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**RON WEBER SENTENCED TO FOUR YEARS  
FOR DOMESTIC ASSAULT**

FORSYTH, MO – Taney County Prosecuting Attorney, Jeffrey M. Merrell announced today that RON WEBER, dob: 07/14/1965, of Forsyth, Missouri was sentenced to four (4) years in the Missouri Department of Corrections for the class C felony of domestic assault in the second degree. WEBER was also sentenced to fifteen (15) days in the Taney County Jail for the class C misdemeanor of third degree assault. Probation was denied on both counts. On December 18, 2008, RON WEBER pled guilty to domestic assault in the second degree and assault in the 3<sup>rd</sup> degree in front of Taney County Circuit Judge Mark Orr.

On August 15, 2007, in Forsyth, Missouri, RON WEBER, assaulted his live-in girlfriend. While his girlfriend was in the bathroom, WEBER busted the door down and grabbed her by the hair, pulled her out of the bathroom, and repeatedly kicked her and hit her in the face with a closed fist. At one point WEBER attempted to make her pass out and told her that he would kill her if she called the police. WEBER also assaulted his girlfriend's mother. WEBER threatened her and spit on her while yelling at her. WEBER then grabbed her and shoved her toward a table. During the confrontation, WEBER ran back into the house and returned with a loaded shotgun and fired it over their heads.

The class C felony of domestic assault in the second degree has a range of punishment of one (1) day to one (1) year in the Taney County Jail, or one (1) year to seven (7) years in the Missouri Department of Corrections and/or a fine not to exceed \$5,000. The class C misdemeanor of third degree assault carries with it a range of punishment of one (1) day to fifteen (15) days in the Taney County Jail and/or a fine not to exceed \$300.

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