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Violent Crimes Team tries 2; convicts 2 others who entered guilty pleas

CHARLOTTE, N.C. – The Mecklenburg County District Attorney's Violent Crimes Team convicted two defendants during the team's August 19, 2024 trial session in courtrooms 5110 and 5170 before the Honorable Louis A. Trosch Jr., and the Honorable Gregory R. Hayes, Superior Court Judges. The session concluded on August 30, 2024.

Quentin Reid, 29, was tried for 1) discharging a firearm into an occupied vehicle resulting in serious bodily injury, 2) discharging a firearm into an occupied vehicle in operation, 3) three counts of attempted discharging a firearm into an occupied vehicle, and 4) two counts of assault with a deadly weapon inflicting serious injury. After a trial lasting almost two weeks, the jury was unable to reach a unanimous verdict on any charge and as a result, Judge Trosch declared a mistrial.

David Hoover, 63, was tried for assault with a deadly weapon inflicting serious injury. The jury found the defendant *not guilty*.

Pierre-Deandre Hall, 40, pled guilty to 1) possession of a firearm by a convicted felon, 2) misdemeanor carrying a concealed gun, and 3) misdemeanor possession of marijuana. Judge Trosch sentenced Hall to 13-25 months in prison; that sentence is suspended pending the defendant's successful completion of 24 months of supervised probation.

Melvin McCall, 43, pled guilty to felony carrying a concealed gun. Judge Hayes sentenced the defendant to 6-17 months in prison; that sentence is suspended pending the defendant's successful completion of 24 months of supervised probation.

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