

## **MESSAGE FROM PROSECUTOR SHERRI BEVAN WALSH**

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### **Former Green Assistant Music Teacher Sentenced to Prison**

(October 17, 2012... Akron) ... Summit County Prosecutor Sherri Bevan Walsh announced today that Judge Mary Margaret Rowlands sentenced Jason Mazan, 28, of Shakertown Drive NW in Canton, to 18 months in prison. Judge Rowlands also deemed Mazan a Tier III sex offender, which means he must register his address with the Sheriff's Office for the rest of his life.

Early in the morning of April 7, a Summit County Sheriff's Deputy found Mazan parked in his car with a partially-clothed 14-year-old girl. Mazan was an assistant music teacher in Green at the time of his arrest.

Mazan pleaded guilty to Attempted Sexual Battery, a felony of the fourth degree; Attempted Unlawful Sexual Conduct with a Minor, a felony of the fourth degree; and Falsification, a misdemeanor of the first degree, on August 15.