



Raleigh Police Department Neighborhood News Flash

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RPD, U.S. Attorney's Office Work to Charge Offenders Many Face Long Sentences in Federal Prison

Yesterday, George E.B. Holding, United States Attorney for the Eastern District of North Carolina, held a press conference at the Sanford Federal Building in downtown Raleigh to announce the federal government's continued commitment to reducing violent crime and gang-related activity in eastern North Carolina. Much of the attention was focused on several neighborhoods in Raleigh, where the Raleigh Police Department continues to work in conjunction with the U.S. Attorney's Office and other federal officials to charge and prosecute offenders federally, where appropriate.

At the press conference, Raleigh Police Chief Harry P. Dolan expressed his appreciation to the U.S. Attorney's Office, RPD officers and detectives, and members of the community for the working relationship that made the arrest and prosecution of these offenders possible. Dolan also described the work being done by RPD and other Raleigh city departments to deliver community-oriented government services in an effort to help keep young people out of gangs and on the path of contributing citizenship.

"In partnership with those who live and work in neighborhoods throughout the city, we will continue our enforcement efforts – especially those related to illegal guns, criminal gangs and drugs – and we will continue to expand upon the progress we have seen to date," said Dolan. "In addition, we will work with the community and with other agencies to provide young people with positive role models and with alternatives to criminal activities."

Both Dolan and Holding emphasized that the cooperation between federal and local authorities will continue, and is expected to result in more federal prosecutions in cases involving gangs, guns, and drugs.

The following individuals are among those who have been arrested in connection with cases investigated by the Raleigh Police Department within the past two years, and their cases have been adopted for federal prosecution. The following sentences received by defendants reflect findings of guilt of some or all of the charged offenses. Every defendant is presumed innocent until proven guilty.



Kendrecus Marquell Williams, aka "Streets"

Charges: Armed robbery

Case Status: Sentenced to 2,719 months in prison, \$1,900 special assessment, \$25,000 fine, \$4,456. 51 restitution



William Travis Warren

Charges: Unlawful possession of a firearm by a convicted felon

Case Status: Sentenced to 160 months in prison and five years of supervised release.



George E.B. Holding, U.S. Attorney for the Eastern District of North Carolina, and Assistant U.S. Attorney Jane Jackson, Project Safe Neighborhoods coordinator, stand alongside Raleigh Police Chief Harry P. Dolan (center) on November 23 as he comments on the partnership between RPD and government officials to take a tougher stand against violent and gang-related crime in Raleigh.



Ahmad Lee Banks

Charges: Aiding and abetting the use of a firearm in furtherance of a crime of violence; conspiracy to commit robbery

Case Status: Sentenced to 207 months in prison; ordered to pay \$3,248 in restitution.



Daryl Albert Mpongo

Charges: Aiding and abetting the use of a firearm in furtherance of a crime of violence

Case Status: Sentenced to 84 months in prison; ordered to pay \$2,600 in restitution.



Ronnie Donte Rand

Charges: Aiding and abetting the use of a firearm in furtherance of a crime of violence; conspiracy to commit robbery

Case Status: Sentenced to 207 months in prison and five years supervised release.



Joshua Forrest Wagner

Charges: Conspiracy to commit robbery

Case Status: Sentenced to 171 months in prison; ordered to pay \$3,164 in restitution.



Richard Lee Adams

Charges: Robbery of a business in interstate commerce and aiding and abetting; using and carrying a firearm during a federal crime of violence; possession of a firearm by a convicted felon

Case Status: Sentenced to 240 months in prison and five years supervised release.



Darryl Lee Webster, aka "Web"

Charges: Possession with intent to distribute more than 50 grams of cocaine base (crack)

Case Status: Sentenced to 120 months in prison.



Cordaro Bunch, aka "Cord"

Charges: Conspiring to distribute and possession with intent to distribute more than 50 grams of cocaine base (crack) and a quantity of cocaine

Case Status: Sentenced to 276 months in prison.



