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Narcotics Search Warrants

Location of Incidents: 1909 W. 5th Place and 473 ½ S. 2nd Avenue - Yuma, AZ

On Wednesday, January 6, 2015, and Friday, January 9, 2015, the Yuma County Sheriff's Narcotics Task Force (NTF) served narcotics search warrants at 1909 W. 5th Place and 473 ½ S. 2nd Avenue for the sale of methamphetamine. NTF Agents began investigating the suspects, Jesus Michael Martinez and Mary Weathersby, after receiving reports that they were involved in street level sales of methamphetamine within Yuma County.

On Wednesday, January 6th, Jesus Michael Martinez was a passenger in a vehicle stopped by Cocopah Police Officers for a civil traffic violation. During the stop, Cocopah Police Officers requested the assistance of a YCSO K-9 Unit to aid with a search of the vehicle and persons. During the search, Martinez was found to be in possession of methamphetamine. A search warrant was later served at Martinez's residence located at 1909 W. 5th Place in Yuma, which resulted in the seizure of narcotic pills, as well as evidence and paraphernalia consistent with the sale of dangerous drugs.



Jesus M. Martinez

Jesus Michael Martinez, 45, of Yuma, was arrested and booked into the Yuma County Detention Center for possession of dangerous drugs for sale, felony dangerous drug possession, and felony narcotic drug possession.

On Friday, January 9th, Mary Weathersby was contacted during a traffic stop made by Yuma County Sheriff's Narcotic Task Force Agents due to an outstanding arrest warrant. A narcotics search warrant was later served at her residence located at 473 ½ S. 2nd Avenue in Yuma, which resulted in the seizure of approximately ½ ounce of methamphetamine, as well as evidence and paraphernalia consistent with the sale of dangerous drugs.



Mary Weathersby

Mary Weathersby, 48, of Yuma, was arrested and booked into the Yuma County Detention Center for possession of dangerous drugs for sale, felony dangerous drug possession, and failure to appear for the charges of shoplifting.

The Yuma County Sheriff's Office would like to remind the public to call (928) 783-4427 to report any suspected drug activity or visit our website at www.yumacountysheriff.org to submit an anonymous tip.

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