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Two Hardin County residents arrested by Mid-Iowa Drug Task Force

912 ½ Stevens St., in Iowa Falls - Two Hardin County residents were arrested on drug offenses, Friday night, December 7, 2007, after authorities executed two search warrants and recovered drugs and drug evidence.

A search of an apartment at 912 ½ Stevens St., in Iowa Falls, netted several grams of methamphetamine, cocaine, and marijuana, and other drug evidence, resulting in the arrest of one resident of the apartment.

Arrested was:

Aimee Kay Wright, age 22, of 912 ½ Stevens St., Iowa Falls, IA.
Wright was charged with:

Possession with intent to deliver methamphetamine, a Class B Felony.
Possession with intent to deliver cocaine, a Class C Felony
Violation of the Drug Tax stamp, a Class D Felony
Possession of Marijuana, a serious misdemeanor

Wright made an initial appearance in court on 12-8-07, and was released.

Officers then searched a residence located in rural Hardin County, at 28254 Hwy 57, Ackley, IA., and took another suspect into custody.

Arrested on the scene was:

Gorge Monge, alias Arturo Monge age 32, of 28254 Hwy 57 Ackley, IA.
Monge has been charged with:

Two counts of Delivery of methamphetamine, both Class B Felonies
Possession with intent to deliver methamphetamine, a B felony
Possession with intent to deliver cocaine, a C felony
Violations of the Drug Tax stamp, Class D felonies.
Ongoing Criminal Conduct, a Class B felony
Forgery (based on fraudulent documents), a Class D Felony

Monge was being held at the Hardin County Jail on \$3000,000.00 bond.
The search warrant at his residence, netted documents evidence, and over \$3,700.00 in cash.

The arrests were made after a four month investigation into sales and distribution of methamphetamine in the Hardin County area. The Mid-Iowa Drug Task Force received assistance in this case, from the Hardin County Sheriff's Office, the Iowa Falls Police Department, the Ackley Police Department, the Marshalltown Police Department K-9 Unit, and the Iowa National Guard Counterdrug program.

The investigation is continuing and no additional arrests are expected at this time.

Officer making release _____
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