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Akron Man Sentenced to Maximum 11-to-16.5 Years in Prison for Aggravated Robbery

AKRON, Ohio (Wednesday, January 17, 2024) – Summit County Prosecutor Sherri Bevan Walsh announced today that Dorell Davis, 24, of Eller Avenue in Akron, was sentenced to 11-to-16.5 years in prison for a 2020 aggravated robbery – the maximum sentence allowed.

On December 4, 2023 a Summit County jury found Davis guilty of the following charge:

Aggravated Robbery – a Felony of the 1st Degree

On December 3, 2020, 21-year-old Tyraye Carter was shot several times while sitting in his car in the area of Tampa Avenue and 28th Street Southwest in Akron. Carter's jewelry was stolen. Investigators were able to identify three suspects, Kashmair Mingo, Javion Rankin, and Dorell Davis.

Jurors found Davis not guilty of murder.

MyKeesha Carter, Tyraye's mother, released the following statement:

"Tyraye had his life taken from him at such a young age for no reason, he had so much more life to live. I'm thankful to have had him and I'm so honored to have been his mother. The family misses you and love you so much. Rest in love my young king. With love, your mother, MyKeesha"

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Mingo, 24, is currently serving a life sentence after being found guilty on November 15, 2022 of the following charges:

- Murder with a Gun Specification a Special Felony
- Aggravated Robbery with a Gun Specification a Felony of the 1st Degree
- Obstructing Justice a Felony of the 3rd Degree
- Having a Weapon Under Disability a Felony of the 3rd Degree

Mingo will be eligible for parole after serving 15 years in prison.

Javion Rankin is currently charged with the following:

- Aggravated Murder with a Gun Specification a Special Felony
- Two Counts of Murder with Gun Specifications Special Felonies
- Aggravated Robbery with a Gun Specification a Felony of the 1st Degree
- Having a Weapon Under Disability a Felony of the 3rd Degree

Rankin is currently out of prison, sentenced in July of 2023 by Summit County Judge Mary Margaret Rowlands to three years community control after being found guilty of the violent robbery of a 60-year-old woman. The robbery occurred the day after Carter's murder.

Rankin is currently on 24-7 monitoring as a condition of his release on a signature bond due to the Prosecutor's Office appealing the court's ruling forbidding the use of Cybercheck evidence in the murder case.