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Akron Man Sentenced to 25-to-30.5 Years in Prison for Rape

AKRON, Ohio (Thursday, October 13, 2022) – Summit County Prosecutor Sherri Bevan Walsh announced today that Summit County Common Pleas Court Judge Tammy O'Brien sentenced David Cole, 30, of Spicer Street in Akron, to 25-to-30.5 years in prison for rape.

Judge O'Brien also designated Cole a Tier III sex offender. When Cole is released from prison, he would have to register with the local sheriff every 90 days for the rest of his life.

On August 4, 2022, Cole pled guilty to the following charges:

- Three Counts of Rape – Felonies of the 1st Degree
- Two Counts of Endangering Children – Felonies of the 3rd Degree

On several occasions between 2013 and 2021 Cole raped two young girls he knew.