

# DANE COUNTY NARCOTICS TASK FORCE

## 2020 SUMMARY

The Dane County Narcotics Task Force (DCNTF) is comprised of women and men from the City of Madison Police Department, Dane County Sheriff's Office, and the UW-Madison Police Department. Additionally, all Law Enforcement agencies in Dane County have the authority to send personnel to work with the DCNTF on shorter assignments as their own staffing allows. The mission of the DCNTF is to disrupt and dismantle drug trafficking organizations within the Dane County area. The DCNTF also collaborates with local, state, and federal law enforcement agencies in an effort to combat larger drug trafficking organizations.

In 2020, the priorities of this unit continued to focus on disrupting the supply of opioids within Dane County along with gun violence. On a daily basis, law enforcement and EMS continue to respond to overdose calls. Within the county we continue to see on average at least one death per week due to an opioid overdose. Additionally, gun violence continues to impact our community and is tied very closely to drug distribution networks. We work jointly with area law enforcement to focus on drug related gun violence. In 2020, this unit seized 38 firearms and issued 30 firearms related charges. Lastly, an emerging trend in Dane County is the increase in methamphetamine (Meth) trafficking. In 2020, we observed over a tenfold increase in 'meth' seizures from the previous year.

When viewing the drug seizure statistics below, the measurements are often difficult to put into context for the average person. Consider that an individual who ingests a substance such as heroin may consume a quantity as small as .2 grams. Thus when you see that the DCNTF seized in excess of 400 grams of heroin that means there were as many as 2000 fewer times that people could ingest and potentially overdose and die from heroin use.

While enforcement is the primary mission of the DCNTF, the unit is also responsive to Community and Media requests for information pertaining to local drug enforcement and drug education. The DCNTF is also an active participant in the "Stop the Opioid Epidemic" steering committee, which is comprised of a wide range of non-law enforcement community stakeholders that are working collectively to curb the opioid crisis. In recent years, this organization has been responsible for initiatives including: 'Med Drop' locations/collections, Naloxone dispersal, and arrest diversion programs such as the Madison Area Addiction Recovery Initiative (MAARI).

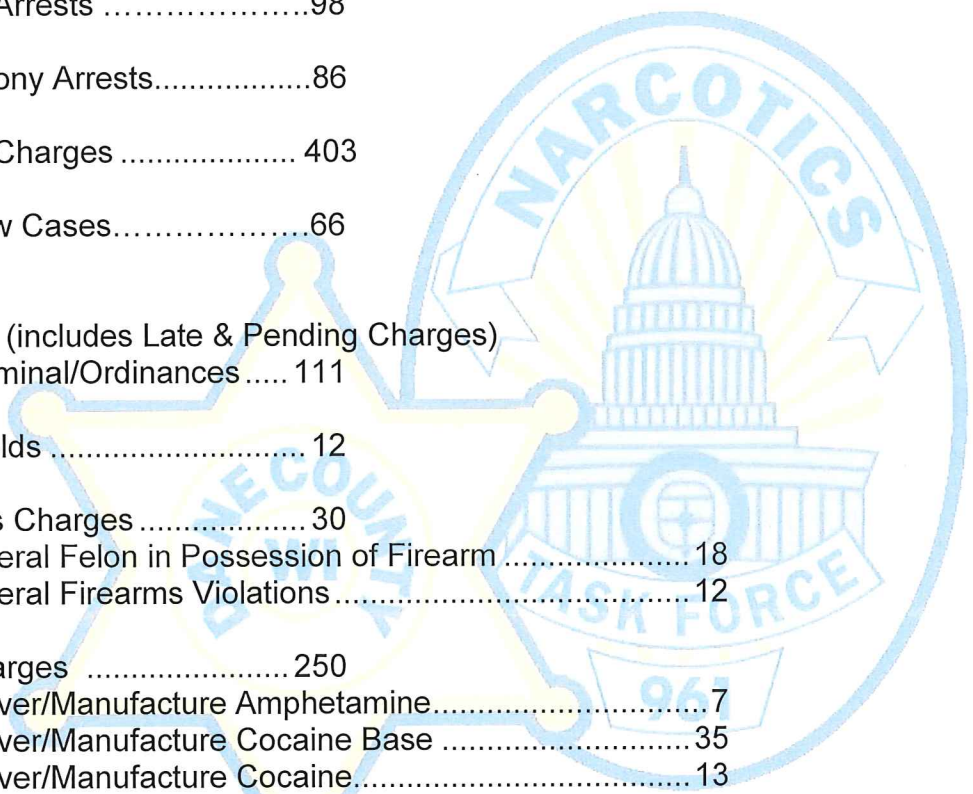
While enforcement is a critical component of combating illegal drugs and the correlating criminal activity, we recognize that this is only one part of the community effort that is necessary to reduce drug trafficking and drug dependency. We will continue to partner

