

Drugs found in Fostoria search

A traffic crash investigation led law enforcement officials to search a Fostoria home where drugs were found.

Seneca County Drug Task Force-METRICH Enforcement Unit, along with additional officers from the Fostoria Police Department, conducted a search Tuesday at 800 Woodward Ave., Lot #17, following a traffic crash investigation on Buckley Street.



Agents from the Seneca County Drug Task Force, were requested to assist Fostoria police officers with an investigation that was related to a traffic crash investigation on Buckley Street. According to witnesses, immediately after the crash occurred, a subject was seen removing a package from the wrecked vehicle and fleeing to Lot #17 -- the residence of Leah A. Everly, 26, and Dajon E. Wood, 27.

Upon further investigation, officers/agents obtained a search warrant on the residence from Judge Jay Meyer, Seneca County Common Pleas Court – Juvenile Division.

During the search, officers found marihuana, illicit RX pills, drug paraphernalia, criminal tools and U.S. currency.

Charges are pending on some of the additional suspects inside the residence for trafficking RX pills, possession of criminal tools, possession RX drugs and marihuana upon the conclusion of the drug investigation and lab analysis of the substances involved in the investigation.

"The immediate response of our Fostoria officers and task Force agents were instrumental to the success of this investigation, Chief Keith Loreno, Fostoria Police Department, said. "And I don't want to leave out a thanks the assistance from citizens who witnessed the incident and came forward with their observations. I am not afraid to say that it's going to take all of us together to battle against those who continue to sell their drugs in our city." the chief said.

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