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### **Akron Man Sentenced to Prison for Not Paying Child Support**

AKRON, Ohio (Friday, January 24, 2020) – Summit County Prosecutor Sherri Bevan Walsh announced today that Summit County Common Pleas Court Judge Kelly McLaughlin sentenced Danne Evans, 45, of Sylvan Avenue in Akron, to 16 months in prison for violating the terms of his community control for not paying child support.

In June of 2013, Evans pled guilty to the following charges:

- Criminal Nonsupport of Dependents – a felony of the 4<sup>th</sup> degree

After pleading guilty in 2013, Mr. Evans was given a 16 month suspended prison sentence and placed on community control. In April of 2014, a capias was issued for Mr. Evans for failing to comply with the terms of his community control sanctions. Mr. Evans was eventually arrested in October of 2019. Then, in December of 2019, Mr. Evans pled guilty to violating the terms of his community control in connection with the 2013 case.

“Since being placed on community control in 2013, Mr. Evans did not make a single payment toward his child support obligation. He has failed to live up to his commitment as a father and be there for his family,” said Prosecutor Walsh. “My Child Support Enforcement Agency works hard to help parents find solutions and pay child support. But if they refuse to pay, we will hold them accountable.”

Mr. Evans owes a total of \$61,105.44 in past due child support for his four children.