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## Akron Man Sentenced to 4 Years in Prison for Killing Man at Local Nightclub

AKRON, Ohio (Wednesday, December 28, 2016) – Summit County Prosecutor Sherri Bevan Walsh announced today that Summit County Common Pleas Court Judge Todd McKenney sentenced Robert Jarvis, 65, of Hilda Street in Akron, to four years in prison in connection with the death of Forrest Ryan at the Zodiac Bar in Akron.

On November 14, 2016, Jarvis pled guilty to the following charge:

Involuntary Manslaughter – a felony of the 1<sup>st</sup> degree

On January 8, 2016, Forrest Ryan was at the Zodiac Bar with friends when an argument broke out between Ryan and Robert Jarvis. Jarvis, who was a DJ at the bar, punched Ryan in the head three times. Investigators determined Ryan died of blunt force trauma.