



MIDDLETOWN POLICE NARCOTICS ARRESTS



Justin Henderson



Roan Brown

On November 11, 2022 the Middletown Police Department’s Street Crime Narcotics Unit along with members of the Major Investigations Unit and Patrol Division served a search and seizure warrant at 44 Grand Street (Amari’s Store). The search and seizure warrant was obtained as the result of a lengthy investigation after complaints of illegal drug sales from the store.

Detectives located several items inside the store indicative of illegal drugs sales including scales, packaging equipment and supplies, substances that are commonly used as cutting agents in the sales of narcotics, individually packaged amounts of marijuana, vape pens containing THC, approximately 15.7 total ounces of marijuana product, 983.5 grams of cocaine, and a handgun.

Henderson (age 40) was working in the store at the time of the search warrant and was placed under arrest. Brown (age 38) was determined to be the owner of the business and he was arrested by warrant on December 1, 2022. Both of Henderson and Brown are convicted felons.

Both were charged with the following: Possession of Narcotics, Possession of more than 8oz of marijuana, Possession with intent to sell over 1/2oz of cocaine, Possession with intent to sell, Operating a drug factory, Criminal possession of ammunition, Criminal possession of a firearm, and Possession of drug paraphernalia.

Brown is being held on a \$500,000 bond and Henderson is being held on a \$100,000 bond.

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