

**News Release from  
The Honorable Sandra Doorley  
Monroe County District Attorney**

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**Peter Davidson Sentenced for 2013 Second Degree  
Grand Larceny Conviction**

Rochester, NY- Yesterday, Justice Thomas Moran sentenced 56 year old Peter Davidson to 5 years probation, 6 months shock incarceration and \$126,053.70 restitution. In February of 2013, Peter Davidson pled guilty to the charge of Grand Larceny in the Second Degree. From December 1, 2001 to February 28, 2009, Davidson kept \$126,000 in business related New York State sales tax revenue he collected from his car dealership, Advanced Auto, located at 139 Lyell Avenue. Davidson was required by law to pay those funds to NYS.

The case was prosecuted by Assistant District Attorney and Chief of the Economic Crime Bureau, Mark Monaghan.

"With today's sentencing, justice was served for all the hard working taxpayers of NY State. Peter Davidson's criminal behavior gave him an unfair advantage over other hard working New York State businessmen who are abiding by the laws and paying their share of taxes. This is another example of how the Monroe County District Attorney's Office *Crimes Against Revenue Program* (CARP) is an effective tool in assisting us in prosecuting theft of public funds cases," said Assistant District Attorney Mark Monaghan.

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