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Philadelphia Drug Suppliers Arrested in Adams County

Adams County District Attorney Brian Sinnett announced today that members of the Pennsylvania State Police and the Adams County Drug Task Force arrested two Philadelphia men who are believed to be large scale drug suppliers to the Adams County area. Michael Anthony Jones, 23, and a 17 year-old male juvenile, both of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, were arrested this morning at 337 Main Street, York Springs, Pennsylvania.

Following numerous anonymous neighbor complaints, the State Police and Adams County Drug Task Force initiated a drug investigation into the Main Street address. As a result of controlled drug buys at the residence, police obtained a search warrant for the address and served it today. Items located during the search include a single bag containing approximately 15 grams of heroin, which if broken down for typical sale, has an estimated street value of \$10,000.00. Police also seized 298 separate bags of heroin with an estimated street value of \$6,000.00 and approximately 18 grams of crack cocaine with an estimated street value of \$1,800.00. Police also seized a significant amount of U.S. currency and other items of drug paraphernalia. Please see the attached photograph of the evidence seized.

Sinnett indicated that Adams County law enforcement continues to conduct drug investigations into the dealers and distributors who are bringing drugs into our community. These substances are having an epidemic-type effect on our citizens in Adams County as well as throughout Pennsylvania and the entire United States. All available resources are being used and will continue to be used to protect and preserve our community from these lethal controlled substances.

Sinnett thanked the Pennsylvania State Police and the Adams County Drug Task Force for their continued excellent efforts in this endeavor. Also, Sinnett specifically thanked members of the community in York Springs for bringing this information to the attention of law enforcement. This is evidence of what we can do as a collaborative effort between members of the community and law enforcement. Sinnett advised that members of the community can provide information to the Adams County Drug Task Force at any time by calling 717-338-9591 or by email at acdtf01@yahoo.com. Tipsters may remain anonymous.



In this case, as with all criminal cases, the accused are presumed innocent until proven guilty.

