

Sheriff Joey Lemons

Stokes County Sheriff's Office

On February 23rd 2023 the Stokes County Sheriff's Office Special Investigations Division ended a several months long investigation by conducting two separate narcotic search warrants in the London area of Walnut Cove. The first suspect, Brian Scott Mitchell of Hairston Street, was found to be in possession of approximately two hundred and forty grams of marijuana, three handguns, three rifles and a shotgun. Also located in the residence was multiple drug paraphernalia items and seven hundred dollars in cash. Some of the marijuana that was located was packaged in separate bags and ready to be sold.

The second suspect, James Roy Webster of a neighboring residence on Hairston Street, was found to be in possession of twenty grams of crack cocaine, sixty grams of marijuana, digital scales, baggies and three thousand dollars in cash. The crack cocaine was packaged in small rocks that normally sale for around twenty dollars.

Sheriff Joey Lemons added, "Our deputies and detectives are thankful for the tips that our community members provide to help us get these illegal drugs off of our streets. This particular investigation led to us seizing drugs that were packaged for sale within eyesight of one of our schools. If you suspect someone of selling drugs, please contact our office so that we can do our part to make our county a safer place to live. I also want to send a special thanks to the other agencies who assisted us in this investigation."

The Sheriff's Office was assisted in this investigation by the Madison Police Dept. and the Surry County Sheriff's Office Narcotics Division.

Brian Scott Mitchell is charged with the following:

1. Possession with Intent Sell and Deliver Marijuana
2. Manufacture/Sell/Deliver Controlled Substance Within 1000 Feet of School
3. Felony Maintaining A Drug Dwelling
4. Possession of Marijuana Paraphernalia

Bond: \$25,000.00 Secured

James Roy Webster is charged with the following:

1. Possession with Intent to Manufacture Sell & Deliver Schedule II (Cocaine)
2. Possession with Intent to Sell & Deliver Marijuana
3. Manufacture/Sell/Deliver Controlled Substance Within 1000Feet Of School
4. Felony Maintaining Drug Dwelling
5. Possession of Drug Paraphernalia
6. Possession of Marijuana Paraphernalia

Bond: \$30,000.00 Secured





Brian Mitchell



James Webster