



# JACKSON COUNTY STATE'S ATTORNEY

## Michael C. Carr, State's Attorney

Jackson County Courthouse • 1001 Walnut • Third Floor • Murphysboro, IL 62966  
(618) 687-7200 • FAX (618) 687-7215

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

Contact: Michael C. Carr, State's Attorney

Wednesday, October 31, 2018

### **DEANDRE JONES, CARBONDALE, SENTENCED TO DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS FOR AGGRAVATED UNLAWFUL USE OF A WEAPON**

Michael C. Carr, Jackson County State's Attorney, announced today, Deandre L. Jones, Age 27, was sentenced to the Illinois Department of Corrections for the offense of Aggravated Unlawful Use of a Weapon.

On June 30, 2018, Detectives with the Carbondale Police Department received information that the defendant, Deandre Jones, was wanted on a warrant and was currently residing in Carbondale. Detectives began investigating the whereabouts of the defendant, and on July 12, 2018 located him travelling in a vehicle in the 1500 block of W. Main St. Carbondale. Officers effectuated a traffic stop on the vehicle and arrested the defendant on the active warrant. A search incident to the arrest revealed the defendant to be carrying a loaded Glock 26 9mm pistol. Deandre Jones did not possess a valid FOID card or Concealed Carry permit.

On October 10, 2018, Jones pled guilty to the charge of Aggravated Unlawful Use of a Weapon and was sentenced to one (1) year in the Illinois Department of Corrections, followed by a one (1) year period of mandatory supervised release. This is a Class 4 Felony.

The investigation was conducted by the Carbondale Police Department. Assistant State's Attorney Andrew W. Suthard was responsible for the prosecution of this case.