



Media Release Cases

<u>Case Number</u>	<u>Judge - Court Room</u>	<u>Unit</u>	<u>Agency</u>
	<u>Defendants</u>		<u>Primary Charges</u>
591270-14-CR	Saffold, Shirley Strickland21-B Lewis, Martin P.	Child Victim Section	Cleveland Division of Police
Media Synopsis: While employed as a school guard with CMSD, Lewis, 57, of Cleveland, inappropriately touched female students as they entered the school going through the checkpoint. On January 13, 2016, Lewis entered a plea of guilty to one count each of Gross Sexual Imposition and Unlawful Restraint. Sentencing is scheduled to begin at 9:00 a.m.			
Future Court Action:		Sentencing 2/24/2016	
593743-15-CR	Collier-Williams, Cassandra 23-A Horton, Adaira P. Fullilove, Dwayne V.	Major Trial	Cleveland Division of Police
Media Synopsis: On February 28, 2015, Horton, 29, of Cleveland, shot her boyfriend in the torso after an argument. The victim was transported to Metro Health Hospital where he was pronounced dead. Horton's brother Fullilove, then 27, of Cleveland, was charged with obstructing justice for providing a false statement. On January 25, 2015, Horton entered a plea of guilty to one count each of Voluntary Manslaughter and Felonious Assault. On that same day, Fullilove entered a plea of guilty to one count of Obstructing Official Business. Horton will be sentenced on March 8. Fullilove will be sentenced on February 24 at 10 a.m.			
Future Court Action:		Sentencing 2/24/2016	

597617-15-CR Synenberg, Joan 18-A

ICAC

CCPO - Internet Crimes Against Children

Eccles, Darren

Media Synopsis:

An initial investigation of an IP address involving child pornography was found to be registered with Eccles, 43, of North Olmsted, as the subscriber. A search warrant was executed by the Ohio Internet Crimes Against Children Task Force on July 17, 2015. Evidence seized found Eccles to be in possession of tens of thousands of files containing child pornography. Eccles was not present for the search warrant because he was an airline pilot and had flown out of the country that morning.

On January 21, 2016, Eccles entered a plea of guilty to 38 counts of Pandering Sexually-Oriented Matter Involving a Minor and one count of Possessing Criminal Tools. Sentencing is scheduled to begin at 9:30 a.m.

Future Court Action:

Sentencing 2/24/2016

599227-15-CR Corrigan, Brian J.22-A

Major Trial

Cleveland Division of Police

Harris, Michael

Media Synopsis:

On January 10, 2014, Harris, then 25, of Cleveland, caused the death of his girlfriend's two-year-old son. The child's mother left the child in Harris' care while she went into the bathroom to shower. When she returned the child was limp and not breathing. The Cuyahoga County Medical Examiner's Office ruled the death a homicide and said the child died from internal injuries caused by blunt force trauma.

Trial is scheduled to begin at 9:00 a.m.

Charges:

2903.02(B): Murder	(x1)	UF
2903.04(A): Involuntary Manslaughter	(x1)	F1
2903.11(A)(1): Felonious Assault	(x1)	F2
2919.22(B)(1): Endangering Children	(x1)	F2
2919.22(A): Endangering Children	(x1)	F3
2919.25(A): Domestic Violence	(x1)	F3

Future Court Action:

Trial 2/24/2016

598768-16-CR Astrab, Michael 21-C

Public Corruption

Cuyahoga County Sheriff's Office

Williams, Michael B.

Media Synopsis:

Michael Williams, 46, of Bedford, is scheduled to be sentenced for four counts of bribery. On May 15, 2015, Williams solicited a payment of \$750 from a probationer under his supervision.

In exchange for a portion of the money, Williams offered early release from probation. The probationer contacted the Sheriff's office and agreed to help detectives with the investigation. That same day, Sheriff's detectives covertly recorded a meeting at a local restaurant, where the probationer handed Williams marked bills provided by the detectives. At the time of his arrest, Detectives found Williams still in possession of the marked bills. Subsequent investigation by Sheriff's department detectives revealed that Williams had agreed to help other probationers on his docket for cash and gifts.

On January 6, 2016, Williams entered a plea of guilty to four counts of Bribery. Sentencing is scheduled to begin at 1:30 p.m.

Future Court Action:

Sentencing 2/26/2016