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### **Garfield Heights Man Sentenced to 24 Years in Prison for Sexually Assaulting Several Young Girls**

AKRON, Ohio (Tuesday, June 25, 2019) – Summit County Prosecutor Sherri Bevan Walsh announced today that Scott Brundage, 51, of Granger Road in Garfield Heights, was sentenced to 24 years in prison for sexually assaulting six young girls over several years.

Brundage was also designated a Tier III sex offender. That means that once he's released from prison, Brundage will have to register with the local sheriff's office every 90 days for the rest of his life.

On April 2, 2019 Brundage pled guilty to the following charges:

- Rape – a felony of the 1<sup>st</sup> degree
- Three Counts of Gross Sexual Imposition – felonies of the 3<sup>rd</sup> degree
- Two Counts of Gross Sexual Imposition – felonies of the 4<sup>th</sup> degree

The incidents involved girls ages nine to 14. Brundage knew the victims and assaulted them at his home in Stow.

"These young girls showed so much strength and courage throughout this ordeal. I am so proud of them," said Prosecutor Walsh. "Scott Brundage manipulated, groomed, and took advantage of these girls. What he did will impact their lives forever. I am pleased to know he will spend a significant time in prison. My hope is the survivors will feel safer knowing the defendant will be locked up for a long time."