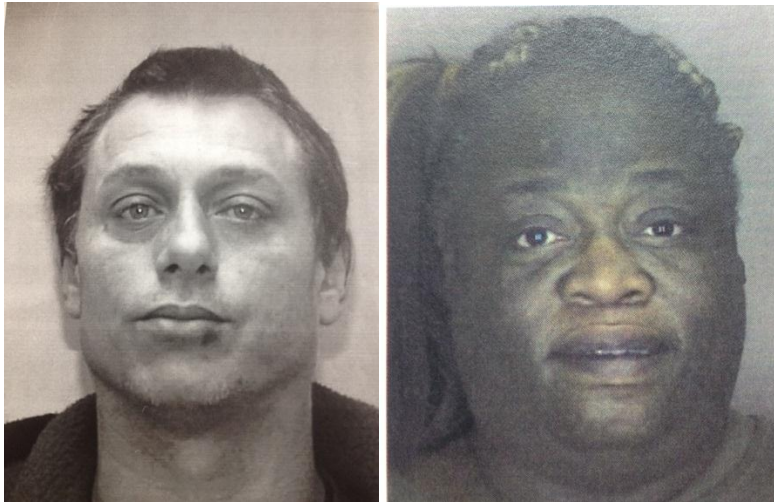




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Two Plead Guilty to Heroin Sales



ALBANY, NY - District Attorney P. David Soares announced today **TIMOTHY MANN**, 43, of Albany, and **CAROLYN FLOOD**, 47, of Albany each pleaded guilty to (1) Count of Criminal Sale of a Controlled Substance in the Third Degree, a Class B Felony, before the Honorable Thomas A. Breslin on Friday, October 24, 2014.

On July 1, 2014, at approximately 6:28pm, at 1860 Central Ave, in the Town of Colonie, **MANN** did knowingly sell a quantity of heroin for a sum of US currency.

MANN faces up to 3 years in State Prison, to be followed by 2 years of Post-Release Supervision

when sentenced on December 5, 2014.

Additionally on June 12, 2014, at approximately 1:10pm, in the area of 224-260 South Pearl St, in the City of Albany, FLOOD did knowingly sell a quantity of heroin in exchange for a sum of US currency.

FLOOD faces up to 3 ½ years in State Prison, to be followed by 2 years of Post Release Supervision, along with forfeiture of all money and property seized, when sentenced on December 14, 2014.

MANN and FLOOD were part of a network of an alleged heroin ring in Albany County. The alleged heroin ring are accused of transporting and selling quantities of heroin throughout the region using taxi cabs that were typically being driven by alleged known associates.

On October 23, 2014, co-defendant NICHOLAS ZERVOS, 47, of Albany, pleaded guilty to (1) Count of Criminal Sale of a Controlled Substance in the Third Degree, a Class B Felony, before Honorable Judge Roger McDonough in Albany County Supreme Court. On July 16, 2014, at approximately 1:25pm, in the area of Elizabeth and Katherine Streets in the City of Albany, ZERVOS did sell a quantity of heroin in exchange for US Currency.

ZERVOS faces 4 years in State Prison, to be followed by 2 years of Post-Release Supervision, when sentenced on December 12, 2014. ZERVOS will also be ordered to forfeit a mini-van that he used to transport heroin.

On September 10, 2014, co-defendant DONTE JOSEPH, 23, of Coeymans, pleaded guilty to (1) Count of Attempted Criminal Possession of a Controlled Substance in the First Degree, a Class A-II Felony, before Honorable Judge Peter A. Lynch in Albany County Court. On July 31, 2014, at approximately 12:15pm, at an apartment at 1779 Central Avenue in the Town of Colonie, JOSEPH did attempt to possess a quantity of over eight ounces of heroin.

JOSEPH faces 7 years in State Prison, to be followed by 5 years of Post-Release Supervision, when sentenced on November 7, 2014. JOSEPH will also be ordered to forfeit any property or money seized by law enforcement.

Assistant District Attorney Joseph Brucato of the Street Crimes Unit is prosecuting these cases.

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All parties are presumed to be innocent unless and until proven guilty

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