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Bloomington, IL - On Friday,9/30/22. after a lengthy investigation conducted by the Bloomington Police Department's Criminal Investigation Division, Robert Eldridge was indicted for robbery. Eldridge was indicted for his role in a robbery at the Eastland Suites on 5/29/22.

Arrested was Robert Eldridge,47, Heyworth.

Robert Eldridge was arrested for:

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There was no bond information for Eldridge as he is currently in Illinois Department of Corrections custody on unrelated felony convictions.

Chief Jamal Simington stated, "I want to applaud the team of BPD detectives for their hard work during this investigation. Their efforts are imperative in solving alleged violent crimes of this nature. The detectives have been diligent and persistent throughout this investigation. BPD will continue to partner with our community to enhance the quality of life here in Bloomington. The BPD will focus our resources effectively and with resiliency to address violence."

All suspect(s) are presumed innocent unless proven guilty in the court of law.

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If you wish to submit a tip and remain anonymous, please contact the Crime & Intelligence Analysis Unit (CIAU) at (309)-434-2963 or email CIAU@cityblm.org. The CIAU office is staffed from 8am-4:30pm, weekdays. If no one is available to answer your call, please leave the information on the voicemail or send it by e-mail.

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