

WINNEBAGO COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE NEWS MEDIA RELEASE		NEWS RELEASE NUMBER 2019-055
INFORMATION: NARCOTICS INVESTIGATION		
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FOR THE PAST SEVERAL WEEKS, THE WINNEBAGO COUNTY SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT NARCOTICS UNIT HAS BEEN RECEIVING COMPLAINTS FROM CONCERNED CITIZENS REGARDING THE SALES OF NARCOTICS IN THE 1200 BLOCK OF CROSBY STREET. A RESIDENCE WAS ABLE TO BE IDENTIFIED AS THE SOURCE OF NARCOTICS SALES AND, ON WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 23, 2019, AT APPROXIMATELY 9:00 A.M., A SEARCH WARRANT WAS EXECUTED AT THE RESIDENCE IN THE 1200 BLOCK OF CROSBY STREET IN ROCKFORD, ILLINOIS. DEPUTIES ENCOUNTERED A HEAVILY FORTIFIED RESIDENCE UPON ARRIVAL. UPON ENTRY, THE SUBJECT, JOB M. BROOKS, FOUGHT WITH DEPUTIES AS THEY ATTEMPTED TO TAKE HIM INTO CUSTODY. DURING THE EXECUTION OF THE SEARCH WARRANT, DEPUTIES LOCATED CRACK COCAINE, HEROIN AND A HANDGUN. THE HANDGUN WAS FOUND TO BE STOLEN OUT OF WINNEBAGO COUNTY. DEPUTIES ALSO LOCATED EVIDENCE THAT THE RESIDENCE WAS BEING USED FOR THE PROMOTION OF PROSTITUTION. THE WINNEBAGO COUNTY STATES ATTORNEY'S OFFICE REVIEWED THE FACTS OF THE CASE AND AUTHORIZED THE FOLLOWING CHARGES AGAINST THE RESIDENT, JOB M. BROOKS:

~JOB M. BROOKS (10/19/62) OF ROCKFORD.

- TRAFFICKING IN PERSONS FOR FORCED LABOR OR SERVICES
- PROMOTING PROSTITUTION
- POSSESSION OF A STOLEN FIREARM
- POSSESSION WITH INTENT TO DELIVER COCAINE 1-15 GRAMS
- POSSESSION WITH INTENT TO DELIVER HEROIN LESS THAN 1 GRAM
- CRIMINAL FORTIFICATION OF A RESIDENCE
- RESISTING A PEACE OFFICER
- POSSESSION OF FIREARM WITHOUT REQUISITE FIREARM OWNER'S ID CARD

THE CHARGES AGAINST JOB M. BROOKS 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>SUPERVISOR AUTHORIZING RELEASE</p> <p>DATE: 10/24/19 TIME: 0820 HOURS</p>
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