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Akron Man Sentenced for Shooting Family Member

AKRON, Ohio (Tuesday, January 12, 2016) – Summit County Prosecutor Sherri Bevan Walsh announced today that Summit County Common Pleas Court Judge Todd McKenney sentenced Jonathan Fedrick, 31, of Hallie Street in Akron, to 14 years in prison.

On November 19, 2015, jurors found Fedrick guilty of the following charges:

Two counts of Felonious Assault with Gun Specifications – felonies of the second degree

Summit County Common Pleas Court Judge Todd McKenney also found Fedrick guilty of Having a Weapon Under Disability, a felony of the third degree.

In March of 2015, during an all-day gathering at a family member's home, Fedrick fired a gun, nearly hitting a woman. Fedrick left, then returned a short while later and confronted the woman's husband, who was also a family member. Fedrick eventually shot the man once in the stomach at point blank range.

Fedrick was recently released from prison, where he spent time for aggravated assault, and at the time of the March shooting, was out on bond after being arrested on separate gun and drug charges.