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Coastal Narcotic Enforcement Team Arrests

During the early morning hours of December 6, 2013, members of the Coastal Narcotics Enforcement Team executed multiple search warrants on three locations in connection to a ten month long drug investigation. Task force members included detectives from the New Bern Police Department, Craven County Sheriff's Department and Jones County Sheriff's Department. Additional assistance was provided by the Craven County Sheriff's Office Criminal Investigation Division and the New Bern Police Department K-9 Unit.

Search warrants were served on 2803 Oakland Ave., 3411 Lot 1 Neuse Blvd. and 260 Foxchase Village Mobile Home Park.

During the search, officers seized a vehicle, cocaine, marijuana, amphetamines, methamphetamine, oxycodone, drug paraphernalia and over \$5,000.00 in US Currency. In addition to this, officers seized cock fighting paraphernalia, 59 chickens, and 3 dogs leading to an additional investigation into animal cruelty by the New Bern Police Department's Animal Control Unit.

Terril Roland Byrd, W/M DOB: 07-26-71 of 2803 Oakland Ave. in New Bern, was arrested for possession with intent to sell and deliver methamphetamine. He was held on a \$10,000.00 secured bond and given a first appearance of December 9, 2013.

Catherine Segal, W/F DOB: 09-09-82 of 438 Gatewood Dr. in New Bern, was arrested for possession of marijuana and possession of drug paraphernalia. She was released on a citation and given a court date of January 30, 2014.

Cesar Mederos, W/M DOB: 11-17-85 of 3411 Lot 1 in New Bern, was arrested for possession with the intent to manufacture, sell and deliver methamphetamine (2 counts), sell methamphetamine, maintaining a dwelling (2 counts), conspiracy to sell methamphetamine, possession with the intent to manufacture, sell and deliver cocaine, possession with the intent to manufacture, sell and deliver marijuana and driving without a license. He was held on a \$191,500.00 secured bond and given a district court date of December 9, 2013

Adan Guterrez Reyna, W/M DOB: 10-27-65 of 260 Foxchase Village Mobile Home Park in New Bern, was arrested for possession with the intent to manufacture, sell and deliver methamphetamine, maintaining a dwelling, conspiracy to sell methamphetamine and failure to appear. He was held on a \$15,000.00 secured bond and given a first appearance of December 9, 2013.

Orlando Gomez, W/M DOB: 05-25-88 of 745 Honolulu Rd. in Vanceboro, was arrested on December 4, 2013 for possession with the intent to manufacture sell and deliver methamphetamine (4 counts), possession with the intent to manufacture sell and deliver cocaine (2 counts), maintaining a dwelling (2 counts), trafficking methamphetamine and conspiracy to traffic methamphetamine. He was held on a \$50,000.00 secured bond.

Timothy Jarman, W/M DOB: 08-01-59 of 260 Foxchase Village Mobile Home Park, was arrested for possession of marijuana and possession of drug paraphernalia. He was released on a citation and given a court date of January 30, 2014.

Lisa Hawkins, W/M DOB: 10-25-68 of 260 Foxchase Village Mobile Home Park, was arrested for possession of oxycodone, possession of drug paraphernalia, and second degree trespassing. She was released on a written promise and given a court date of January 30, 2014.

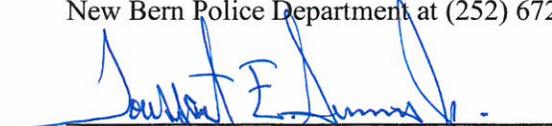
Additional arrests are expected to follow as a result of this investigation.

The Coastal Narcotic Enforcement Team is a multi-agency narcotics unit based in Craven County, which functions under the direction and control of the Chief Executives. The Coastal Narcotic Enforcement Team is comprised of sworn law enforcement detectives from the New Bern Police Department, Craven County Sheriff's Office, Havelock Police Department, Trent Woods Police Department, River Bend Police Department, Jones County Sheriff's Office, Carteret Sheriff's Office, and Pamlico County Sheriff's Office.

The main objectives of the Coastal Narcotic Enforcement Team are to investigate individuals and organizations involved in narcotics trafficking, the seizure of assets acquired through narcotics trafficking, and the promotion of coordinated narcotics enforcement efforts among various law enforcement agencies within the county. The Coastal Narcotic Enforcement Team, through the combined efforts of local, state, and federal agencies, will actively pursue those groups or individuals who manufacture, distribute, or sell illegal drugs within the local surrounding counties.

The New Bern Police Department is committed to partnering with the community. Citizens are encouraged to become a **"Partner in Policing,"** by reporting suspected illegal activity to the New Bern Police Department's **TIPS** line at **(252) 636-5034** or the Craven County Crime Stoppers line at 633-5141.

For additional information, please contact Lt. Ronda Allen, Public Information Officer at the New Bern Police Department at (252) 672-4123.


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