

**News Release from
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Jaquan Moore Sentenced to 23 Years to Life for the Homicide of Amos Harring

Rochester, NY- Wednesday, December 11, 2019, Monroe County Judge Ciaccio sentenced 34-year-old Jaquan Moore to 23 years to Life in the New York State Department of Corrections for Murder in the 2nd Degree to run concurrent to 15 years in the New York State Department of Corrections plus 5 years of Post Release Supervision on each of the two counts of Criminal Possession of a Weapon in the Second Degree for the murder of Amos Harring.

On October 20, 2018, Jaquan Moore was a part of a verbal altercation with Amos Harring and Amos' friend in a park. During the altercation, Moore threatened and pulled a gun on Amos Harring and the witness. Jaquan Moore later saw the two on 28nd Street in the City of Rochester, where he pulled his gun and shot Amos Harring in the forehead, killing the victim.

After a swift and impressive investigation conducted by the Rochester Police Department, Jaquan Moore was arrested nine days later in Chicago, Illinois.

The case was prosecuted by Senior Assistant District Attorney Michael Robertson, of the Major Felony Bureau.

"I want to thank the Rochester Police Department, who conducted the out of state apprehension, for their help in the successful prosecution and appropriate sentence of Jaquan Moore," said Assistant District Attorney Michael Robertson. "On October 20, 2018, Jaquan Moore did not have a second thought when he violently killed Amos Harring, who was a stranger to the defendant. Our community is much safer with Jaquan Moore potentially spending the rest of his life in the New York State Department of Corrections."

"This life sentence would not have been possible without the cooperation of the victim's friends and family," said District Attorney Sandra Doorley. "We are content with today's sentence, as it is appropriate for Jaquan Moore to spend a lengthy amount of time in the New York State Department of Corrections to keep this community safe. The Monroe County District Attorney's Office strives to find justice for victims and help to protect our witnesses. We were able to find justice for Amos Harring because of the involvement from the community and the Rochester Police Department."

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