

# NEWS RELEASE

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## **Quarterly Homicide Team report for July-September 2014**

CHARLOTTE, N.C. – Continuing an aggressive 2014 schedule, the Mecklenburg County District Attorney's Homicide Team has been steadfastly working to seek justice for homicide victims and the community. Between January and September 2014, the team convicted 52 defendants.

[Click here](#) to read the team's January-March quarterly report, and [click here](#) to read the team's April-June 2014 quarterly report. The following defendants were convicted by the Homicide Team between July and September 2014:

### **July 2014**

David Mark Fields, 44, pled guilty to 1) second-degree murder, 2) two counts of attempted first-degree murder and 3) two counts of assault with a deadly weapon with the intent to kill inflicting serious injury in connection with the 2013 murder of Marcia Winningham, 43. Fields was sentenced to a total of 420-529 months in prison.

Travis Peters, 26, pled guilty to 1) two counts of second-degree murder and 2) assault with a deadly weapon with the intent to kill for the 2012 murders of Steffon Quinton Montgomery, 24, and Jonathan Michael Green, 27. Peters was sentenced to a total of 336-441 months in prison.

Billy Neal, 21, pled guilty to 1) two counts of felony death by vehicle and 2) felony hit and run for the 2013 deaths of Jose Aguilar, 45, and Hugo Rene Duarte Aguilar, 34. Neal was sentenced to a total of 144-207 months in prison.

[Derrick Huey](#), 57, was tried for first-degree murder in connection with the 2011 death of James Love, 49. The jury found Huey guilty of the lesser-included offense of voluntary manslaughter. He was sentenced to 73-92 months in prison.

Sherrod Pauley, 26, pled guilty to 1) felony identity theft and 2) felony obstruction of justice in connection with the 2012 murder of Michael Anthony, 29. Pauley was sentenced to a total of 21-44 months in prison.

### **August 2014**

Larry Perry, 27, pled guilty to 1) second-degree murder, 2) robbery with a dangerous weapon and 3) possession of a firearm by a convicted felon for the 2010 murder of Jamal Salih, 46. Perry was sentenced to a total of 384-480 months in prison.

Bernard Fuller, 24, pled guilty to second-degree murder for the 2012 murder of Wilfred Arnold, 20. Fuller was sentenced to 174-221 months in prison.

Zamario Blakeney, 22, pled guilty to accessory after the fact to first-degree murder in connection with the 2011 killing of Justin Glenn, 22. Blakeney was sentenced to 96-125 months in prison.

Justin Miller, 24, pled guilty to 1) second-degree murder and 2) two counts of driving while impaired in connection with the 2013 killing of Paul Douglas Miller, 56. He was sentenced to 94-125 months in prison.

Gregory Jones, 48, pled guilty to involuntary manslaughter for the 2013 death of Timothy Covington, 52. Jones was sentenced to 16-29 months in prison; that sentence was suspended pending his successful completion of 36 months of supervised probation. As conditions of his probation, Jones must serve 120 days in the Mecklenburg County jail, undergo a substance abuse assessment and perform community service.

### **September 2014**

[Joshua Donyell Walker](#), 28, was tried for 1) first-degree murder and 2) assault with a deadly weapon inflicting serious injury for the 2013 killing of David Michael Lofton, 30. A jury found him guilty as charged. Walker was sentenced to *life in prison without the possibility of parole*.

Brandon Marell Williams, 25, pled guilty to 1) two counts of second-degree murder and 2) two counts of discharging a firearm into an occupied vehicle for the 2008 murders of Kevin Cano, 20, and Jamie Gills, 20. Williams was sentenced to 540-686 months in prison.

Moises Puente, 32, pled guilty to second-degree murder for the 2013 murder of James Lockhart, 32. Puente was sentenced to 270-336 months in prison.

[Eric Jonathan Cox](#), 34, was tried for 1) second-degree murder, 2) aggravated felony serious injury by vehicle, 3) driving while impaired and 4) failure to comply with license restrictions in connection with the 2011 murder of H'Luon Siu, 26. The jury found him guilty as charged. Cox was sentenced to a total of 208-268 months in prison.

Cesar Garcia-Perez, 35, pled guilty to second-degree murder for the 2013 killing of Alejandro Alvarez, 22. Garcia-Perez was sentenced to 192-243 months in prison.

Cremlen Ogarro, 38, pled guilty to 1) involuntary manslaughter and 2) discharging a firearm into occupied property for the 2013 death of Gerald Kirkland, 51. Ogarro was sentenced to 23-40 months in prison.

Bhargavkumar Patel, 23, pled guilty to involuntary manslaughter for the 2013 death of Jazmyn Ivanna Gill, 23. Patel was sentenced to 16-29 months in prison; that sentence was suspended pending his successful completion of 36 months of supervised probation. As a condition of his probation, Patel must serve 60 days in custody. He was also ordered to surrender his driver's license and not operate a motor vehicle during his probation.

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