Dion Lamanze Johnson, aka "Black"

Charges: Conspiring to distribute and possession with intent to distribute more than five kilograms of cocaine and 50 grams of cocaine base (crack)

Case Status: Sentenced to 120 months in prison.

**Robin Ann Bunch**

Charges: Possession with intent to distribute more than five grams of cocaine base (crack)

Case Status: Sentenced to 120 months in prison.

**Travis Neal Jackson**

Charges: Conspiracy to commit robbery affecting interstate commerce; using and carrying a firearm during and in relation to a crime of violence

Case Status: Scheduled to be sentenced on December 7, 2009; faces a maximum of 20 years in prison.

**Anthony Terrell Russell**

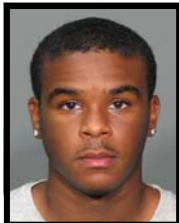
Charges: Conspiring and attempting to possess with the intent to distribute controlled substances; using and carrying firearms during and in relation to drug trafficking crimes; aiding and abetting; and possession of firearm by a convicted felon

Case Status: Awaiting sentencing.

**Brandon Michael Jones**

Charges: Conspiring and attempting to possess with the intent to distribute controlled substances; using and carrying firearms during and in relation to drug trafficking crimes; and aiding and abetting

Case Status: 35 months in prison and three years supervised release.

**Ashley Lamont Bost**

Charges: Conspiring and attempting to possess with the intent to distribute controlled substances; using and carrying firearms during and in relation to drug trafficking crimes; aiding and abetting; and possession of firearm by a convicted felon

Case Status: Awaiting sentencing.

**Anthony Hassan Russell**

Charges: Using and carrying a firearm in relation to a drug trafficking crime; conspiring to possess with intent to distribute controlled substances

Case Status: Sentenced to 132 months in prison and three years supervised release.

**Ivan Correa, Jr.**

Charges: Using and carrying a firearm in relation to a drug trafficking crime; conspiring to possess with intent to distribute controlled substances; and possession of a firearm and ammunition by a convicted felon

Case Status: Sentenced to 144 months in prison and five years supervised release.

**Alexander Eugene Oxley**

Charges: Using and carrying a firearm in relation to a drug trafficking crime; conspiring to possess with intent to distribute controlled substances; and possession of a firearm and ammunition by a convicted felon

Case Status: Sentenced to 156 months in prison and five years supervised release.



Daniel Antonio Sanders

Charges: Accessory to robbery

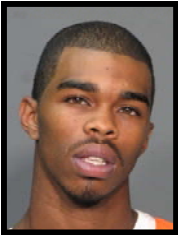
Case Status: Sentenced to 63 months in prison and three years of supervised release.



Jesse Lee Bundy

Charges: Robbery

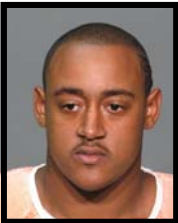
Case Status: Sentenced to 35 months in prison.



Samuel Keith Kerr

Charges: Conspiracy to commit robbery; aiding and abetting the use of a firearm in furtherance of a crime of violence

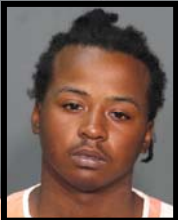
Case Status: Sentenced to 360 months in prison and five years supervised release.



Raphael Davonne Powell

Charges: Conspiracy to commit robbery; possession of a firearm in furtherance of a crime of violence

Case Status: Sentenced to 457 months in prison, \$300 special assessment, restitution in the amount of \$1,879.10.



David Michael Wesley, Jr.

Charges: Conspiracy to commit robbery; possession of a firearm in furtherance of a crime of violence

Case Status: Sentenced to 385 months in prison, \$300 special assessment, restitution in the amount of \$1,879.10.



Quentin Robert Braswell, aka "Q"

Charges: Aiding and abetting the distribution of five or more grams of cocaine base; possession of firearms in furtherance of drug trafficking

Case Status: Awaiting sentencing.



James John Williams, aka "Shy"

Charges: Aiding and abetting the distribution of five or more grams of cocaine base

Case Status: Awaiting sentencing.



