

## SANTA CRUZ POLICE DEPARTMENT 155 Center Street, Santa Cruz, CA 95060

## **MEDIA RELEASE**



<u>DATE/TIME</u>: March 23, 2017 <u>LOCATION</u>: 2300 Block of Portola Dr. Santa Cruz

TOPIC: Search Warrant - Drugs & Firearm Seized CASE NUMBER: 17S-02193

## **INFORMATION:**

Today, March 23rd, 2017, at about 4:25 am, officers with the Santa Cruz Police Department's Neighborhood Enforcement Team (NET) and the Santa Cruz County Gang Task Force (GTF) served a search warrant at an apartment in the 2300 block of Portola Drive. The search warrant stemmed from a narcotic investigation that was conducted by SCPD NET. The SCPD NET team investigated reported drug sales that occurred in the city of Santa Cruz.

Officers located over a pound and a half of methamphetamine in the apartment. Officers also recovered a Glock handgun with several high capacity magazines during the search.

Officers have left the scene but are still processing evidence and following up on the investigation. SCPD detained two individuals. At this time their names withheld while officers process evidence to determine their involvement in the case.

Attached photograph of the methamphetamine and firearm seized.

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Photo Drugs and Firearm Seized