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### Media Release

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From: Michael Terry  
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Re: Brooksville Traffic Stop Leads to Two Drug Arrests – 2024-00161267

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On 05-21-2024, Hernando County Sheriff's Office Vice and Narcotics detectives conducting proactive surveillance in the area of Cortez Boulevard and East Jefferson Street in Brooksville conducted a traffic stop on a driver of a vehicle for failure to maintain a single lane.

During the traffic stop the detectives noted the strong odor of marijuana emanating from within the vehicle. The passenger, **Tameika Shaw DOB/ 11-30-1995**, immediately advised detectives that there were drugs inside the vehicle and turned over a backpack that contained marijuana.

Post Miranda, Shaw and the driver, **Shakendra Brown DOB/09-03-1995**, were both cooperative with the investigation. Shaw advised the drugs in the vehicle belonged to her. She further advised to having just completed a drug sale minutes earlier in the parking lot of a Brooksville motel.

Shaw then advised detectives that in addition to the drugs in the vehicle she also had drugs on her person.

The drugs and paraphernalia collectively found in Shaw's vehicle and on her person are as follows:

- 47.7 grams of Cocaine (Powder)
- 77.2 grams of Cocaine (Rock)
- 44.9 grams of Methamphetamine
- 3.2 grams of Oxycodone
- 1.7 grams of Suboxone strips
- 20.9 grams of THC

- 4 digital scales with Cocaine and Methamphetamine residue
- Numerous plastic baggies and cut straws with residue

During questioning, Brown advised detectives she was driving with a suspended license. Detectives located rock cocaine in the driver's side door handle and concealed on her person.

Shaw and Brown were both arrested at the scene. Shaw was arrested on charges of **Trafficking in Methamphetamine, Trafficking in Cocaine (two counts), Possession of a Controlled Substance (two counts), Possession of Marijuana – More than 20 grams, and Possession of Drug Equipment.**

Shaw was transported to the Hernando County Detention Center where her bond was set at \$163,000.

Brown was arrested on charges of **Possession of Cocaine. Driving while License is Suspended or Revoked, and Possession of Drug Equipment.**

Brown was transported to the Hernando County Detention Center where her bond was set at \$4,000.

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*If you have information on this case, please contact Hernando County Crime Stoppers. You will remain anonymous!*

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*You will remain anonymous and also be eligible for a reward up to \$5,000 cash!*