

NEWS RELEASE

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23 convicted during administrative court sessions

CHARLOTTE, N.C. – The Mecklenburg County District Attorney's Homicide and Habitual Felon Teams convicted 23 defendants during recent administrative court sessions in Superior Court during the week of March 31, 2025. The defendants entered their guilty pleas in courtroom 5310 before the Honorable Carla N. Archie, Superior Court Judge.

Among those convicted were:

Sean Harper Jr., 29, pled guilty to second-degree murder. Harper also admitted to an aggravating factor. Judge Archie sentenced him to 360-444 months in prison. Charges against Harper's co-defendant remain pending.

Khamarin Floyd, 21, pled guilty to 1) second-degree murder, 2) possession of a weapon by a prisoner, and 3) malicious conduct by a prisoner. Judge Archie sentenced him to 125-162 months in prison.

Dashae McCain, 26, pled guilty to second-degree murder. Judge Archie sentenced her to 125-162 months in prison.

Anthony Mitchell, 29, pled guilty to 1) accessory after the fact to first-degree murder and 2) possession of a firearm by a convicted felon. Judge Archie sentenced him to 67-93 months in prison for the accessory after the fact charge and a concurrent sentence of 12-24 months in prison for the remaining charge.

Jonathan Blakeney, 44, pled guilty to 1) attempted common law robbery, 2) common law robbery, and 3) being a habitual felon. Judge Archie sentenced him to 102-135 months in prison.

Steve Barnett Jr., 33, pled guilty to 1) possession of a firearm by a convicted felon, 2) carrying a concealed gun, and 3) being a habitual felon. Judge Archie sentenced him to 87-117 months in prison.

Christopher Moat, 39, pled guilty to 1) robbery with a dangerous weapon, 2) assault with a deadly weapon inflicting serious injury, and 3) possession of a firearm by a convicted felon. Judge Archie sentenced him to 89-119 months in prison.

Martin Lewis, 32, pled guilty to 1) common law robbery and 2) being a habitual felon. Judge Archie sentenced him to 76-104 months in prison.

Albert Henderson, 34, pled guilty to 1) four counts of felony larceny and 2) conspiracy to commit felony larceny. Judge Archie sentenced him to two consecutive sentences of 18-31 months; those sentences will run consecutive to the sentence Henderson is currently serving for a previous conviction.

Darrien Mackin, 43, pled guilty to 1) two counts of level I trafficking in cocaine and 2) possession of a firearm by a convicted felon. Judge Archie sentenced him to 35-51 months in prison.

Deneisha Brown, 29, pled guilty to fleeing to elude arrest with a motor vehicle. Judge Archie sentenced her to 6-17 months in prison.

Joseph Troy, 30, pled guilty to common law robbery. Judge Archie sentenced him to 19-32 months in prison.

Jerome Thompson, 37, pled guilty to attempted trafficking in methamphetamine. Judge Archie sentenced him to 31-47 months in prison.

Brandon Pettus, 38, pled guilty to 1) possession of a firearm by a convicted felon, 2) larceny from the person, 3) possession of cocaine, and 4) misdemeanor crime of domestic violence. Judge Archie sentenced him to 25-39 months in prison.

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