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NEWS RELEASE

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Title: Narcotics Arrest-Westcott & Thomas

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GARFIELD COUNTY, CO. –



Sandra Thomas



Angel Westcott

Garfield County SPEAR (Special Problem Enforcement and Response) Task Force along with the Garfield County Sheriff's Office K9 conducted a traffic stop outside of Glenwood Springs in the early morning of 03-07-24.

Sandra Thomas was arrested for an out of county drug warrant. Angel Westcott was arrested for possession of controlled substance (methamphetamine)

After arrival at the Garfield County Jail, Garfield County Detention Deputies located 113.92 grams of methamphetamine, 18.47 grams of suspected cocaine and 9.66 grams of powdered fentanyl on Sandra Thomas.

Detention Deputies located 89.43 grams of methamphetamine and 15.75 grams of powdered fentanyl on Angel Westcott.

This is the fifth arrest of Angel Westcott in the last two years for drugs and fourth by the SPEAR Task Force.

This is the fourth arrest of Sandra Thomas in the last two years and second by the SPEAR Task Force.

Spear will continue to focus on criminals that cause the most community harm in Garfield County.

SPEAR was assisted by the Garfield County Sheriff's Office, The Drug Enforcement Administration (DEA), Department of Homeland Security Investigations (HSI) and the Garfield County Emergency Communication Authority.

SPEAR is a multi-jurisdictional task force based out of the Garfield County area. Anyone with information on criminal activity is encouraged to call SPEAR at (970) 945-0453 or contact your local law enforcement agency.

All subjects are presumed innocent until proven guilty.

Any questions please contact SPEAR Board Chairman, Sheriff Lou Vallario at (970) 945-0453.

Additional information will be released as it becomes available.

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