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### Weekly Newsletter



Welcome to the weekly newsletter from Monroe County District Attorney Sandra Doorley.

#### How to Keep Your Children Safe

Yesterday, the Brighton Police Department announced the arrest of 40-year-old Serdar Ozmen for the kidnapping of a 14-year-old child from her Brighton home. Serdar Ozmen was charged with Kidnapping in the 1<sup>st</sup> Degree and was arraigned in Brighton Town Court. He is currently being held without bail and his next court date will be Tuesday, April 2 in Brighton Town Court for a Preliminary Hearing. This case is being prosecuted by Assistant District Attorney Sara Vanstrydonck, Chief of the Special Victims Unit, and Assistant District Attorney Patrick Gallagher, Chief of the Domestic Violence Bureau.

While there is not much we can say about this case at this time, I can echo the sentiments of Dr. Daniele Lyman-Torres, President and CEO of Bivona Advocacy Center, and ADA Sara Vanstrydonck.

As parents or caregivers of children, we have a responsibility to keep them safe. It may be difficult, but we must stay up to date on messaging apps on our children's devices. We need to be aware



of what our children are doing on the internet, especially social media.

As much as we wish it was not true, there are people who groom and abuse children. The Monroe County District Attorney's Office has an entire Special Victims Unit with dedicated Assistant District Attorneys who work on these cases every day.

Bivona Child Advocacy Center is an excellent resource to learn how to protect the children in your life. You can find several resources on internet safety and child abuse prevention at <a href="https://www.bivonacac.org/community">https://www.bivonacac.org/community</a>. These resources include everything from internet safety for children and adults, to free online training on everything from human trafficking to cyber-bullying.

## Homicide Update

To Date 2024:

City of Rochester Total: 11

Monroe County Total: 11

Some pointers from the National Center for Missing and Exploited Children include:

- Set a "Digital Curfew"
- Monitor your child's online use
- Engage on your children's platforms for a better understanding
- Talk to your children about internet safety and healthy relationships

There are many more strategies for parents and caregivers available at Bivona's website. I urge you to familiar yourself with the safest ways to protect your children from predators. In the meantime, myself, and the Assistant District Attorneys in my office, will do our part to hold these offenders accountable in the court of law to ensure that they cannot hurt more children.

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#### People vs. Raheim Robinson

21-year-old Raheim Robinson was convicted by a jury of all counts including, four counts of Murder in the 1<sup>st</sup> Degree, twelve counts of Criminal Possession of a Weapon in the 2<sup>nd</sup> Degree, Attempted Murder in the 2<sup>nd</sup> Degree, Reckless Endangerment in the 1<sup>st</sup> Degree, and Arson in the 4<sup>th</sup> Degree for violent acts committed on July 19 and July 20, 2022, which resulted in the deaths of Richard Collinge and MyJel Rand.

On the night of July 19, 2022, Rochester Police Officers arrived near North Clinton Avenue and Rauber Street for multiple gunshots in the area, including those that hit a house and vehicle.

On July 20, 2022, at approximately 12:30AM, Richard Collinge, MyJel Rand, and Tireek Burden were gunned down in the City of Rochester near North Clinton Avenue and Rauber Street. Following the gunshots, Rochester Police Officers arrived on scene, where Richard Collinge was pronounced dead. MyJel Rand and Tireek Burden were immediately transported to Strong Memorial Hospital, where MyJel died from his gunshot wounds.

Later in the early morning hours, a fire on Weyl Street in the City of Rochester was reported. A car was engulfed in flames, which began spreading to a nearby house. The Rochester Fire Department responded and put out the fire.

As the investigation continued, the evidence showed that 34-year-old Deadrick Fulwiley and Raheim Robinson were responsible for the murders of Richard Collinge, MyJel Rand, the attempted murder of Tireek Burden, and were also responsible for the arson of the vehicle that same day. They were charged for the murders and surrounding events.

On March 12, 2024, Deadrick Fulwiley pled guilty to two counts of Murder in the 2<sup>nd</sup> Degree and Criminal Possession of a Weapon in the 2<sup>nd</sup> Degree for the murders of Richard Collinge and MyJel Rand. He will be sentenced to 30 years to Life in the New York State Department of Corrections.

23-year-old Kelvin Vickers was also arrested for the murders of Richard Collinge and MyJel Rand. During the course of the investigation, Kelvin Vickers murdered Rochester Police Officer Anthony Mazurkiewicz and shot Rochester Police Officer Sino Seng. He was convicted for all three murders, and over a dozen other felony charges, and was sentenced to consecutive terms of Life Without the Possibility of Parole sentences.

