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To: All Media Outlets

From: Lieutenant Michael D. Shaw

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RE: Arrest for house break in

On September 19th, at 7:03 am, Webster Police Officers Patrick Perry and John Nedoroscik responded to 17 Batten Street for a report of a male leaving the house with a “wagon” full of property. Officers spoke to the caller and located the male at 37 Batten Street. He was identified as Joshua Wonoski, 25. He admitted to taking what he described as scrap copper. Officer advised him they were going to summons him into court and he should return the copper. 17 Batten Street is an abandoned house, which is currently undergoing renovations.

As officers were clearing, a male flagged them over, stating he had just called the police, realizing 17 Batten Street had just been broken into. The man was a contractor working on the house and reported numerous tools missing. At this time, officers conducted an investigation which included processing 17 Batten Street for evidence and writing a search warrant. Wonoski was subsequently placed under arrest for breaking into the house.

While on scene, a woman with whom Wonoski lived provided officers on scene with an assortment of what appeared to be prescription pills and marijuana packaged for sale. Wonoski was charged with the following:

- Larceny from the building
- Larceny over \$250
- Wanton Destruction of Property over \$250
- Breaking and entering into a building in the nighttime with the intent to commit a felony
- Possession of a Class D Substance with the intent to Distribute
- Possession of a Class C Substance with the intent to Distribute
- Possession of a Class B substance
- Possession of a Class E substance

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