



Hernando County Sheriff's Office

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Media Release

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Re: Search Warrant – 11871 Broad Street

Date: June 30, 2017

On 06-29-17, detectives with the Hernando County Sheriff's Office Vice and Narcotics Unit, with the assistance of the S.W.A.T. team, executed a narcotics search warrant at 11871 Broad St., in Brooksville.

The search warrant and arrest warrants are a result of a lengthy investigation that took place at the Broad Street location. The investigation began after the Sheriff's Office received tips of drug activity occurring at the residence.

During the investigation, undercover detectives took part in narcotics transactions where **Robert Lee Moore B/M DOB/07-15-1950** sold prescription medication on numerous occasions.

During the execution of the search warrant on Broad Street, detectives took Moore into custody without incident. As a result of the search, detectives were able to locate prescription medication (trafficking amounts), marijuana, paraphernalia indicative of narcotic sales, several firearms, and \$17,457 in cash.

Moore's charges are as follows:

- Trafficking in a controlled substance (several counts)
- Sale and Possession of a controlled substance (several counts)
- Possession of a place for trafficking, sale and manufacturing of a controlled substance (several counts)
- Possession of a firearm by a convicted felon
- Possession of marijuana
- Possession of drug paraphernalia

Bond amount: \$ 187,000.

The Office of Sheriff:

The Office of the Sheriff is established by the Florida Constitution. As a constitutional officer, the Sheriff has the exclusive authority to administer his or her agency and is responsible for preserving the peace throughout the entire county, carrying out the laws of the state, the orders of Florida courts, and the ordinances of the Board of County Commissioners. The Sheriff is the chief law enforcement and correctional officer of the county.

Sheriff Al Nienhuis was initially appointed as the Sheriff of Hernando County by the Governor in January of 2011. He was then elected by the people of Hernando County in 2012, and remains accountable to them.