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Arrest made in armed robbery investigation

Adams County, Colo. (April 30, 2020):

The North Metro Drug Task Force (NMTF) report the arrest of two men subsequent to a drug sales investigation.

Members of the NMTF have received continuous intelligence and complaints (over 100) in regard to drug sales at 8881 Grove Street in unincorporated Adams County. Detectives initiated an investigation and obtained a search warrant for the location. On April 30th, 2020 at approximately 6:00 a.m., members of the Adams County SWAT team executed a search warrant at the residence. Upon entry, SWAT team members encountered eight people in the home. A search of the residence revealed a quantity of heroin and over an ounce methamphetamine. The following charges have been submitted for filing by the NMTF for the listed defendants:

Robert Martinez, 47, of Shaw Heights:

- Possession of a Controlled Substance with the Intent to Distribute, a class 2 drug felony
- Possession of a Controlled Substance with the Intent to Distribute, a class 3 drug felony

Robert Cedillo-Martinez, 26, of Shaw Heights:

- Arrest Warrant (Robbery), felony
- Arrest Warrant (Motor Vehicle Theft), felony

The other occupants of the residence were detained and released.

The North Metro Drug Task Force is currently under the command of the Adams County Sheriff's Office. The following agencies have members assigned to the task force: Adams County Sheriff's Office, Westminster Police Department, Thornton Police Department, Commerce City Police Department, Broomfield Police Department, Brighton Police Department, Northglenn Police Department and the Federal Heights Police Department.

The Adams County Sheriff's Office or North Metro Drug Task Force has determined that there is probable cause to make an arrest. The defendant(s) are presumed innocent until convicted in court. The 17th Judicial District (District Attorney) may decline to prosecute or refuse to file charges in this proceeding. Consequently, charges are often reduced, dropped or dismissed.

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