The case was prosecuted by First Assistant District Attorney Perry Duckles. Raheim Robinson will be sentenced on May 31, 2024, in front of Monroe County Court Judge Julie Hahn. Deadrick Fulwiley will be sentenced on May 17, 2024, also in front of Monroe County Court Judge Julie Hahn.

#### Highlights from the MCDA's Office

31-year-old **Byron Davis** pled guilty to the indictment, including Attempted Murder in the 2<sup>nd</sup> Degree, Assault in the 1<sup>st</sup> Degree, and two counts of Criminal Possession of a Weapon in the 2<sup>nd</sup> Degree. On June 29, 2022, Byron Davis shot a man, who became paralyzed. This case was investigated by the Rochester Police Department and prosecuted by Assistant District Attorney Emily Chisholm, of the Major Felony Bureau. Byron Davis will be sentenced on April 25, 2024, in front of New York State Supreme Court Justice Argento.

53-year-old **Jeff Eden** pled guilty to Vehicular Manslaughter in the 2<sup>nd</sup> Degree for hitting Gene Kulp with his tractor trailer and killing him on September 5, 2023. This case was investigated by the Rochester Police Department and prosecuted by Assistant District Attorney Tony DiPerna, of the Special Investigations Bureau. Jeff Eden will be sentenced in May 2024, in front of Monroe County Court Judge Randall.

New York State Supreme Court Justice Sinclair sentenced 33-year-old **Charles Holley** to 25 years to Life for the murder of Devon Wilburn. This sentence will be served consecutively to his federal sentence. Charles Holley was previously

convicted by a jury of Murder in the Second Degree and two counts of Criminal Possession of a Weapon in the 2<sup>nd</sup> Degree. On March 24, 2021, Rochester Police Officers were called to Dewey Avenue and Magee Avenue around 7:00PM for a shooting. The officers quickly discovered that Devon Wilburn was transported to Rochester General Hospital in a private vehicle with a gunshot wound from the incident. He passed away due to his injuries later that night. After a thorough investigation by the Rochester Police Department and the New York State Division of Parole, Charles Holley was developed as a suspect. The defendant was on parole for a previous robbery conviction and absconded from parole following the murder. Devon Wilburn and Charles Holley were known to each other. The case was prosecuted by Assistant District Attorney Rachel Clark, Deputy Chief of the Non-Fatal Shooting Taskforce, and Senior Assistant District Attorney Tony DiPerna, of the Special Investigations Bureau.

**Chaz Legg** was indicted on Criminal Possession of a Weapon in the 2<sup>nd</sup> Degree and Criminal Possession of a Weapon in the 3<sup>rd</sup> Degree in relation to the possession of an illegal firearm on February 21, 2024. This case is being prosecuted by Assistant District Attorney Tony DiPerna, of the Special Investigations Bureau.

**Melissa Redden** was indicted on Grand Larceny in the 4<sup>th</sup> Degree and Unauthorized Use of a Vehicle in the 3<sup>rd</sup> Degree in relation to the possession of a stolen vehicle on January 19, 2024. This case is being prosecuted by Assistant District Attorney Diana Ferretti, of the General Felony Bureau.

**Isa Reed** was indicted on Attempted Murder in the 2<sup>nd</sup> Degree, Assault in the 1<sup>st</sup> Degree and two counts of Criminal Possession of a Weapon in the 2<sup>nd</sup> Degree in relation to a shooting on January 21, 2024. This case is being prosecuted by Assistant District Attorney Anthony Freeman, of the Non-Fatal Shooting Taskforce.

**Sheila Savino** was indicted on Burglary in the 2<sup>nd</sup> Degree and Arson in the 4<sup>th</sup> Degree in relation to a fire in the City of Rochester on February 11, 2024. This case is being prosecuted by Assistant District Attorney Camille Ingino, of the Major Felony Bureau.

**Jeffrey Teike** was indicted Burglary in the 3<sup>rd</sup> Degree, Criminal Possession of Stolen Property in the 3<sup>rd</sup> Degree and two counts of Criminal Possession of Stolen Property in the 4<sup>th</sup> Degree. This case is being prosecuted by Assistant District Attorney Courtney Kleiman, of the General Felony Bureau.

**Chad Kester** was indicted on Driving While Intoxicated in relation to a vehicular incident on August 21, 2023. This case is being prosecuted by Assistant District Attorney Drew Kroft, of the Vehicular Crimes Bureau.

