



COUNTY OF FRESNO

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NEWS RELEASE

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TYRELL HARRIS ENTERS PLEA TO ANIMAL CRUELTY CHARGE FOR FRACTURING THE SKULL OF “PRINCESS” THE DOG

Deputy District Attorney Sydney Ricks is pleased to announce that today, November 30, 2015, Tyrell Harris entered a plea of “no contest” to animal cruelty.

Mr. Harris was charged with animal cruelty after his dog “Princess” was found with a skull fracture in June of this year. Mr. Harris was also alleged to having a prior “strike” for a robbery conviction in 2001.

Mr. Harris faces a maximum sentence of up to 32 months in custody when he is sentenced in Department 71 of the Fresno County Superior Court on February 1, 2016.

The case was prosecuted by the District Attorney’s “Animal Cruelty Unit.”

The Media may contact Administrative Assistant Leslie Gillespie at (559) 600-4442 with questions.

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