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Trotwood Man Indicted for May 2022 Murder

State v. Anthony Smith 2022-CR-1552

DAYTON, OH (10/27/2023) – Prosecuting Attorney Mat Heck, Jr. announced today that **ANTHONY EDWARD SMITH**, 41, of Trotwood, has been indicted on counts in connection to the shooting death of Bobby Daniels on May 30, 2022.

On the afternoon of Monday, May 30, 2022, Trotwood Police officers were dispatched to the area of Elmore Drive and West Sherry Drive on a report of a shooting. Upon arrival, they located the victim, Bobby Daniels, on West Sherry Drive. The victim had been shot multiple times and was pronounced deceased by responding medics.

Further investigation, including video surveillance and other evidence identified the defendant as the shooter. The defendant was arrested on October 19, 2023, by the Trotwood Police Department and the Safe Streets Task Force at a residence on Elmore Drive.

Today, the Montgomery County Grand Jury indicted the defendant for:

- Two counts of Murder
- Two counts of Felonious Assault
- One count of Carrying Concealed Weapons
- One count of Having Weapons While Under Disability – prior offense of violence

The counts of murder and felonious assault include 3-year firearm specifications and Repeat Violent Offender specifications.

In 2001, the defendant was sentenced to prison after being convicted of committing felonious assault with a deadly weapon.

The defendant is currently in custody in the Montgomery County Jail, being held on a \$1,000,000 bond. He will be arraigned on Tuesday, October 31, 2023, at 8:30 a.m.

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