

**IN THE COURT OF APPEALS
ELEVENTH APPELLATE DISTRICT
TRUMBULL COUNTY, OHIO**

STATE OF OHIO,	:	MEMORANDUM OPINION
Plaintiff-Appellee,	:	
-vs-	:	CASE NO. 2014-T-0008
ROOSEVELT D. GRAY,	:	
Defendant-Appellant.	:	

Criminal Appeal from the Trumbull County Court of Common Pleas.
Case No. 93 CR 112.

Judgment: Appeal dismissed.

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TIMOTHY P. CANNON, P.J.

{¶1} On February 12, 2014, appellant, by and through counsel, filed his notice of appeal from a January 9, 2014 judgment entry issued by the Trumbull County Court of Common Pleas. The appealed judgment denies appellant’s post-sentencing motion to withdraw his guilty plea.

{¶2} App.R. 4(A) states in part: “A party shall file the notice of appeal required by App.R. 3 within thirty days of the later of entry of the judgment or order appealed.”

{¶3} In this case, appellant's notice of appeal was due by February 10, 2014, which was not a holiday or a weekend. However, the notice was not filed until February 12, 2014. In addition, the trial court docket reflects that the parties were served with a copy of the appealed judgment within the three-day time period in Civ.R. 58(B).

{¶4} App.R. 5(A) states, in relevant part:

(1) After the expiration of the thirty day period provided by App.R. 4(A) for the filing of a notice of appeal as of right, an appeal may be taken by a defendant with leave of the court to which the appeal is taken in the following classes of cases:

(a) Criminal proceedings;

(b) Delinquency proceedings; and

(c) Serious youthful offender proceedings.

(2) A motion for leave to appeal shall be filed with the court of appeals and shall set forth the reasons for the failure of the appellant to perfect an appeal as of right. Concurrently with the filing of the motion, the movant shall file with the clerk of the trial court a notice of appeal in the form prescribed by App.R. 3 and shall file a copy of the notice of the appeal in the court of appeal. *
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{¶5} In the present case, appellant has neither complied with the thirty-day rule set forth in App.R. 4(A) nor sought leave to appeal. Thus, this court is without jurisdiction to consider the appeal.

{¶6} Based upon the foregoing analysis, the appeal is hereby sua sponte dismissed as being untimely.

{¶7} Appeal dismissed.

DIANE V. GRENDALL, J.,

COLLEEN MARY O'TOOLE, J.,

concur.