher to eight years in prison.

On October 3, 2010, Dorman, along with an unidentified Co-Defendant, met a 45-year-old Portage County man to purchase drugs at the intersection of Springdale Street and Edwards Avenue on Akron's north side. Dorman brandished a handgun and demanded money from the victim. When the victim did not immediately comply, Dorman struck the victim multiple times in the head with his firearm. Dorman took approximately \$1000 cash and fled in a white Chevy Blazer. The victim was able to get a partial license plate number and a witness called 911.

Akron Police found Dorman's vehicle three blocks from the attack. When responding Officers attempted a traffic stop of the suspect's vehicle, Dorman and his accomplice stopped their vehicle and fled on foot. Dorman was apprehended after a short foot chase trying to enter his locked residence.