



## Hernando County Sheriff's Office

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### Media Release

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From: Michael Terry  
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Re: Three Simultaneous Vice & Narcotics Search Warrants in Hernando County  
Nets Seven Arrests – 2024-0018301995

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On 06-21-2024, the Hernando County Sheriff's Office Vice and Narcotics Unit, with assistance from the Citrus County Sheriff's Office SWAT Team, Pasco Sheriff's Office Unmanned Systems Team (Drone Unit), and the HCSO SWAT Team, executed three simultaneous residential search warrants following several months of investigation.

This coordinated effort resulted in multiple arrests and significant seizures of illegal substances and firearms.

Details of the Operations and Arrests:

**Location #1: 8401 Weeping Willow St., Brooksville**

Arrests:

**Robyn De Matteo DOB/12-03-1972**

**Brandon Nelson DOB/05-06-1991**

**Stephen Green DOB/10-09-1982**

Charges:

**Trafficking in Methamphetamine**

**Possession of Fentanyl**

**Possession of Drug Paraphernalia**

**Location #2: 12432 Harrison St., Brooksville**

Arrests:

**Timothy Hunt DOB/01-07-1988**

**Ashley Cheek DOB/06-26-1985**

Charges:

**Possession of Firearm/Ammunition by Convicted Felon (7 firearms seized)**

**Possession of Stolen Firearm (Recovered stolen out of Georgia)**

**Possession of Methamphetamine**

**Possession of Fentanyl**

**Possession of Marijuana**

**Possession of Hashish**

**Possession of Drug Paraphernalia**

**Location #3: 13223 Star Road, Brooksville**

Arrests:

**Gary Sharp DOB/06-13-1978**

**Tasha Williams DOB/06-24-1981**

Charges:

**Possession of Drug Paraphernalia**

The Hernando County Sheriff's Office extends its gratitude to the Citrus County Sheriff's Office and the Pasco Sheriff's Office for their invaluable assistance in this operation. The collaborative efforts of these agencies have contributed significantly to enhancing the safety and security of our community.

Sheriff Al Nienhuis said, "These operations exemplify the importance of inter-agency cooperation in tackling drug-related crimes. We are committed to continuing our efforts to eradicate illegal drug activities in Hernando County."

***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!***