with those both inside and outside of Law Enforcement as we combat this public health and public safety issue.

The important work of the DCNTF is driven in large part by the Drug tips and community complaints we receive from the public. Tips can be sent anonymously to Madison Area Crime Stoppers by calling 608-266-6014, or by visiting P3TIPS.COM

The following pages highlight the actions of the DCNTF in 2020.

Total All Arrests .....	98
Total Felony Arrests.....	86
Total All Charges .....	403
Total New Cases.....	66
<b>Charges</b> (includes Late & Pending Charges)	
Misc. Criminal/Ordinances .....	111
P & P Holds .....	12
Weapons Charges .....	30
Federal Felon in Possession of Firearm .....	18
Federal Firearms Violations .....	12
Drug Charges .....	250
Deliver/Manufacture Amphetamine.....	7
Deliver/Manufacture Cocaine Base .....	35
Deliver/Manufacture Cocaine.....	13
Deliver/Manufacture Heroin .....	39
Deliver/Manufacture MDMA.....	2
Deliver/Manufacture Methamphetamine .....	20
Deliver/Manufacture Marijuana .....	2
Deliver/Manufacture Psilocin .....	1
Deliver/Manufacture Schedule I, II Narcotic.....	2
Deliver/Manufacture Schedule IV, V Drugs.....	1
Maintain Dwelling.....	20
Possess Cocaine Base .....	3
Possess Cocaine .....	5
Possess Designer Drugs .....	1
Possess Heroin.....	4



Possess LSD .....	1
Possess MDMA .....	2
Possess Methamphetamine.....	1
Possess Marijuana .....	7
Possess Paraphernalia.....	7
Possess Psilocin.....	2
Possess Schedule I, II Narcotics .....	2
Possess With Intent Amphetamine.....	2
Possess With Intent Cocaine.....	15
Possess With Intent Cocaine Base.....	14
Possess With Intent Heroin.....	4
Possess With Intent MDMA .....	3
Possess With Intent Methamphetamine .....	9
Possess With Intent Marijuana .....	19
Possess With Intent Oxycodone/Oxycontin .....	1
Possess With Intent Schedule I,II,III Drugs.....	5
Miscellaneous .....	1

**Items Purchased & Seized**

**Value**

30 tablets Acetaminophen/Hydrocodone .....	\$300.00
34 tablets Alprazolam .....	\$255.00
64 tablets Amphetamines .....	\$710.00
1924.4 grams Anabolic Steroids .....	\$500.00
426.1 grams Cocaine Base.....	\$43,945.00
1748.38 grams Cocaine.....	\$91,289.00
2 oz Codeine.....	\$100.00
91 tablets Etizolam .....	\$910.00
140.1 grams Etizolam .....	\$200.00
9.5 grams Fentanyl .....	\$1000.00
429.17 grams Heroin .....	\$37,180.00
188 hits LSD .....	\$1,880.00
2 grams LSD.....	\$100.00
13,785.95 grams Marijuana .....	\$121,674.00
10 each Synthetic Marijuana.....	\$100.00
34.9 grams MDMA/Ecstasy .....	\$3,560.00
9 tablets MDMA/Ecstasy.....	\$230.00
3105.1 grams Methamphetamine .....	\$104,265.00
5 tablets Morphine .....	\$200.00
163 tablets Miscellaneous / Other .....	\$2,810.00
115.4 grams Miscellaneous / Other .....	\$380.00
2 grams Oxycodone.....	\$40.00
65 tablets Oxycodone .....	\$2,180.00
149 each Psilocybin Mushrooms .....	\$500.00
34.8 grams Psilocybin Mushrooms .....	\$410.00

