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Press Release

High bail ordered for suspect in Two of string of armed robberies

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A 23-year-old Dedham man pled not guilty to robbing the same Canton Dunkin Donuts twice – once in June and once in July 2013 – at his Stoughton District Court arraignment on Wednesday, Nov. 27, 2013.

Canton Police have played a lead role in a task force of municipal police departments and federal law enforcement investigating a number of armed robberies of Dunkin Donuts in multiple counties across several months.

Isaiah Murphy, 23, of 185 Washington St., Dedham, pled not guilty to two counts of robbery while masked and armed with a firearm in violation of Chap. 265 Sec. 17. He was not charged Thursday with any of the other crimes being investigated by the task force.

Stoughton District Court Judge James Sullivan ordered Murphy held on \$200,000 cash bail or \$2 million bond. Armed Robbery while Masked carries a potential life sentence and a minimum mandatory sentence of 5 years in State Prison. See: https://malegislature.gov/Laws/GeneralLaws/PartIV/Titlel/Chapter265/Section17

"Mr. Murphy is due to return to the Stoughton District Court for probable cause hearing on December 30, 2013," District Attorney Morrissey said. "Should the defendant succeed in posting the cash bail, the judge further ordered that he be subject to GPS monitoring of his movements while on bail."

As with all criminal defendants, Mr. Murphy enjoys the Constitutional presumption of his innocence unless and until proven guilty beyond a reasonable doubt.