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## RESULTS FOR JURY TRIALS PROSECUTED IN CALENDAR YEAR 2016 $\sim$ Weighted jury trial conviction rate: $74\,\%$ $\sim$

<u>Trial Date</u>	<u>Defendant</u>	Prosecutor	Subject Matter	<u>Verdict</u>
01/11/2016	Jesus Y. Sarimento	Morimune	M Domestic Battery	Not Guilty
01/19/2016	Steven L. Munson	Porter	<b>M</b> Contempt of Court	Guilty
01/25/2016	Gerard M. Honzik	Morimune	<b>M Battery</b>	Not Guilty
02/29/2016	Anthony F. Lopes, Jr.	Gershenovich	M DUI w/ Injury	Guilty
03/07/2016	Robin I. Warren	Porter	M DUI	Hung Jury <sup>1</sup> 9 (G) to 3
03/21/2016	Aaron R. Pratt	Morimune	<b>M</b> Contempt of Court	Guilty
03/28/2016	Luis F. Alvarez Andrade	Cox	F Forcible Rape	Not Guilty
04/11/2016	Christine K. Kelsay	Eyster	F Embezzlement	Guilty
04/18/2016	William G. Barry	Porter	M Disorderly Conduct	Guilty
04/25/2016	Jose G. Escareno Francisco G.D. Escareno	McMenomey	F Attempted Murder M Assault	Guilty Guilty
05/02/2016	Linda L. Lozano	Porter	M DUI	Guilty
05/23/2016	Octavio J. Sanchez	Seraphin	<b>M</b> Suspended License	Guilty
05/31/2016	Thessalonian C. Love	Cox	F Child Trafficking	Guilty
07/11/2016	Efrain R. Barron	McCall	<b>M Domestic Battery</b>	Guilty

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Defendant Robin Warren's retrial that commenced on September 19, 2016 ultimately resulted in two guilty verdicts.

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08/01/2016	Jason L. Kruger	Morimune	<b>M</b> Domestic Battery	Not Guilty
08/15/2016	Richard L. Barth	Morimune	M DUI	Guilty
08/15/2016	Joshua L. Stevens	McCall	M DUI	Guilty
08/22/2016	Sarah E. Mitchell	Morimune	M Stay Away Violation	Guilty
08/29/2016	Jake B. Harbour	Seraphin	M DUI	Guilty
09/12/2016	Brandon M. Pedrioli	Porter	M DUI	Hung Jury <sup>2</sup> 3 (G) to 9
09/13/2016	Jade B. Bennett	Davenport	F Att. Home Burg	Not Guilty
09/13/2016 09/19/2016	Jade B. Bennett Robin I. Warren	Davenport Porter	F Att. Home Burg M DUI	Not Guilty Guilty
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09/19/2016	Robin I. Warren	Porter	M DUI	Guilty Hung Jury <sup>3</sup>

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> A retrial for defendant Pedrioli on the same charges has been scheduled for February 7, 2017.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Defendant Turchan was sentenced to state prison on November 9, 2016 for violating his felony probation. The Court had previously determined in an earlier violation of probation hearing that defendant Turchan had committed the crime for which the jury had hung. Based on the prison commitment flowing from the same facts, the hung jury case is now weighed as a <u>draw</u>.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> Following a post-verdict evidentiary review by the DA and his staff, the decision was made to forego a retrial. The matter was dismissed for insufficient evidence, and weighed for this very limited purpose as a <u>loss</u>.