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Dianna Vandyne Sentenced in Teen's Death

(June 25, 2013... Akron) ... Summit County Prosecutor Sherri Bevan Walsh announced today that Judge Alison McCarty sentenced Dianna Lynn Vandyne, 47, of Waterloo Road in Mogadore, to four years and nine months in prison and a lifetime driver's license suspension for the death of 16-year-old Anthony Weakland of Springfield Township.

Late on July 17, 2012, Weakland and a friend were walking down Albrecht Road in Springfield Township. Vandyne drove into Weakland, launching him into the grass, then drove away.

Vandyne pleaded guilty on May 31 to Aggravated Vehicular Homicide, a felony of third degree; Hit Skip, a felony of the third degree; and Tampering with Evidence, a felony of the third degree.