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Man Bound Over in Random Stabbings Case

Mount Clemens, MI - Today, 31-year-old Shane Burns was bound over to Macomb County Circuit Court in connection with random stabbings in Roseville and St. Clair Shores.

It is alleged that on the morning of Wednesday, May 17, 2023, Shane Burns stabbed a woman multiple times resulting in her death in the parking lot of a Belle Tire on Gratiot in Roseville. Then he drove to the area of 12 Mile and Harper Ave. where he approached a man waiting at a bus stop. Burns attacked the man, and stabbed him multiple times. Burns returned to his car and left the scene. That afternoon, Warren Police Department's Special Ops Unit took Burns into custody in the area of Van Dyke and Stephens. At the Roseville Police Department Burns began biting at his wrists. An officer ordered him to stop and a struggle ensued, where Burns was able to grab a knife from the officer, slitting his own wrist. During a search of the defendant's vehicle police found a shotgun, 9mm firearm, and a large amount of ammunition.

Burns is charged with eight counts: First Degree Premeditated Murder (life without parole felony,) Assault with Intent to Murder (life felony,) Felon in Possession of a Firearm (five year felony,) Felon in Possession of Ammunition (five year felony,) Carrying a Concealed Weapon (five year felony,) Disarming a Police Officer (four year felony,) and two counts of Felony Firearm (a mandatory two year felony).

Burns was bound over to Macomb County Circuit Court by Roseville District Court Judge Kathleen Tocco. Burns continues to be held on bond at \$10 million cash/surety only. An arraignment in Macomb County Circuit Court is scheduled for Monday, January 22, 2024 at 1:30 pm in front of Circuit Court Judge Jennifer Faunce.

"Our commitment to the safety of our community is resolute, and we will vigorously pursue justice and ensure accountability for these senseless acts," said Macomb County Prosecutor Peter J. Lucido.

The Macomb County Prosecutor's office represents the people. We are committed to achieving justice and following the laws of the State of Michigan. All that are accused of a crime are presumed innocent until proven guilty in a court of law.

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