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## NEWS RELEASE

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## **Special Victims Team convicts 28 defendants**

CHARLOTTE, N.C. – The Mecklenburg County District Attorney's Special Victims Team convicted 28 defendants during recent administrative court sessions in Superior Court during the week of March 17, 2025. The defendants entered their guilty pleas in courtroom 5310 before the Honorable Sally Kirby-Turner, Superior Court Judge.

Among those convicted were:

Tony Leslie, 47, pled guilty to first-degree burglary. Judge Kirby-Turner sentenced him to 14 years in prison. That sentence will run consecutive to a sentence he is currently serving for a previous conviction.

Nathan Alexander, 25, pled guilty to 1) first-degree kidnapping and 2) sexual battery. Judge Kirby-Turner sentenced him to 58-82 months in prison. He must also register as a sex offender for 30 years.

John Milton, 36, pled guilty to second-degree sex offense. Judge Kirby-Turner sentenced him to 88-166 months in prison. Milton must also register as a sex offender for 30 years.

Paul McGill, 66, pled guilty to indecent liberties with a child. Judge Kirby-Turner sentenced him to 17-30 months in prison. McGill must also register as a sex offender for 30 years.

Dionte Myers, 30, pled guilty to assault on a female. Judge Kirby-Turner sentenced him to 75 days in jail; that sentence was suspended pending his successful completion of 24 months of supervised probation.

Matthew Jones, 38, pled guilty to indecent liberties with a child. Judge Kirby-Turner sentenced him to 13-25 months in prison; that sentence was suspended pending his successful completion of 24 months of supervised probation. Jones must also register as a sex offender for 30 years.

Rodney Williston, 29, pled guilty to 1) misdemeanor financial card fraud and 2) two counts of assault on a female. Judge Kirby-Turner sentenced him to two consecutive sentences of 150 days in jail.

Devogea Monroe-Carter, 29, pled guilty to 1) soliciting prostitution and 2) assault by pointing a gun. Judge Kirby-Turner sentenced him to 75 days in jail; that sentence was suspended pending his successful completion of 18 months of supervised probation. The probation may transfer to unsupervised or be terminated if Monroe-Carter remains in compliance for 12 months.

Javari Wilson, 19, pled guilty to communicating threats of mass violence on educational property. Judge Kirby-Turner sentenced him to 6-17 months in prison; that sentence was suspended pending his completion of 30 months of supervised probation.

Jacobo Ochoa-Medina, 24, pled guilty to assault by strangulation. Judge Kirby-Turner sentenced him to 6-17 months in prison.

Tebian Ruff, 32, pled guilty to 1) assault with a deadly weapon inflicting serious injury, 2) two counts of possession of a firearm by a convicted felon, and 3) habitual misdemeanor assault. Judge Kirby-Turner sentenced him to 40-60 months in prison for the first three charges. For the remaining charge, Ruff was sentenced to a consecutive sentence of 12-24 months in prison.

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