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# **MEDIA RELEASE**

## **Narcotics Search Warrant Served in Milton**

## For Immediate Release

Date: November 9, 2022

Case #s: SO2142842, SO2146203, SO2232872, SO2236408,

SO2246595, SO2255827, SO2255878

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On November 9, 2022, at approximately 6:00 a.m., the Rock County Sheriff's Office SWAT Team executed a search warrant secured by the Rock County Sheriff's Office Special Investigations Unit (SIU) at 414 Elm Street, Milton, WI 53563. This search warrant resulted in the arrests of the following individuals for the listed charges.



Andre M. Flowers



Christine M. Kettle



Katie L. Brown



Kristy L. Taylor

# Andre M. Flowers 22 years of age of Dolton, IL

- 1 Count Possession With Intent To Deliver Fentanyl While Armed, Second and Subsequent Offenses, Near Certain Places
- 1 Count Possession With Intent To Manufacture or Deliver Cocaine While Armed, Second and Subsequent Offenses, Near Certain Places
- 1 Count Possession of Drug Paraphernalia While Armed, Near Certain Places
- 1 Count Felony Bail Jumping
- 1 Count Possession of Prescription Drugs for Personal Use While Armed

### Christine M. Kettle

49 years of age of Milton, WI

- 3 Counts Maintain Drug Trafficking Place Near Certain Places
- 1 Count Child Neglect
- 2 Counts Misdemeanor Bail Jumping
- 1 Count Possession of Drug Paraphernalia Near Certain Places
- 1 Count Possession of THC Second or Subsequent Drug Offenses, Near Certain Places

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#### Katie L. Brown

28 years of age of Milton, WI

- 1 Count Possession of Drug Paraphernalia Near Certain Places
- 1 Count Possession of THC Near Certain Places
- 1 Count Possession of Cocaine Near Certain Places

#### Kristy L. Taylor

32 years of age of Janesville, WI

1 Count – Second Degree Recklessly Endangering Safety – PTAC

Flowers, Kettle, and Taylor are in custody at the Rock County Jail awaiting court appearances on November 10, 2022, at 3:00 p.m. Brown was booked and released with a future court appearance.

This operation also resulted in additional charges for the following individual, who was already in custody at the Rock County Jail on the specified charges.



**Deonte X. Flowers** 26 years of age of Beloit, WI

## **Previous Charges**

- 1 Count Possession With Intent To Deliver Heroin/Fentanyl Greater Than 50 Grams While Armed, Near Certain Places
- 1 Count Maintaining Drug Trafficking Vehicle While Armed
- 1 Count Received Stolen Property Firearm
- 1 Count Possession of THC While Armed

#### Fresh Charges

- 1 Count Manufacture, Distribution, or Delivery of Fentanyl Second and Subsequent Offenses, Near Certain Places
- 1 Count Manufacture, Distribution, or Delivery of Fentanyl PTAC Second and Subsequent Offenses, Near Certain Places
- 7 Counts Misdemeanor Bail Jumping
- D. Flowers will also have a court appearance on November 10, 2022.

The Milton Police Department contributed to this successful operation.

Pursuant to the directive of the Wisconsin Supreme Court, as found in Supreme Court Rule 20:3.6, <u>Trial Publicity</u>, you are advised that a charge is merely an accusation and that a defendant is presumed innocent until and unless proven guilty.

TROY J. KNUDSON SHERIFF

By: Sergeant Matthew Jacobson Special Investigations Unit