IN THE COURT OF APPEALS OF THE STATE OF IDAHO

Docket No. 46871

STATE OF IDAHO,)
) Filed: October 8, 2019
Plaintiff-Respondent,)
) Karel A. Lehrman, Clerk
V.)
) THIS IS AN UNPUBLISHED
CHANCE TYLER WYNACHT,) OPINION AND SHALL NOT
) BE CITED AS AUTHORITY
Defendant-Appellant.)
)

Appeal from the District Court of the First Judicial District, State of Idaho, Kootenai County. Hon. Scott Wayman, District Judge.

Judgment of conviction and unified sentence of ten years, with a minimum period of confinement of five years, for attempted strangulation, <u>affirmed</u>.

Eric D. Fredericksen, State Appellate Public Defender; Ben P. McGreevy, Deputy Appellate Public Defender, Boise, for appellant.

Hon. Lawrence G. Wasden, Attorney General; Andrew V. Wake, Deputy Attorney General, Boise, for respondent.

Before GRATTON, Chief Judge; HUSKEY, Judge; and LORELLO, Judge

PER CURIAM

Chance Tyler Wynacht entered an $Alford^1$ plea to attempted strangulation. I.C. § 18-923. In exchange for his guilty plea, additional charges were dismissed including an allegation that he is a persistent violator. The district court sentenced Wynacht to a unified term of ten years, with a minimum period of confinement of five years. Wynacht appeals, arguing that his sentence is excessive.

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See North Carolina v. Alford, 400 U.S. 25 (1970).

Sentencing is a matter for the trial court's discretion. Both our standard of review and the factors to be considered in evaluating the reasonableness of the sentence are well established and need not be repeated here. *See State v. Hernandez*, 121 Idaho 114, 117-18, 822 P.2d 1011, 1014-15 (Ct. App. 1991); *State v. Lopez*, 106 Idaho 447, 449-51, 680 P.2d 869, 871-73 (Ct. App. 1984); *State v. Toohill*, 103 Idaho 565, 568, 650 P.2d 707, 710 (Ct. App. 1982). When reviewing the length of a sentence, we consider the defendant's entire sentence. *State v. Oliver*, 144 Idaho 722, 726, 170 P.3d 387, 391 (2007). Applying these standards, and having reviewed the record in this case, we cannot say that the district court abused its discretion.

Therefore, Wynacht's judgment of conviction and sentence are affirmed.