



# Webster Police Department

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To: All Media Outlets

From: Deputy Chief Michael Shaw

RE: Arrest in Methamphetamine trafficking

Date: August 17, 2018

On 8/16 at approximately 930 pm, Officer Michael O'Leary was travelling on Gore Road when he observed a license plate with no registration sticker affixed to it. Upon querying the plate, he learned the registration came back revoked due to insurance cancellation. The license plates also were coming back as being reported stolen.

Upon his approaching the operator, he observed a scale, and money stuffed between the driver's seat and center console. After speaking with the driver, who was identified as Randy Murhammer, 36, 84 Depot Road Falmouth MA, Officer O'Leary learned he had no license. He also spoke to the passenger who was later identified as Kevin Wood, 26, 55 Dudley Hill Rd Dudley. Wood had originally given Officer O'Leary a false name.

As officers arrived and investigated further, a small baggie containing a white powder, which Sergeant Thomas Ralph believed to be methamphetamine was located. A police K9 was requested, and Marlboro Police Sergeant Ken McKenzie and his partner Kaiser arrived.

As a result of the K9 search, a container was located an Arizona Iced Tea can with a false bottom, which contained more of what appeared to be methamphetamine. In total 23 grams of were seized. It is believed the value to be around \$1700.

As a result the following persons were charged:

Randy Murhammer  
Conspiracy to Violate the Controlled Substance Law  
Trafficking more than 18 grams of Methamphetamine  
Possession of a Class B Substance with the intent to Distribute  
No registration in Possession  
No License in Possession  
Attaching Plates  
Receiving Stolen Property  
Operating an Uninsured Motor Vehicle  
Unlicensed Operation of a Motor Vehicle

From the shores of  
*Lake Chagoggagoggmanchauggagoggchaubunagungamaugg*

Kevin Wood

Conspiracy to Violate the Controlled Substance Law  
Possession of a Class B Substance (subsequent offense)  
Trafficking more than 18 grams of Methamphetamine  
Furnishing a false name upon arrest

He was also arrested on an outstanding warrant from Dudley District Court

Both were held at the Webster Police Department on \$1040 bail and transported to Dudley District Court for arraignment today.

