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Narcotics Search Warrant

Location of Incident: 1500 Block of W. 9th Street – Yuma, AZ

On Friday, November 1, 2024, at approximately 10:17 AM, the Yuma County Narcotics Task Force (YCNTF) – which is a multi-agency task force comprised of officers and agents from the Yuma County Sheriff's Office, Homeland Security Investigations (HSI) and Border Patrol – along with additional YCSO Deputies and HSI Agents, served a narcotics search warrant in the 1500 Block of W. 9th Street in Yuma, AZ.

With the assistance of YCSO K-9 "Aisha", the search of the residence and the property led to the discovery of approximately 1,566 counterfeit M30 pills containing Fentanyl with an estimated street value of \$4,698.00, 26.2 grams of powder also containing Fentanyl with an estimated street value of \$1,310.00, 82.5 grams of Methamphetamine with an estimated street value of \$1,650.00, and 10.5 grams of Cocaine with an estimated street value of \$525.00. Also seized were 42 narcotic pills, a firearm, and multiple items of paraphernalia indicative of street sales.

The suspect of the search warrant, **Jesus Gurrola Loya Jr.**, 44, of Yuma, AZ, was arrested and booked into the Yuma County Detention Center for 2 counts of Possession of Dangerous Drugs for Sales, 2 counts of Possession of Dangerous Drugs, 4 counts of Narcotic Drug Violations, 3 counts of Possession of a Narcotic for Sales, Possession of a Weapon in a Drug offense, Possession of a Weapon by a Prohibited Possessor and Possession of Drug Paraphernalia.

The Yuma County Sheriff's Office would like to remind the public to call (928) 783-4427 to report any suspected drug activity or visit our website at www.yumacountysheriff.org to submit an anonymous tip.

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