

News Release from
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Dwayne Hendricks Convicted for Knife-Point Robbery 1st of 85-year-old Man.

Rochester, NY- Thursday, June 7, 2018, a Monroe County Jury convicted 39-year-old Dwayne Hendricks of one count of Robbery in the First Degree and two counts of Grand Larceny Fourth.

On May 5, 2017, Dwayne Hendricks entered the 85-year-old victim's place of business, Beauty Stone Incorporated, and demanded money, while threatening him with a knife. The defendant escaped with over \$1,500 in cash, none of which was recovered. The stress of the incident caused the victim to suffer a heart attack. Fortunately, the victim survived. After a thorough investigation with the skilled technicians and dedicated investigators of the Rochester Police Department, a jury convicted Dwayne Hendricks.

The case was prosecuted by Senior Assistant District Attorney Monica O'Brien, Chief of the Elder Abuse Bureau.

"This prosecution would not have been possible without the collaboration of the Rochester Police Department, the Monroe County Sheriff's Office, and the Monroe County District Attorney's Office. The victim's bravery during the events that occurred as well as in his testimony at trial was extraordinary." stated Senior Assistant District Attorney Monica O'Brien.

Dwayne Hendricks will be sentenced in front of Acting County Court Judge Melchor Castro on July 6, 2018, at 2PM. He faces 10-25 years in the New York State Department of Corrections.

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