**Kayla Oakes** was indicted on Criminal Possession of Stolen Property in the 3<sup>rd</sup> Degree, Criminal Possession of Stolen Property in the 4<sup>th</sup> Degree, and Unauthorized Use of a Vehicle in the 3<sup>rd</sup> Degree in relation to the possession of

stolen property on December 13, 2023. This case is being prosecuted by Assistant District Attorney Diana Ferretti, of the General Felony Bureau.

**Shabazz Barnes** was indicted on two counts of Criminal Possession of a Weapon in the 2<sup>nd</sup> Degree in relation to the possession of an illegal firearm on October 28, 2023. This case is being prosecuted by Assistant District Attorney Ryan Mulcahy, of the Special Investigations Bureau.

**Joshua Hernandez** was indicted on Criminal Possession of a Weapon in the 2<sup>nd</sup> Degree and Menacing in the 2<sup>nd</sup> Degree in relation to a domestic incident on March 12, 2024. This case is being prosecuted by Assistant District Attorney Aaron Rath, of the Special Victims Unit.

**Nasib Mohamad** was indicted on two counts of Burglary in the 2<sup>nd</sup> Degree in relation to burglaries on February 29, 2024 and March 11, 2024. This case is being prosecuted by Assistant District Attorney Camille Ingino, of the Major Felony Bureau.

**Trevon Slaughter** was indicted on Criminal Possession of a Weapon in the 2<sup>nd</sup> Degree in relation to the possession of an illegal firearm on March 11, 2024. This case is being prosecuted by Assistant District Attorney Timothy Boucher, of the Special Investigations Bureau.

**Norman Sandoval** was indicted on two counts of Criminal Possession of a Controlled Substance in the 3<sup>rd</sup> Degree and three counts of Criminally Using Drug Paraphernalia in the 2<sup>nd</sup> Degree. This case is being prosecuted by Assistant District Attorney Robin Catalano, Chief of the Special Investigations Bureau.

**Jesus Sule-Santiago** was indicted on Burglary in the 3<sup>rd</sup> Degree and Grand Larceny in the 3<sup>rd</sup> Degree in relation to a Burglary at a club on February 11, 2024. This case is being prosecuted by Assistant District Attorney Diana Ferretti, of the General Felony Bureau.

**Frank Mastrodonato, Jr.** was indicted on Attempted Burglary in the 2<sup>nd</sup> Degree, Criminal Mischief in the 3<sup>rd</sup> Degree, and four counts of Criminal Contempt in the 2<sup>nd</sup> Degree. This case is being prosecuted by Assistant District Attorney Ellie Laloudakis, of the Youth Part/Major Felony Bureau.

**Vincent Catalano** was indicted on Attempted Robbery in the 1<sup>st</sup> Degree and Assault in the 2<sup>nd</sup> Degree in relation to an armed assault on November 11, 2023. This case is being prosecuted by Assistant District Attorney Megan Hausner, of the Major Felony Bureau.

**Khalique Watts** was indicted on Robbery in the 1<sup>st</sup> Degree, Robbery in the 2<sup>nd</sup> Degree, and Criminal Possession of Stolen Property in the 4<sup>th</sup> Degree in relation to an armed robbery on May 10, 2023. This case is being prosecuted by Assistant District Attorney Emily Chisholm, of the Major Felony Bureau.

**Alan Jones** and **Tiffany Yadanza** were indicted Grand Larceny in the 4<sup>th</sup> Degree in relation to a theft from a Lowe's on January 25, 2024. This case is being prosecuted by Assistant District Attorney Armando Benitez, of the General Felony Bureau.

**Tyrone Nesmith** was indicted on Criminal Possession of a Controlled Substance in the 3<sup>rd</sup> Degree in relation to the possession of illegal narcotics on October 7, 2023. This case is being prosecuted by Assistant District Attorney Robin Catalano, Chief of the Special Investigations Bureau.

**Paul Calvin** was indicted on Criminal Possession of a Firearm and **Deiondre Francis** was indicted on Criminal Possession of a Weapon in the 2<sup>nd</sup> Degree in the same indictment. This case is being prosecuted by Assistant District Attorney Ryan Mulcahy, of the Special Investigations Bureau.

**William Gamble** was indicted on Criminal Possession of a Weapon in the 2<sup>nd</sup> Degree in relation to the illegal possession of a firearm on August 23, 2023. This case is being prosecuted by Assistant District Attorney Robin Catalano, Chief of the Special Investigations Bureau.

