3 Suspects Arrested In Connection With The Sale Of Dangerous and Narcotic Drugs
in the Buckeye Area

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The Maricopa County Drug Suppression Task Force has concluded an investigation that started in May of this year, after 3 men were arrested Friday August 17th. The operation included the seizure of 15 pounds of methamphetamine, fentanyl pills, cocaine, marijuana, cash, a weapon and vehicles.

On August 17th, Abraham Oliveros-Suarez (22), Armando Oliveros-Suarez (25) and Rodrigo Valdez (22) were taken into custody in connection with the sale and possession of the drugs. The suspects in this case met undercover detectives at a location in the City of Buckeye to conduct the drug transaction. Once the suspects met with detectives, they were taken into custody without incident.

Detectives located 15 pounds of methamphetamine, 500 fentanyl pills and a high caliber handgun inside the vehicles the suspects arrived in. The investigation led detectives to a residence in the City of Buckeye that was connected to the suspects and the investigation.

The Buckeye Police SWAT Team executed a search warrant at the residence of 22674 West Pima Street. An additional quantity of pills, methamphetamine, marijuana, cocaine and currency were located inside of the residence.

“Our partnerships with other law enforcement agencies to carry out the goal of public safety is a high priority”, said Sheriff Penzone. “Effective communication between local, state and federal agencies is the foundation for successful police work to target drug operations.”

MCDST appreciated all assistance from their partnering agencies with this investigation. Buckeye PD, USBP BORTAC, DEA Enforcement and the Phoenix PD air support unit were instrumental in this operation. The collaboration led to a safe and successful arrest of three suspects who had been selling a large amount of methamphetamine and pills in and around the City of Buckeye.
All three suspects were booked into the 4th Avenue Jail for Sale of Dangerous Drugs, Sale of Narcotic Drugs, Possession of Weapon in Drug Offense and Conspiracy.