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Guilty Verdict in Hit and Run Fatality in Colonie



ALBANY, NY- District Attorney P. David Soares announced today that BRIAN TROMANS, 34, of Colonie, was found guilty after a jury trial of (1) Count of Leaving the Scene of an Incident Without Reporting as a Felony, a Class D Felony, and (1) Count of Tampering with

Physical Evidence, a Class E Felony, before the Honorable Roger D. McDonough in Albany County Supreme Court this morning.

On January 8, 2017, at approximately 4:40 A.M., TROMANS did drive in the area of Watervliet Shaker Road, in the Town of Colonie, and caused the death of another person by crashing into the victim at 40 MPH, then fled the scene. TROMANS also hid and attempted to fix his motor vehicle in an effort to hinder police investigation.

TROMANS faces 2 1/3 to 7 years in State Prison on the top count, in addition to a possible 1 1/3 to 4 years for the charge of tampering with evidence when sentenced on February 9, 2018.

Assistant District Attorney David Szalda of the Vehicular Crimes Unit and Bureau Chief Mary Tanner-Richter prosecuted this case.

For more information please contact the Albany County District Attorney's Office at AlbanyDA@albanycountyny.gov.



Troman's Vehicle

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