

United States Court of Appeals
For the Eighth Circuit

No. 16-2269

United States of America

Plaintiff - Appellee

v.

Shawn A. Williams

Defendant - Appellant

Appeal from United States District Court
for the Eastern District of Missouri - Cape Girardeau

Submitted: December 28, 2016

Filed: January 6, 2017

Before COLLOTON, MURPHY, and GRUENDER, Circuit Judges.

PER CURIAM.

Shawn Williams directly appeals after he pled guilty to being a felon in possession of a firearm, in violation of 18 U.S.C. § 922(g)(1), and the district court¹ sentenced him to 51 months in prison, which was the low end of the calculated

¹The Honorable Stephen N. Limbaugh, Jr., United States District Judge for the Eastern District of Missouri.

Guidelines range. His counsel has moved to withdraw and has filed a brief under Anders v. California, 386 U.S. 738 (1967), questioning the reasonableness of Williams's sentence.

Upon careful review, we conclude that the district court did not impose a substantively unreasonable sentence. See United States v. Feemster, 572 F.3d 455, 461-62 (8th Cir. 2009) (en banc) (sentences reviewed under deferential abuse-of-discretion standard; discussing substantive reasonableness); see also Gall v. United States, 552 U.S. 38, 51 (2007) (if sentence is within Guidelines range, appellate court may apply presumption of reasonableness). In addition, having independently reviewed the record pursuant to Penson v. Ohio, 488 U.S. 75 (1988), we find no nonfrivolous issues for appeal. Accordingly, we grant counsel's motion to withdraw, and we affirm.
