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## **AURORA MAN WHO SKIPPED HIS TRIAL CONVICTED OF GUN CRIME 33-YEAR-OLD MOSES WILLIAMSON IS SOUGHT ON ARREST WARRANT**

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Kane County State's Attorney Jamie L. Mosser announces that a jury found **Moses V. Williamson** guilty of the offense of aggravated unlawful use of a weapon by a felon, a Class 2 felony. The defendant failed to appear in court for the trial causing him to be tried in absentia.

Kane County Assistant State's Attorneys Lori Anderson and Jake Matekaitis presented evidence that, at about 6 a.m. on January 23, 2019, Aurora police served a search warrant at Williamson's residence located in the 1100 block of South Fourth Street, Aurora. During the search investigators found a Ruger Mark III .22-caliber handgun and multiple .22-caliber bullets. When questioned by police, Williamson admitted he owned the gun. Williamson has prior felony drug and robbery convictions and is prohibited by law from possessing a gun.

Williamson last appeared in court on this case on May 28, 2021, while he was free on bond. On July 9, 2021, Williamson was charged with the offense of criminal damage to property, a Class 4 felony, Case No. 2021CF1230. Kane County Judge Salvatore LoPiccolo issued a warrant for Williamson's arrest when he subsequently failed to appear in court on August 2, 2021.

Anyone with information about Williamson or where he might be found should call Aurora Police Investigations at (630) 256-5500, email [tips@aurora.il.us](mailto:tips@aurora.il.us), or call CrimeStoppers at (630) 892-1000 to anonymously report information.

Judge LoPiccolo set Williamson's next court appearance for 1:30 p.m. April 28, 2022, in Courtroom 211 at the Kane County Judicial Center for sentencing. Williamson faces a sentence of between 3 and 14 years of imprisonment in the Illinois Department of Corrections.

The pending charges for Case No. 2021CF1230 against Williamson are not proof of guilt. Williamson is presumed innocent and is entitled to a fair trial in which it is the state's burden to prove his guilt beyond a reasonable doubt.

**ASA Anderson said:**

“I want to thank the Aurora Police Department’s Special Operations Group for obtaining and executing the search warrant in a successful and safe manner, while removing a loaded firearm from a convicted felon who had four young children living with him.”

**Moses V. Williamson:** Age 33 (d.o.b. 8-8-1988), of the 700 block of Schomer Avenue, Aurora, Illinois. Case No. 2019CF1536.