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Notice of Conviction
Jury Convicts Man of Rape, Aggravated Assault, and False Imprisonment
State vs. Nicholas J. Mittenmeyer

March 26, 2025 – District Attorney Susan K. Treadaway announces that on March 21, a Cherokee County jury convicted Nicholas J. Mittenmeyer, 45, of Woodstock, of rape, family violence aggravated assault, and false imprisonment, following a five-day trial.

Cherokee Sheriff's Office began investigating these allegations when a former intimate partner of Mittenmeyer's reported a rape that occurred in June 2023 at a Woodstock home. The relationship had ended about two years prior but the two had remained in contact.

According to the victim, Mittenmeyer attempted to pressure her into having sex. When she declined his advances, he forced himself on her. She told him "No!" and to stop, but he did not. She did not immediately call 911 because she feared no one would believe her since they had previously been in a relationship. Days later, she confronted Mittenmeyer about the assault and recorded the conversation, during which he acknowledged his actions and apologized.

The trial took place from March 17-21. A total of 12 witnesses testified, including eight for the State: the victim, a domestic violence expert, two detectives, two witnesses to prior acts of violence, a friend, and a family member. The State also presented 26 exhibits including photographs of injuries from two prior incidents, and the audio recording in which the victim confronted Mittenmeyer about the rape and he apologized.

The jury deliberated for approximately 15 hours before finding the defendant guilty of all three charges. Superior Court Judge Shannon Wallace announced that sentencing would be set for a later date.

The case was investigated by Cherokee Sheriff's Office and prosecuted by Deputy Chief Assistant District Attorney Rachel Ashe, of the Domestic Violence Unit, Office of the District Attorney, Blue Ridge Judicial Circuit.

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