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## STATE'S ATTORNEY BRAVEBOY AND PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTY POLICE ANNOUNCE MAJOR SENTENCE IN NEIGHBORHOOD GANG RIVAL SHOOTING

UPPER MARLBORO, MD – During a news conference today, State's Attorney Aisha Braveboy and representatives from the Prince George's County Police Department announced a 55-year sentence against Amos Reffell. He was sentenced on numerous charges including attempted first-degree murder for a shooting that was the result of a rivalry among neighborhood crews. The victim sustained critical gunshot wounds to his head and feet, while the incident also resulted in multiple apartments being damaged by bullet holes.

The investigation revealed that this shooting stemmed from a rivalry between the 28th Street and 23rd Street crews in Temple Hills. Reffell and three others opened fire on two victims as they were getting out of an Uber on June 2, 2022, in the 3400 Block of Brinkley Road. The shooters used AR-15 assault rifles, a Glock 23 handgun, and other weapons in the attack. They then fled down St. Barnabas Road in a Dodge Charger. Ultimately, the vehicle crashed at the intersection of St. Barnabas and Stamp Road. The suspects fled on foot, but officers were able to apprehend Reffell. The investigation to locate the other three suspects continues. The shooting victim as well as several victims from the vehicles that were struck by the vehicle Reffell was operating, were taken to the hospital.

"This sentence sends a message of our community's intolerance for violence," emphasized the State's Attorney. "The destructive rivalries among crews or any other groups must cease. Fortunately, we avoided a more tragic outcome in this case. And thankfully, the victims who were exiting an Uber at the time, escaped life-altering injuries, although one required hospitalization. I want to thank Assistant State's Attorney Maso Hamilton for his hard work and dedication that resulted in the stiff sentence."

In addition to attempted first-degree murder, Reffell was convicted of attempted second-degree murder, conspiracy to commit first-degree murder, first-degree assault, use of a firearm in the commission of a crime of violence, use of a firearm by a convicted felon, use of a loaded firearm in a vehicle and two counts of reckless endangerment. He was sentenced on Friday, December 8th.

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