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Detroit Man Arraigned on Ten Felonies in Connection with Armed Robbery

Mount Clemens, MI - Today, 62 year old Rodney Robinson of Detroit was arraigned in connection with an armed robbery of a dispensary in Warren.

It is alleged that on Friday, June 9, 2023, Rodney Robinson caused a disturbance outside of the Sherwood Dispensary on Sherwood Ave. north of 10 Mile Road. He is accused of shooting through the glass door hitting a victim on the property, then unlocking the door and shooting at the victim again as he was retreating. Robinson and another man entered the store and stole the safe. Both men exited the store to a waiting Chevy Tahoe where the getaway driver then fled.

Rodney Robinson is charged with Assault with Intent to Murder (life felony), Armed Robbery (life felony), Conspiracy to Commit Armed Robbery (life felony), Assault with Intent to Rob while Armed (life felony), Felon in Possession of Firearm (five year felony), and five counts of Felony Firearm (2 year mandatory felony).

Robinson was arraigned in the 37th District Court in Warren by Magistrate Ted Metry where bond was set at \$500,000.00 cash/surety only and he was ordered to undergo a mental health evaluation. Macomb County Prosecuting Attorney Peter J. Lucido's Office policy is to request a mental health assessment for every gun crime to provide an opportunity for mental health treatment before a suspect can get a chance to commit another gun crime. If Robinson is released on bond he is to wear a GPS tether, have no contact with victims or co-defendants, and have no weapons. The probable cause hearing is scheduled for Wednesday, August 8, 2023 at 8:45 am and the preliminary exam is scheduled for Wednesday, August 15, 2023 at 8:45 am in front of District Court Judge Suzanne Faunce.

"Thank you to the Warren Police Department who investigated this matter tirelessly which led to the apprehension of all of the accused involved. We will ensure that justice is brought forth to the dangerous wrongdoers who participated in this armed robbery, and assault," 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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