Man arrested on suspicion of dealing drugs in Mansfield

A 42-year-old man suspected of dealing drugs was arrested Friday during a search of a Mansfield home, according to the METRICH Enforcement Unit.

Akili Roberts, 42, was booked into the Richland County Jail on suspicion of trafficking in drugs, according to a press release issued by the METRICH Enforcement Unit.

METRICH detectives carried out a search warrant at 264 E. First St. in Mansfield Friday, where they seized what they believe to be heroin and fentanyl, drug paraphernalia, a handgun and $4,761 in cash, according to a press release issued by the METRICH Enforcement Unit.

The release said that the case would be forwarded to the Richland County Prosecutor's Office for review.

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