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HILL DISTRICT MAN ARRESTED FOLLOWING FAMILY COURT HEARING

Pittsburgh PA ---- Sheriff Kevin M. Kraus announced today that a Hill District man, wanted on a number of charges, including impersonating a police officer, was taken into custody following a hearing in Family Court.

In February of this year, City of Pittsburgh Police charged 29-year-old Rayco Saunders with simple assault, terroristic threats, impersonating a police officer and a firearms violation in connection with an incident on Breker Street. In that incident, a witness told police that Saunders knocked at her door, identified himself as a Pittsburgh Police Officer and then pointed a gun at her chest after she opened the door.

On Thursday, April 13, 2023, a Sheriff Deputy working on the fourth floor of the Family Court Building heard a court employee paging Rayco Saunders to a fourth-floor courtroom. With Saunders name being known to law enforcement, the deputy went to the courtroom to corroborate the identity of Saunders before checking for and discovering the active warrant. Once the warrant was confirmed, the deputy went back to the courtroom and at the conclusion of the hearing, Saunders was arrested without incident and taken to the Allegheny County Jail.

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