

TRUMBULL COUNTY PROSECUTOR'S OFFICE

Dennis Watkins, Prosecutor

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PAROLE UPDATE: April 28, 2025

Convicted murderer Perry denied parole; next hearing in 2029

The Ohio State Parole Board this month informed Jenna Maze, Trumbull County Prosecutor's Office Victim/Witness coordinator, that convicted murderer Alfonsia Perry was denied parole.



According to a letter from the parole board, Perry's case will be seen again by the parole board in January 2029. Perry had appeared before a panel of the parole board on March 24, 2026, the letter stated.

Perry, 68, will continue to be incarcerated in Richland Correctional Institution. He was sentenced in November 1994 to a term of 20 years to life in prison after being convicted in the fatal beating of girlfriend Jeanette Purdue at a home on Rosser Avenue in Hubbard. Perry was also convicted on charges stemming from an attack on three corrections officers in the Trumbull County jail.

According to testimony at trial before former Judge W. Wyatt McKay, the victim was hit some 71 times with a wooden bed slat and an ax handle. Witnesses to this merciless attack of the victim were her two children ages 6 and 8.

Prosecutor Dennis Watkins said he was pleased with the action of the parole board in keeping behind bars a "poster person for domestic violence," saying the residents of Trumbull County will be safe from this brutal murderer for at least three more years.

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