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Another Win in Wheeling

The Wheeling Office was victorious in the matter of King v. Allegheny County Sheriff's Office, et al., 2:19-CV-00992-DSC (W.D. Pa.2019), successfully moving the Court to dismiss the Northern Regional Correctional Facility from the matter for lack of jurisdiction.

In a claim of mistaken identity Plaintiff asserted he was arrested in the place of his twin brother. Plaintiff was also attempting to prosecute this as a civil rights action involving wrongful arrest, false warrants, and other similar allegations against a variety of public officials and agencies, mostly present in the Western District of Pennsylvania. In October, the Magistrate Court found that it had no jurisdiction over the Northern Regional Correctional Facility, and recommended dismissal of Plaintiff's claims against it without prejudice. The District Court affirmed those findings on November 18, 2020. This matter was successfully defended by attorney Thomas E. Buck, Esq.