

Hernando County Sheriff's Office

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Media Release

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Re: Search Warrant – 8191 Floral Drive

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On Wednesday, 06-20-18, a federal law enforcement agency requested assistance with a case from the Hernando County Sheriff's Office Vice and Narcotics Unit. After several hours of surveillance, a search warrant was executed at 8191 Floral Drive in Weeki Wachee (River Country).

During a search of the residence the following items were located:

- 3.05 pounds of hashish wax
- 3,264 hashish pens (112.5 pounds)
- 2.95 pounds of marijuana
- \$104,500 in US currency.

One arrest was made on scene.

Devin Volkes W/M DOB/07/10/1988 was charged as follows:

- Trafficking in Hashish
- Possession of Marijuana over 20 grams
- Bond \$30,000.

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.