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## **Man Guilty in Shooting Death**

***State v. William Brown, 2014-CR-3632, 2014-CR-1637 & 2014-CR-1721***

**DAYTON, OH (10/9/2015)** – Prosecutor Mat Heck, Jr. announced today that 20-year-old **William Brown**, has been found guilty of the shooting death of 26-year-old Jatywan Easterling on April 18, 2014.

On April 18, 2014, the victim was shot to death while he was seated inside his truck in the parking lot of Smiths Superette on Lorenz Avenue in Dayton. The shooting was captured on surveillance video. Police investigated and uncovered additional evidence that identified the defendant as the shooter.

Today, the defendant was found guilty on:

- One count of Murder
- One count of Aggravated Robbery
- One count of Having Weapons While Under Disability

The murder count includes a mandatory 3-year firearm specification because the defendant used a firearm while committing the offense.

The defendant also was found guilty in two additional cases. In 2014-CR-1637, he was found guilty of aggravated robbery and having weapons while under disability for a carjacking he committed on May 4, 2014 on McCall Street in Dayton. In 2014-CR-1721, he was found guilty of aggravated robbery and having weapons while under disability for committing an armed robbery of a pizza delivery driver on April 15, 2014 on Huron Avenue in Dayton.

The defendant will be sentenced on October 21, 2015 at 2:00 pm.

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