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Media Release

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Re: Separate Traffic Stops Lead to Arrest of Two Men in Brooksville

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On 01-16-2024, Hernando County Sheriff's deputies conducted a traffic stop for a speeding vehicle driven by **Thomas Roger Chrystie, DOB/03-07-1970**, on Taylor Street in Brooksville. During the stop, a K9 unit conducted a sniff-test of the vehicle and alerted to the presence of narcotics.

A search of the vehicle yielded approximately 5 pounds of methamphetamine, a large sum of money, a loaded handgun, ammunition, smaller amounts of multiple other narcotics, and additional drug paraphernalia.

Post-Miranda, Chrystie admitted to owning the narcotics and the firearm, further stating the firearm was actually a stolen weapon. The handgun was confirmed to have been reported stolen out of the Orlando area.

Chrystie was placed under arrest, transported to the Hernando County Detention Center, and charged as follows:

- Armed Trafficking Methamphetamine
- Possession of Amphetamine with Intent to Sell
- Possession of Firearm by Felon
- Possession of Oxycodone
- Possession of Morphine
- Possession of New Legend Drug (Sildenafil, Tadalafil)
- Possession of Paraphernalia

Chrystie's bond is currently set at \$163,500.

On 01-24-2024, Hernando County Sheriff's deputies conducted a traffic stop on a vehicle who failed to come to a complete stop at the intersection of Cortez Boulevard and Shoal Line Boulevard.

During the stop, a K9 unit conducted a sniff-test of the vehicle and alerted to the presence of narcotics.

A search of the vehicle yielded trafficking amounts of methamphetamine and fentanyl, a syringe loaded with methamphetamine, a digital scale, and new and used plastic baggies for the packaging of illegal narcotics.

All of the narcotics and paraphernalia were located in the backseat with the passenger of the vehicle, **Jammie Lee Nadeau, DOB/09-19-1986**.

Nadeau was placed under arrest, transported to the Hernando County Detention Center, and charged as follows:

- Trafficking Methamphetamine
- Possession of Methamphetamine with Intent to Sell
- Possession of Fentanyl
- Possession of Paraphernalia

Nadeau's bond is currently set at \$86,000.

Hernando County Crime Stoppers / Anonymous Tips

If you have information on this case, please contact Hernando County Crime Stoppers. You will remain anonymous!

Hernando County Crime Stoppers can be reached by phone at 1-866-990-TIPS (8477) or **TIPS from a cell phone.

You may also submit your tip via the internet at <http://www.hernandocountycrimestoppers.com> .

You will remain anonymous and also be eligible for a reward up to \$5,000 cash!