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Man Arraigned for assaulting Armada police officers

Mount Clemens, MI - Today, an Armada man was arraigned for assaulting two police officers who were serving a mental health petition.

It is alleged that on Wednesday, November 8, 2023, Christopher Lynch, 43 years old from Armada Village was being served a mental health petition by two Armada police officers at his home. It is alleged that while officers were serving the petition, Lynch pushed one officer over a second story banister and physically assaulted the other officer. Lynch espoused anti-police and anti-government views in the past.

"We must put an end to violence against police officers. These dedicated individuals are working to safeguard our community, and I am committed to pursuing legal action against anyone who inflicts harm upon them while they carry out their duties," said Macomb County Prosecutor Peter J. Lucido.

Lynch is being charged with Resisting and Obstructing a Police Officer Causing Serious Injury (15 year felony) and Resisting and Obstructing a Police Officer Causing Injury (four year felony).

Romeo District Court Judge Jennifer Andary set bond at \$100,000 cash/surety only and Lynch must also receive a mental health evaluation. If Lynch is released on bond he is to not be within 1,000 feet of the Armada Police Department.

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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