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Donald A. Cripps, III, 46 of East Greenbush was arrested on Sherwood Avenue during a traffic investigation, when he was found to be driving an unregistered vehicle with a suspended driver license. He was also charged by Detective Michael Guadagnino with Possession of Controlled Substances for having a quantity of xanax and hydrocodone. Xanax is a strong tranquilizer and Hydrocodone is an opium-narcotic sedative. Both are popular drugs of abuse which can cause an altered state of mind, poor perception and judgement, violence and other anti-social consequences.

In other cases;

Robin F. Allen, 45 of Nassau was stopped on Columbia Turnpike near Hampton Manor for a traffic infraction by Officer Warren Kretzschmar. During the interview, the officer noticed a glass paraphernalia pipe in Allen's sweatshirt pocket which contained traces of crack cocaine. Further investigation by Detective Michael Guadagnino recovered over a gram of crack cocaine, Xanax, heroin and hypodermic syringes. She was charged with multiple counts of Criminal Possession of Controlled Substances, Possession Hypodermic Instrument, among others. She was held at police headquarters until being turned over to Columbia County Sheriff's who held a warrant for her arrest.

While on patrol in Clinton Heights, Officer Peter Partak stopped Michelle T. Rapp, 43, of Castleton, for speeding. While awaiting for the motorist to locate a license and registration, a glass paraphernalia pipe fell into view. Subsequently, two baggies containing heroin were located as well as cocaine residue. She was charged with Criminal Possession Controlled Substances and speeding.

All cases will be heard in Town Court. Refer to source above for additional information.



Donald A. Cripps



Robin F. Allen



Michelle T. Rapp