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## Akron Man Sentenced to 23 Years in Prison for 2019 Deadly Shooting

AKRON, Ohio (Tuesday, January 9, 2024) – Summit County Prosecutor Sherri Bevan Walsh announced today that Summit County Common Pleas Court Judge Alison McCarty sentenced Chris Johnson, 31, of Andrus Avenue in Akron, to 23 years in prison for his role in the 2017 deadly shooting of 18-year-old Brandon Belleville.

Prior to sentencing, Johnson pled guilty to the following charge:

- Involuntary Manslaughter with a Firearm Specification a Felony of the 1<sup>st</sup> Degree
- Aggravated Robbery

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On September 19, 2017, Johnson and three other men kicked in the front door of Belleville's Minerva Place home and shot him several times. Belleville died from his injuries.

Harold Burros, 31, is currently serving a life sentence with parole eligibility after 23 years after pleading guilty on April 30, 2019 to the following charges:

- Aggravated Murder with a Gun Specification a Special Felony
- Aggravated Robbery with a Gun Specification a felony of the 1<sup>st</sup> degree

Lamarr Jackson, 31, is currently serving a 21-year prison sentence after pleading guilty on April 29, 2019 to the following charges:

- Involuntary manslaughter with a Gun Specification a felony of the 1st degree
- Aggravated Robbery with a Gun Specification a felony of the 1st degree

CQuincey Chatman, 22, is currently serving a 20-year prison sentence after pleading guilty on April 29, 2019 to the following charges:

- Involuntary manslaughter with a Gun Specification a felony of the 1st degree
- Aggravated Robbery with a Gun Specification a felony of the 1<sup>st</sup> degree

Chatman was a juvenile at the time of the shooting. His case was transferred to the Summit County Court of Common Pleas from Juvenile Court.