

WINNEBAGO COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE NEWS MEDIA RELEASE		NEWS RELEASE NUMBER 2018-071
INFORMATION: NARCOTICS ARREST		
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ON THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 20, 2018, MEMBERS OF THE WINNEBAGO COUNTY SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT NARCOTICS UNIT WERE CONDUCTING A NARCOTICS INVESTIGATION IN THE 2600 BLOCK OF CHARLES STREET. DURING THE COURSE OF THIS INVESTIGATION, THEY LOCATED DRAKE A. STEWART IN THE AREA OF 22ND STREET AND 9TH AVENUE. DEPUTIES LOCATED A LOADED HANDGUN ON STEWART'S PERSON, AND AN AMOUNT OF HEROIN AND CRACK COCAINE IN HIS VEHICLE. THE FOLLOWING INDIVIDUAL WAS ARRESTED AND LODGED IN THE WINNEBAGO COUNTY JAIL:

- ~DRAKE A. STEWART (D.O.B. 12/05/81) OF ROCKFORD.**
- ARMED VIOLENCE**
- UNLAWFUL USE OF WEAPONS BY A FELON**
- POSSESSION WITH INTENT TO DELIVER COCAINE 1-15 GRAMS**
- POSSESSION WITH INTENT TO DELIVER HEROIN 1-15 GRAMS**

THE CHARGES AGAINST DRAKE A. STEWART ARE MERELY ACCUSATIONS AND HE IS PRESUMED INNOCENT UNTIL PROVEN GUILTY IN A COURT OF LAW.

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> : SHERIFF : CHIEF DEPUTY : DEPUTY CHIEF OF DETECTIVE BUREAU : DEPUTY CHIEF OF PATROL BUREAU : DEPUTY CHIEF OF ADMINISTRATIVE BUREAU : DEPUTY CHIEF OF SUPPORT SERVICES : SUPERINTENDENT OF CORRECTIONS : ACCREDITATION MANAGER : MACHESNEY PARK SECTION SUPERVISOR : FOREST PRESERVE SECTION SUPERVISOR : ESDA SECTION DIRECTOR : PATROL ROLL CALL BOOK : PUBLIC INFORMATION OFFICER : 1ST FLOOR BULLETIN BOARD : WEB SITE COORDINATOR <p>S/A-32C REVISED 07/01/12</p>	<p>SHERIFF GARY CARUANA</p> <hr/> <p style="text-align: center;">SUPERVISOR AUTHORIZING RELEASE</p> <p>DATE: 9/21/18 TIME: 1030 HOURS</p>
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