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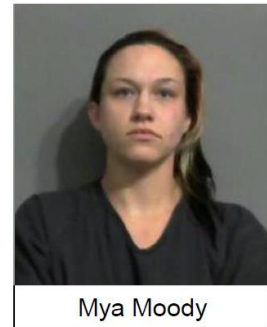
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HABITUAL OFFENDER SENTENCED TO 40 YEARS IN PRISON

Muncie Indiana – This morning, the Honorable Marianne L. Vorhees, Judge of the Delaware County Circuit Court No. 1 sentenced Mya Moody (DOB 06/12/1989) to 40 years in prison. On May 26, 2022, a Delaware County jury deliberated for approximately an hour and thirty minutes before convicting Moody of: Dealing in a Controlled Substance Resulting in Death, a Level 1 Felony. The evidence at trial demonstrated that in October of 2021 was arrested and taken to the Delaware County Jail. At the time of her arrest, she hid heroin in a body cavity. After Moody was booked into the jail, she dealt the heroin inside the jail block to various other inmates including 37-year old Dianna Rose Pace who later died of acute fentanyl intoxication. The jury also found the defendant to be an habitual offender. Moody has prior convictions for robbery, a class C felony and dealing in Dealing in a Lookalike Substance, a class B felony. During the sentencing hearing, Chief Deputy Prosecutor Zach Craig told the Court that Moody is “a human hurricane causing destruction in her path.” After the hearing, Delaware County Prosecuting Attorney Eric Hoffman said “I am proud of my Chief Deputy Prosecutor Zach Craig and Deputy Prosecutor Steve Sneed for their hard work and dedication in this case. This conviction marks the second time this year our office has successfully prosecuted a defendant for Dealing in a Controlled Substance Resulting in Death. Our office takes dealing causing death very seriously and we will continue to enforce the statute by prosecuting the offenders. These convictions should send a crystal clear message to drug dealers: if you deal narcotics in Delaware County and your customer overdoses and dies, you will be prosecuted and you will be held accountable. Stop selling your poison in our community



Mya Moody

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