



**MAT HECK, JR.**  
**PROSECUTING ATTORNEY**

Montgomery County, Ohio  
(937) 225-5757  
info@mcpo.com

**FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE**

---

## **Germantown Man Sentenced for Fatal Traffic Crash**

*State v. Todd England, 2015-CR-493*

**DAYTON, OH (10/29/2015)** – Prosecutor Mat Heck, Jr. announced today that 33-year-old **Todd England**, of Germantown, was sentenced to 24 months in prison for the death of his girlfriend due to a traffic crash that occurred August 17, 2014. The Court also ordered England’s driver’s license suspended for a period of 7 years.

Shortly before 1:00pm on a bright, clear Sunday on August 17, 2014, the victim, 40-year-old Tonya Boyd-DeMorest was the passenger in the defendant’s vehicle. As they were travelling in the 4400 block of West Third Street in Dayton, the defendant lost control of the vehicle, crossed the centerline of the roadway, and struck a tree.

First responders arrived and removed the victim from the vehicle and transported her to the hospital. The victim died the next day from blunt force trauma resulting from the crash.

During the investigation of the crash, police found the defendant was in possession of a needle, heroin and fentanyl. The defendant was arrested and booked into the Montgomery County Jail on a misdemeanor charge of possessing drug abuse instruments.

On October 1, 2015 the defendant was found guilty as charged of Aggravated Vehicular Homicide after entering a guilty plea.

Prosecutor Heck continued, “This is a terrible tragedy, and is another example of what happens when a person is driving impaired due to drugs or alcohol.”

###

For more information contact Greg Flannagan, Public Information Officer, at 937.225.5610 or [flannagan@mcchio.org](mailto:flannagan@mcchio.org)