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Serial Arsonist Arraigned in Macomb County Work Van Burning

Mt. Clemens, MI - A 36-year-old Detroit man has been charged and arraigned in connection with the intentional burning of a Macomb County work van in the parking structure connected to the Administration Building in Macomb County's Central Campus located in Mt. Clemens.

"I would like to thank Mt. Clemens Fire Department and the Macomb County Sheriff's Department for their quick response in this matter," said Macomb County Prosecutor Peter J. Luci do.

It is alleged that on Sunday, January 29, 2023 around 2:00am Jessie Young set a Macomb County work van on fire on the first floor of the parking structure causing potential damage to the parking structure. The Mt. Clemens Fire Department and Macomb County Sheriff's Department responded promptly and the fire was extinguished.

Young was charged with 3rd degree arson (10 year felony) and 4th degree arson (5 year felony). Today, Young was arraigned in Mt. Clemens District Court in front of Magistrate Zemke. Magistrate Zemke set Young's bond at \$100,000 cash/surety, no 10% with a GPS tether if released. A Preliminary Calendar Conference (PCC) is scheduled for February 7, 2023 at 1:30pm.

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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