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Greenville Man Sentenced for Murders

Thirteenth Circuit Solicitor Walt Wilkins states that BRADFORD HESTER WILLIAMS, age 25, was convicted on August 11, 2017 by a Greenville County jury of two counts each of murder and possession of a weapon during commission of a violent crime. He was sentenced to life imprisonment by the Honorable Alexander S. Macauley. BRADFORD HESTER WILLIAMS will not be eligible for parole under South Carolina law.

Evidence presented at the trial hearing by Assistant Solicitor Jonathan Gregory established that around 2:30 am on November 27, 2014, BRADFORD HESTER WILLIAMS shot and killed Sylvester Fuller and Jamal Justice outside of a nightclub on N. Pleasantburg Dr. near the Cherrydale shopping area. The investigation by the Greenville County Sheriff's Office, led by Investigator Michael Fortner, established that Bradford Williams shot Mr. Fuller and Mr. Justice multiple times each with a .380 handgun before fleeing the scene in a gray or silver Cadillac. While awaiting trial, Bradford Williams cut the electronic monitor from his ankle and fled Greenville. He was later re-arrested in Georgia and returned to Greenville for trial.