

4 arrested after drug task force raids Fostoria residence

Four people were arrested Thursday after the Seneca County Drug Task Force – METRICH Enforcement Unit executed a search warrant on a Fostoria residence.

The task force, along with additional officers from the Fostoria Police Division, Tiffin Police Department, Ohio National Guard Counter Drug Program, and agents from the Seneca County Emergency Response Team, executed the search warrant at 1101 S. Wood St., Fostoria, according to a press release.

42-year-old Daywayne Chancey was arrested on charges of possession of a controlled substance analog (fentanyl) and possession of criminal tools.

38-year-old Sandra K.S. Mason was arrested on charges of possession of a drug abuse instrument.

61-year-old Calvin Chancey was arrested and charged with permitting drug abuse.

Also located during the search was 41-year-old Lyle B. St. Clair, of Fostoria, who was arrested on an outstanding warrant out of Sandusky County.

All charges are pending the conclusion of the drug investigation and the results of the laboratory analysis of the suspected narcotics discovered inside the residence, according to the release.

Additionally, the Fostoria Fire Division, Fostoria Zoning Office, and Seneca County General Health District assisted in determining and deeming the property a health and safety hazard, condemning it due to its condition, the release states. Furthermore, the Seneca County Humane Society assisted in removing a dog from the property for its care and well-being.

“This property has been problematic for quite some time,” Fostoria Police Chief Gabe Wedge said in the release. “After an extensive, time consuming investigation, we are pleased to be able to address our citizens’ complaints. We are going to continue to take an aggressive approach to identify and pursue these nuisance properties, rental or owned.”

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