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### **PHILLIPSBURG MAN PLEADS GUILTY TO ARMED ROBBERY**

Hunterdon County Acting Prosecutor Michael J. Williams announced that Brett M. Johnson, age 29, of Phillipsburg, NJ, has pled guilty to two first degree armed robbery charges.

Acting Prosecutor Williams stated, “Mr. Johnson was arrested on June 7, 2019, after an investigation by the New Jersey State Police, Perryville Station, and the Hunterdon County Prosecutor’s Office when it was discovered that he had engaged in two armed robberies in Bloomsbury Boro, Hunterdon County, and in Harmony Township, Warren County. He was indicted by a Hunterdon County Grand Jury on June 7, 2019. On October 25, 2019, Mr. Johnson pled guilty to two first degree armed robbery charges. He will be sentenced on December 13, 2019, by the Honorable Angela F. Borkowski, J.S.C.”

Acting Prosecutor Williams continued, “I would like to thank all of those who worked tirelessly on these cases and were successful in bringing them to successful conclusions. I would be remiss not to mention the outstanding effort and perseverance of Detective Bruce Sanderson of the New Jersey State Police, Perryville Station.”

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