

MESSAGE FROM PROSECUTOR SHERRI BEVAN WALSH

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Two Years in Prison for Collection Attempt

(February 27, 2012... Akron) ... Summit County Prosecutor Sherri Bevan Walsh announced today that late Friday a jury found Maycon Alvarez, 26, of Clark Street in Akron, guilty of Having Weapons Under Disability, a felony of the third degree, and two counts of Assault, misdemeanors of the first degree.

Early on December 3, Alvarez rode his bike to a female associate's house in order to collect money she owed him. The woman and her husband blockaded the front door, but Alvarez went to the rear of the house and kicked in the back door. Once inside, Alvarez hit the woman and struck her husband with a gun. Alvarez fled the house before police could arrive. Police found Alvarez one block away; a K-9 unit found the gun, with blood and DNA that matched the male victim, near where Alvarez was found.

Visiting Judge Patricia Cosgrove sentenced Alvarez this morning to two years in prison.