

LEBANON MAN FOUND GUILTY IN FATAL CRASH

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Douglas Allison, a 42-year-old Lebanon man, was found guilty today of aggravated vehicular homicide and vehicular homicide after a trial in the Warren County Common Pleas Court. After merging the two charges for sentencing purposes, Judge Robert Peeler sentenced Allison to serve six years in prison, imposed a lifetime license suspension, and ordered him to pay court costs. Four of the six years in prison are mandatory.

Judge Peeler rendered his verdict after a one-day bench trial. Allison previously waived his right to a jury trial on the charges.

In October, a Warren County grand jury indicted Allison on two counts, aggravated vehicular homicide, a felony of the 2nd degree, and vehicular homicide, a felony of the 4th degree. On October 14, 2010, Allison was operating his motor vehicle at the intersection of U.S. Rt. 42 and St. Rt. 48 Bypass when it struck a vehicle driven by Mary Wells. Allison's license had been suspended since 1990 and he had no privileges to drive. Wells later died as a result of the crash.



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