## News Release from The Honorable Sandra Doorley

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## Quinton O'Connor Pleads Guilty to Manslaughter 1st

Rochester, NY- On Friday, July 9, 2021, 38-year-old Quinton O'Connor pled guilty to Manslaughter in the 1<sup>st</sup> Degree for the June 9, 2019 homicide of Timothy O'Neil in the defendant's home on Forest Meadow Trail in the Town of Ogden. Quinton O'Connor will serve 25 years in the New York State Department of Corrections plus 5 years of post-release supervision.

On June 9, 2019, the Ogden Police Department arrived at Quinton O'Connor's home after receiving a 9-1-1 call. Once arriving at the scene, the Ogden Police Officers found Timothy O'Neil deceased from multiple gunshot wounds. Quinton O'Connor was detained by the police and arrested for causing Mr. O'Neil's death.

The case was prosecuted by Assistant District Attorney David Dys, Chief of the Non-Violent Felony Bureau.

"After a long road, we are pleased that Timothy O'Neil's family can find closure with the conclusion of this case," said Assistant District Attorney David Dys. "This case was an utter tragedy that needlessly took the life of a 35-year-old man. It is our hope that with Mr. O'Connor's admission of guilt, he will serve his sentence and the friends and family of Timothy O'Neil can continue to mourn their loved one in peace."

"After over two years of waiting, Timothy O'Neil's family can finally rest assured that they have found justice for their loved one," said Monroe County District Attorney Sandra Doorley. "I want to thank the Ogden Police Department for their diligent and extensive efforts on this case. With his admission of guilt, it is our hope that Quinton O'Connor will spend the next 25 years accepting responsibility for taking a life away from his family, friends and our community."

Quinton O'Connor is scheduled for sentencing on September 2, 2021, in front of County Court Judge Randall.