

NEWS RELEASE

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Crimes Against Persons Team convicts 29 defendants; armed robbers sent to prison

CHARLOTTE, N.C. – Twenty-nine defendants, including several who committed armed robberies, pled guilty May 2-5, 2016, in Mecklenburg County Superior Court. The defendants, who were prosecuted by the Mecklenburg County District Attorney's Crimes Against Persons Team, entered their guilty pleas in courtroom 5350 before The Honorable W. Robert Bell, Superior Court Judge. Among those convicted were:

Raymond Jones, 30, pled guilty to 1) four counts of robbery with a dangerous weapon, 2) conspiracy to commit robbery with a dangerous weapon and 3) possession of a firearm by a convicted felon. Jones was sentenced to 121-158 months in prison.

Henry Bost, 34, pled guilty to two counts of robbery with a dangerous weapon. Bost was sentenced to 89-119 months in prison.

Baahir Davenport, 30, pled guilty to 1) robbery with a dangerous weapon and 2) possession of a firearm by a convicted felon. Davenport was sentenced to 76-104 months in prison.

Christian Carter, 24, pled guilty to assault with a deadly weapon with the intent to kill inflicting serious injury. Carter was sentenced to 73-100 months in prison.

Timmy Lee Green, Jr., 17, pled guilty to 1) robbery with a dangerous weapon and 2) felony fleeing to elude arrest with a motor vehicle. Green was sentenced to 65-90 months in prison.

Jerry Lewis, 33, pled guilty to 1) second-degree sex offense and 2) indecent liberties with a child. Lewis was sentenced to 58-130 months in prison. Upon his release from prison, Lewis must register as a sex offender for 30 years.

Anthony Mayes, Jr., 27, pled guilty to three counts of robbery with a dangerous weapon. Mayes was sentenced to 44-65 months in prison.

Note: Almost all guilty pleas entered in criminal administrative court are the result of an agreed upon plea arrangement between the State and the defendant, which is then approved by the sentencing judge. For more information about why most cases must be resolved by plea negotiation instead of jury trial, please visit the "Understanding Criminal Court" section of the DA's website at www.charmeckda.com.

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