111 each THC Cartridges ..... \$3,320.01  
 1 gram THC Cartridges..... \$30.00  
 114.8 grams THC Edibles..... \$500.00  
 26 ml THC Oil ..... \$1,300.00  
 67 each THC Wax ..... \$1,340.00  
 2315.3 THC Wax ..... \$46,410.00  
 117.5 lbs THC Wax..... \$10,000.00

*Total Drugs* ..... \$477,618.01

Cash ..... \$324,281.81  
 38 Weapons ..... \$19,000.00

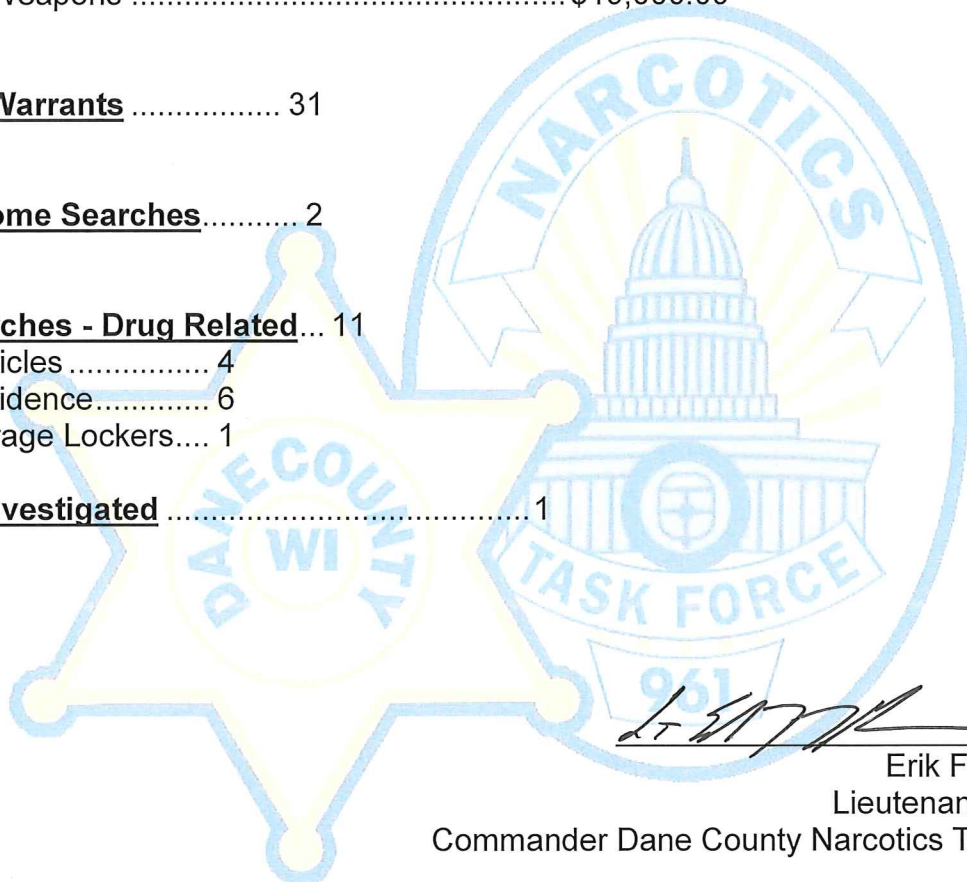
**Search Warrants** ..... 31

**P & P Home Searches** ..... 2

**K-9 Searches - Drug Related** ... 11

Vehicles ..... 4  
 Residence..... 6  
 Storage Lockers.... 1

**DTO's Investigated** ..... 1



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