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## **Arrest for Cocaine Delivery**

On Tuesday, April 22, 2025, the Dodge County Drug Task Force conducted operations which originated from an ongoing drug investigation and resulted in the arrest of Aaron Montes, age 19 of Waupun. On Tuesday morning, Aaron Montes was stopped for multiple traffic violations and found to be in possession of cocaine. He was arrested for violations of possession of cocaine, operating while under the influence, and operating with a restricted controlled substance. On Tuesday afternoon, investigators conducted a search warrant at an address linked to Aaron Montes in the town of Chester, which resulted in the seizure of additional illicit drugs, drug paraphernalia, and drug-related currency.

Prior to this date, the Dodge County Drug Task Force had conducted multiple operations in which Aaron Montes sold cocaine. The following criminal charges were requested through the Dodge County District Attorney's Office for Aaron Montes.

- Delivery of Cocaine in violation of §961.41(1)(cm) (Multiple Counts)
- Possession with Intent to Deliver Cocaine in violation of §961.41(1m)(cm)
- Maintain a Drug Trafficking Place in violation of §961.42(1)
- Bail Jumping in violation of §946.49(1)(b) (Multiple Counts)
- Possession of Cocaine in violation of §961.41(3g)(c)
- Possession of THC in violation of 961.41(3g)(e)

The Dodge County Drug Task Force is a multi-jurisdictional unit comprised of the Dodge County Sheriff's Office, Beaver Dam Police Department, Waupun Police Department, Mayville Police Department, Horicon Police Department, Juneau Police Department, Theresa Police Department, Hustisford Police Department, and Brownsville Police Department. This arrest highlights the exceptional collaboration and dedication of the investigators assigned to this unit. If you have information regarding illicit drug trafficking occurring in Dodge County and would like to report it, you may contact an investigator with the Dodge County Drug Task Force at 920-386-4047.

As a reminder, all persons are innocent until proven guilty in a court of law.

Questions may be directed to Sheriff Dale J. Schmidt

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