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Greenville Man Sentenced on Aggravated Domestic Violence

Thirteenth Circuit Solicitor Walt Wilkins states that LAMARCKUS BOSWELL, 25, pled guilty on April 9, 2012 to Criminal Domestic Violence of a High and Aggravated Nature. He was sentenced to five years in prison by The Honorable Letitia H. Verdin.

Evidence presented and the plea hearing by Assistant Solicitor Judy Munson established that on September 21, 2011 at approximately 3:00 pm the Greenville County Sheriff's Office was called to a home on East North Street. When deputies arrived at the home, they found BOSWELL'S live-in girlfriend with bruising and swelling to her face and red marks on her neck. The victim told deputies that BOSWELL had punched her in the face and strangled her during an argument. A witness reported seeing BOSWELL attempt to drag the victim across a parking lot while he had her in a "choke hold".

Aggravated Domestic Violence is considered a violent crime and carries a mandatory minimum of one year in prison up to ten years.