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### **Charges announced in murder of Southport Police Lt. Aaron Allan**

*Jason Brown charged in July 27 shooting death of officer*

(Indianapolis, Ind.) – Marion County Prosecutor Terry Curry announced today that Jason Brown has been charged with Murder for the shooting death of Southport Police Department Lieutenant Aaron Allan on July 27 on the city's southside.

According to the probable cause affidavit filed in this case, Lt. Allan and Homcroft Police Department Major CT Bowman responded to a personal injury accident with an overturned vehicle. Jason Brown, who was in the driver seat, was suspended upside down in the vehicle due to being held in by his seat belt. As Lt. Allan rendered aid to Brown, Brown is accused of firing a handgun at Lt. Allan, striking the officer 11 times.

“What we are announcing against the man accused should not distract our attention from the service provided by Lieutenant Aaron Allan,” Prosecutor Terry Curry commented. “This is a tragic loss for the community and we extend our sympathies to the family and friends of Lt. Allan and the Southport Police Department.”

An initial hearing for Brown is scheduled for August 3 at 1 p.m. in Criminal Court 3.

*A charge of a crime is merely an accusation, and the defendant is presumed innocent until and unless proven guilty.*

**NOTE:** The charging document and probable cause affidavit filed in this case can be downloaded at:

<https://www.dropbox.com/s/ijvtOntbrkz7524/Jason%20Brown.pdf?dl=0>