



OFFICE OF THE DISTRICT ATTORNEY

P. DAVID SOARES

6 LODGE STREET

ALBANY, NEW YORK 12207

(518) 487-5460

(518) 487-5093 FAX

CONTACT: CECILIA WALSH (518) 275-4710

Cecilia.Walsh@albanycounty.com

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE: MAY 13, 2016

Two Men Sentenced for Involvement in 2015 Albany Homicide



MARK BOWMAN

RASHAD QUINTYNE

ALBANY, NY – District Attorney P. David Soares announced today that two individuals were sentenced for their involvement in a May 5, 2015 shooting in the City of Albany.

MARK BOWMAN, 25, of Albany, was sentenced to 21 years in State Prison to be followed by 5 years Post Release Supervision, before the Honorable Judge Stephen W. Herrick in Albany County Court this morning. BOWMAN previously pleaded guilty to (1) Count of Attempted Murder in the Second Degree, a Class B Felony, on April 8, 2016.

RASHAD QUINTYNE, 19, of Albany, was sentenced to 15 years in State Prison to be followed by 5 years Post Release Supervision, before the Honorable Judge Stephen W. Herrick in Albany County Court this morning. QUINTYNE previously pleaded guilty to (1) Count of Manslaughter in the First Degree, a Class B Felony, on April 8, 2016.

On May 5, 2015, at approximately 1:14 A.M., in the area of Lark Street and Sheridan Avenue in the City of Albany, BOWMAN did fire into a group of people causing serious physical injury to two individuals. Another individual, Courtney Yates, was killed in the shooting by a third defendant, JAUSHI'IR WEAVER.

QUINTYNE planned the shooting with BOWMAN and WEAVER, and transported them to the location where the shooting took place. BOWMAN, QUINTYNE, and WEAVER were arrested by Albany City Police officers after an investigation of the incident.

The third co-defendant JAUSHI'IR WEAVER was found guilty after a jury trial of (1) Count of Murder in the Second Degree, a Class A Felony, and (1) Count of Criminal Possession of a Weapon in the Second Degree on April 22, 2016. WEAVER faces up to 25 years to Life in State Prison when he is sentenced on May 26, 2016.

Former Deputy Chief Assistant District Attorney Cheryl Fowler handled the prosecution this case. Chief Assistant District Attorney David Rossi handled the sentencing of BOWMAN and QUINTYNE today in court.

For more information, please contact Cecilia Walsh at (518) 275-4710 or Cecilia.walsh@albanycounty.com.

###