Stephon Montrell Hooker

Charges: Unlawful possession of a firearm by a convicted felon

Case Status: Sentenced to 87 months in prison and three years supervised release.



Latisha Chennel Stokes

Charges: Accessory after the fact

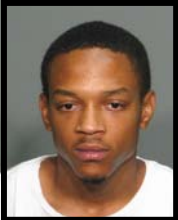
Case Status: Sentenced to five years probation.



Lorenzo Rudy Wilder, aka "Dolo"

Charges: Distribution of 50 grams or more of cocaine base (crack)

Case Status: Awaiting sentencing.



Antonio Maurice Bagley, aka "Touch"

Charges: Aiding and abetting the distribution of 50 grams or more of cocaine base (crack)

Case Status: Awaiting sentencing.



Cojuan Devon Boyd, aka "Lil Black"

Charges: Aiding and abetting the distribution of 50 grams or more of cocaine base (crack)

Case Status: Awaiting sentencing.

The following individuals have been indicted in federal court. An indictment contains allegations that a defendant has committed a crime.



Antonio Montana Boyd, aka "Ya Yo"

Charges: Drug charges

Case Status: Indicted on July 9, 2009; case is pending.



Omar Delean Wynn, aka "Black"

Charges: Unlawful possession of a firearm by a convicted felon

Case Status: Charged by criminal indictment on March 11, 2009; has not been apprehended.



Jeremy Arsenio Smith, aka "Japelli"

Charges: Conspiracy to possess more than 500 grams of cocaine; possession of a firearm in furtherance of a drug trafficking crime

Case Status: Entered a plea of guilty; case is pending.



Courtney Dunn, aka "Bourtney"

Charges: Unlawful possession of a firearm by a convicted felon

Case Status: Charged by criminal indictment; will be arraigned on January 4, 2010.

**Damien Antwan Richardson, aka "Daddy-O"**

Charges: Drug offenses

Case Status: Charged by criminal indictment; will be arraigned on December 7, 2009.

**Clifton Jerome Washington**

Charges: Unlawful possession of a firearm by a convicted felon

Case Status: Charged by criminal indictment; case is pending.

**William Lamar McNeill, aka "L"**

Charges: Conspiring to distribute and possession with intent to distribute more than 50 grams of cocaine base (crack) and more than 500 grams of cocaine

Case Status: Indicted on June 18, 2009; case is pending.

**Dushaun Joseph Utley, aka "Sun Sun"**

Charges: Several drug charges

Case Status: Awaiting arraignment.

**Donte Montrell Jones, aka "Hot Boy"**

Charges: Conspiracy to distribute and possession with the intent to distribute five kilograms or more of cocaine and 50 grams or more of cocaine base (crack)

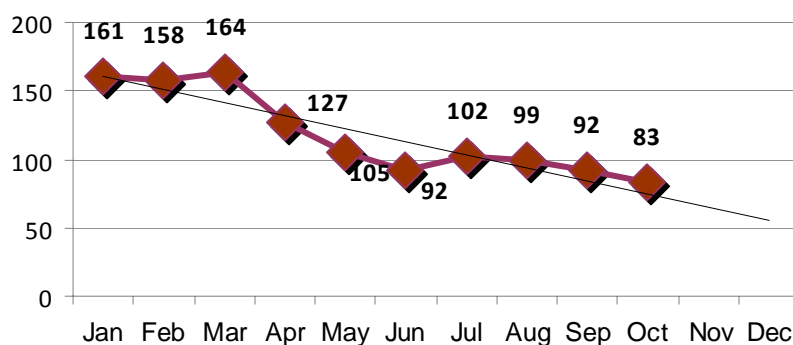
Case Status: Entered a guilty plea.

**Derek Louis Griffis, aka "Red"**

Charges: Unlawful possession of a firearm by a convicted felon

Case Status: Charged by criminal indictment; will be arraigned on January 4, 2010.

Incidents



This graph shows the number of gang-related incidents reported to the Raleigh Police Department this year. Since January, the number of reported gang-related incidents has dropped by nearly 50 percent.