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PRESS RELEASE

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On Tuesday morning, April 19, members of the Delaware County Sheriff's Office Criminal Investigation Division arrested two Village of Deposit residents on felony drug possession charges following the execution of a search warrant at their Marvin Street apartment.

The Sheriff's Office Criminal Investigation Division obtained a search warrant from the Delaware County Court following their investigation of recent heroin trafficking at the Marvin Street Apartments.

A search of the apartment by Sheriff's Deputies, Investigators and K-9 "Ozzie" on Tuesday morning led to the seizure of 205 bags of heroin, a number of Alprazolam (*Xanax*) tablets and \$200 U. S. Currency.

Sheriff's Investigators subsequently arrested and charged each of the tenants of the apartment, 45 year old John J. Coe and 44 year old Debbie L. Moore, formerly of New Port Richey, Fl., with the class B felony offense of Criminal Possession of a Controlled Substance in the Third Degree (*Heroin - possession with intent to sell*) and one class D felony charge of Criminal Possession of a Controlled Substance in the Fifth Degree (*Alprazolam - possession with intent to sell*).

John J. Coe is expected to face additional felony charges at a later time relating to the sale of heroin on previous occasions.

In addition to the seized narcotics and currency, Coe was found to be in possession of a New York State Public Assistance Benefit Card.



COE, John J.



MOORE, Debbie L.

Coe and Moore were arraigned before Judge Arthur Edel in the Town of Colchester Court on Tuesday afternoon and were remanded to the Delaware County Correctional Facility in lieu of \$100,000 cash bail pending further court action.

Sheriff's Deputies and Investigators were assisted at the apartment Tuesday morning by the Village of Deposit Police Department.

Undersheriff Craig DuMond remarked, "The Delaware County Sheriff's Office is steadfast in our determination to eliminate these dealers from our communities. We continue to encourage the public to utilize our anonymous TIP line (1-888-914-9111) to report criminal activity. Citizens serve as our partners in making our communities a better place for all who live, work, or visit Delaware County".