



DISTRICT ATTORNEY FOR THE 15TH JUDICIAL COURT **SERVING ACADIA, LAFAYETTE & VERMILION PARISHES**

On Friday, May 12, 2017, Kevin Alexander was convicted of Aggravated Criminal Damage to Property and Aggravated Flight from an Officer by a Lafayette Parish jury by a unanimous verdict. The conviction stems from events that occurred on April 22, 2014, when Alexander fired 10 rounds from a .45 caliber handgun into a home located at 515 Orchid Drive narrowly missing the occupants of that home. When Alexander was located by police he took them on a 70 mile chase across four parishes, reaching speeds in excess of 100 mph and forcing other vehicles off the roadway. He was ultimately stopped when police deployed spike strips to flatten his tires.

The case was investigated by Lafayette Police Officers Britney Ardoin, Asher Reaux and Thadeus Sices and prosecuted by ADA Michele Billeaud.