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2 TO STAND TRIAL IN HOME INVASION

Two people are headed **to trial** on charges that they assaulted and robbed an 85-year-old woman during a **home invasion** on Detroit's east side last month.

Stacey Siebert, 29, and Aaron Johnson, 40, were bound over for **trial** Tuesday after a preliminary examination **in** 36th District Court. Chief Judge Marilyn Atkins found probable cause **to** send the case **to trial** .

Both were bound over on charges including assault with intent **to** do great bodily harm, unarmed robbery and **home invasion** . The **home invasion** charge is punishable by up **to** 20 years **in** prison upon conviction.

The pair is accused of assaulting the woman on Sept. 30 **in** the **home** on Algonquin where she has lived for 65 years.

Siebert had stopped by the woman's house repeatedly **in** the days before the **home invasion to** ask for work, and at one point wrote her name and phone number on a piece of paper and gave it **to** the woman, police said. It was that paper, missing after the break- **in** , that led police **to** Siebert and Johnson.

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