

MESSAGE FROM PROSECUTOR SHERRI BEVAN WALSH

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George Beeler Guilty of Robbing Emidio's Pizza

(February 11, 2014... Akron) ... Summit County Prosecutor Sherri Bevan Walsh announced today that a jury found George W. Beeler, 41, of Akron, guilty of Aggravated Robbery, a felony of the first degree with one firearm specification, and Having Weapons Under Disability, a felony of the third degree.

On August 25, Beeler walked into Emidio's Pizza on North Main Street in Akron, pulled out a gun and robbed the restaurant of approximately \$800. The owner of the restaurant called 911 and gave a description of Beeler and the direction in which he fled. Police found Beeler sitting on the steps of a house on Schiller Avenue, counting money. The money totaled close to \$800. Beeler admitted he committed the robbery, which was captured on security video.

Judge Tammy O'Brien will sentence Beeler on Thursday, February 27 at 1:00 p.m.