**Tommy Rogers** and **Nathaniel Winder** were indicted on Criminal Possession of a Weapon in the 2<sup>nd</sup> Degree, four counts of Criminal Possession of a Controlled Substance in the 3<sup>rd</sup> Degree, and three counts of Criminally Using Drug Paraphernalia in the 2<sup>nd</sup> Degree. This case is being prosecuted by Assistant District Attorney Ryan Mulcahy, of the Special Investigations Bureau.

**Jonathan Geedy** was indicted on Falsifying Business Records in the 1<sup>st</sup> Degree and Criminal Possession of a Forged Instrument in the 2<sup>nd</sup> Degree. This case is being prosecuted by Assistant District Attorney Christopher Folk, of the Public Integrity/Economic Crimes Bureau.

**Larry Cook, Jr.** was indicted on Arson in the 2<sup>nd</sup> Degree in relation to a fire at a building on St. Paul Street on November 30, 2023. This case is being prosecuted by Assistant District Attorney Emily Chisholm, of the Major Felony Bureau.

**Eddie Williams** was indicted on Criminal Possession of a Weapon in the 2<sup>nd</sup> Degree and Criminal Possession of a Weapon in the 3<sup>rd</sup> Degree in relation to the illegal possession of a firearm on February 2, 2024. This case is being prosecuted by Assistant District Attorney Jennifer Kennedy, Deputy Chief of the Special Investigations Bureau.

**Kindra McDaniels** and **Aldolphus Rose** were indicted on Criminal Possession of a Controlled Substance in the 3<sup>rd</sup> Degree and Criminal Possession of a Weapon in the 2<sup>nd</sup> Degree. This case is being prosecuted by Assistant District Attorney Timothy Boucher, of the Special Investigations Bureau.

**Christopher Hamilton** and **Haley Hill** were indicted on two counts of Criminal Possession of a Controlled Substance in the 3<sup>rd</sup> Degree and three counts of Criminally Using Drug Paraphernalia in the 2<sup>nd</sup> Degree. This case is being prosecuted by Assistant District Attorney Ryan Mulcahy, of the Special Investigations Bureau.

Mary Frank was indicted on Assault in the 2<sup>nd</sup> Degree in relation to an assault on February 2, 2022. This case is being prosecuted by Assistant District Attorney Matthew Hogestyn, of the Major Felony Bureau.

**Tejay Gibson** was indicted on Reckless Endangerment in the 1<sup>st</sup> Degree in relation to a domestic incident on October 7, 2023. This case is being prosecuted by Assistant District Attorney Aaron Rath, of the Special Victims Unit.

**Michael Derousie** was indicted on two counts of Driving While Intoxicated in relation to a vehicular incident on November 30, 2021. This case is being prosecuted by Assistant District Attorney Drew Kroft, of the Vehicular Crimes Bureau.

**Jahmere Libbett** was indicted on Criminal Possession of a Weapon in the 3<sup>rd</sup> Degree and Menacing in the 2<sup>nd</sup> Degree in relation to the illegal possession of a firearm on March 18, 2024. This case is being prosecuted by Assistant District Attorney Jennifer Kennedy, Deputy Chief of the Special Investigations Bureau.

**Kalem Green** was indicted on Criminal Possession of a Weapon in the 2<sup>nd</sup> Degree, Criminal Possession of a Controlled Substance in the 3<sup>rd</sup> Degree, and two counts of Criminally Using Drug Paraphernalia in the 2<sup>nd</sup> Degree. This case is being prosecuted by Assistant District Attorney Jennifer Kennedy, Deputy Chief of the Special Investigations Bureau.

**Cable Jacques** was indicted on Criminal Sexual Act in the 1<sup>st</sup> Degree and Sexual Abuse in the 1<sup>st</sup> Degree in relation to a sexual assault. This case is being prosecuted by Assistant District Attorney Kevin Sunderland, of the Special Victims Unit.

#### Furry Friends!

Some of the favorite pets of the Monroe County District Attorney's Office paid a visit last Friday! Finn and Ellie stopped by to spread joy and help relieve stress.



### **Attorney Training**

Members of the Local Court Bureau visited the Monroe County Crime Analysis Center (MCAC) to understand MCAC's role and how they can assist with investigations and prosecutions. Thank you to the Director of MCAC, David Phelps, for the presentation!



#### MCDA in the News

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