

**News Release from
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**Tyler Keys Sentenced to 9 and 1/2 Years for
Attempted Aggravated Assault of a Police Officer**

Rochester, NY- Today, Supreme Court Justice Alex R. Renzi sentenced 21 year old Tyler Keys upon his guilty plea to Attempted Aggravated Assault on a Police Officer, two counts of Assault in the Second Degree, Criminal Obstruction of Breathing and Endangering the Welfare of a Child. Judge Renzi sentenced Keys to 9 ½ years in the Department of Corrections, plus 5 years post release supervision for his admissions that he attempted to strike two Brighton Police Officers and one Webster Police Officer with his vehicle. In addition, Keys was sentenced to 1 1/3 years for the two assault charges related to kicking his pregnant girlfriend in the stomach and ramming her car with his vehicle. Also, Keys received 1 year in the Monroe County jail for Endangering the Welfare of a Child and 1 year in jail for the Criminal Obstruction of Breathing charge. All sentences will run concurrent to one another.

The case was prosecuted by Senior Assistant District Attorney Laura Vanderbrook of the Major Felony Bureau.

“Today’s sentence reflects the actions of 21 year old Tyler Keys. His behavior on March 22, 2016 demonstrates his lack of respect for law enforcement and for the well-being of others, including his unborn child,” said Assistant District Attorney Laura Vanderbrook. “Mr. Keys put his loved ones at risk and threatened the life of our police officer’s; our community does tolerate his type of behavior.”

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