

NASHUA POLICE DEPARTMENT **PRESS RELEASE**

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On January 3rd, 2017, members of the Nashua Police Department's Traffic Enforcement Unit conducted an investigation at Motel 6, 77 Spit Brook Road, Nashua, New Hampshire 03060. Officers learned that a current guest of the motel: Andrea McHugh, age 32, 100 West Street, Georgetown, Massachusetts, had an outstanding warrant issued for her arrest as a result of a theft investigation by the Pelham, New Hampshire Police Department.

Officers subsequently conducted a stop on a motor vehicle identified as being associated with the wanted individual. Andrea was located within this motor vehicle and taken into custody on the outstanding arrest warrant. Additionally, two other occupants of the motor vehicle were placed under arrest on drug-related offenses. These subjects were identified as: Anthony Santiago, age 24, 243 South Broadway Street, Lawrence, Massachusetts, and: Kayla Bausha, age 21, 14 Cookman Avenue, Old Orchard Beach, Maine.

Anthony Santiago was formally charged with one (1) count of: Possession of Controlled Drug with the Intent to Distribute; Heroin – Class A Felony and one (1) count of Possession of Controlled Drug; Marijuana, Class A Misdemeanor. Santiago was arraigned on January 4, 2017 and bail was set for \$50,000.00 cash only. Santiago is scheduled for a probable cause hearing on January 12,2017.

Kayla Bausha was formally charged with one (1) count of: Possession of Controlled Drug; Heroin – Class B Felony and one (1) count of: Driving after Revocation/Suspension – Violation. Kayla was arraigned on January 4, 2017 and is currently being held on \$10,000.00 Cash bail. Her next court date is set for January 11, 2017 which is a probable cause hearing.

While continuing the criminal investigation, officers located two (2) illicit narcotic drugs within Andrea's possession, along with a large sum of United States currency. This sum of currency, \$14,940.00, was seized pending further investigation. As a result of the investigation, it was learned that the \$14,940.00 seized was recently taken during a residential burglary in Burlington, Massachusetts. This investigation is ongoing.

Upon completion of the initial investigation, Andrea McHugh was formally charged with the outstanding arrest warrant, one (1) count of: Possession of Controlled Drug; Heroin - Class B Felony, one (1) count of: Possession of Controlled Drug; Crack Cocaine – Class B Felony, and one (1) count of: Receiving Stolen Property - Class A Felony. Andrea was arraigned on January 4, 2017 and bail was set for \$50,000.00 cash only. Her next court date is scheduled for January 12, 2017 which will be a probable cause hearing.

The Nashua Police Department's Traffic Enforcement Unit is working in conjunction with the Burlington, Massachusetts Police Department, with additional charges possible.



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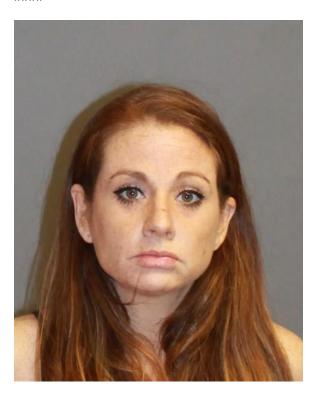
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Citizens urged to call the Narcotics Hotline at 594-3597 or utilize the Nashua Police Department's website www.NashuaPD.com with any information concerning illegal drug activity. If you have any questions please contact Narcotics Intelligence Division Detective Lieutenant Kevin Rourke at 603-594-3591 or Detective Sergeant Brian Kenney at 603-589-1639.

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Andrea McHugh



Anthony Santiago



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