



# Elliot Kolkovich

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## Summit County Prosecutor

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### **PROSECUTOR KOLKOVICH ANNOUNCES LIFE IN PRISON FOR BORDER'S DRIVE THRU MURDER**

AKRON, OH – Today, Summit County Prosecutor Elliot Kolkovich announced that Tyler Bartley, 18, was sentenced to life in prison for the 2024 murder of Patrick Boergert at Border's Drive Thru in 2024. He will be eligible for parole after 16 years. In March, Bartley pleaded guilty to Murder with a 1-year firearm specification, an Unclassified Felony.

**"Gun violence has no place in Summit County. I am committed to continuing to work to prevent these horrific shootings, and to holding perpetrators accountable,"** said Prosecutor Kolkovich. **"My deepest sympathies go out to Patrick Boergert's family. I hope this sentence brings them some measure of solace."**

In February 2024, Patrick Boergert was a passenger in his friend's car when they arrived at Border's Drive Thru, where Tyler Bartley was working as a clerk. Upon seeing Boergert, Bartley fired multiple shots into the car. The friend quickly drove away and called 911. Boergert was later pronounced dead at the hospital. Store surveillance footage captured Bartley firing the weapon into the vehicle, and witness statements further corroborated his involvement in the crime.

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