

COUNTY OF FRESNO

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JEREMY LYND AND BOBBIE SEVIER CONVICTED OF ALL CHARGES RELATED TO ATTEMPTED ATM ROBBERY

Deputy District Attorney David Olmos is pleased to announce that today, August 9, 2017, Jeremy Eugene Lynd and Bobbie Sue Sevier were convicted of all charges related to the attempted robbery of an armed retired law enforcement officer while he used a River Park area ATM in January 2016.

A Fresno County jury found Mr. Lynd guilty of:

- 1.) Attempted First Degree ATM Robbery [Penal Code § 664/211];
- 2.) Assault with a Deadly Weapon [Penal Code 245(a)(1)]; and
- 3.) Assault with a Stun Gun or Taser [Penal Code § 244.5(b)].

Ms. Sevier was found guilty of:

- 1.) Assault with a Deadly Weapon [Penal Code § 245(a)(1)]; and
- 2.) Attempted First Degree ATM Robbery [Penal Code § 664/211].

The defendants are currently in custody at the Fresno County Jail.

Mr. Lynd is scheduled to be back in court this Friday for a hearing on allegations regarding his previous criminal history. It is alleged that Mr. Lynd has previously been convicted of robbery and bank robbery. Should those allegations be found true, he faces a potential sentence of up to 35 years-to-life in custody. However, upon reaching age 60, and after serving 25 years, Mr. Lynd will be eligible for early release under the Elderly Parole Program. It also appears that Mr. Lynd may be eligible for early release under Proposition 57.

Ms. Sevier faces a sentence of up to four (4) years and eight (8) months in custody when she is sentenced on September 7, 2017, at 8:30 a.m., in Department 30 of the Fresno County Superior Court.

DDA Olmos would like to thank the victim Steven Pulliam, the Fresno Police Department, Fresno County District Attorney Investigators John Ciaccio and Scott Fitzgerald, as well as the jury for their service in this case.

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