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MEDIA RELEASE

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Release #1:

On Friday, February 27, 2009 at approximately 2:29 a.m. an officer of the Garden City Police Department conducted a traffic stop in the 200 block of Wesley Street on a white GMC pickup for failing to stop at a stop sign.

During the course of the traffic stop, a Finney County Sheriff's Department K-9 conducted a sniff on the outside of the vehicle. As a result of the K-9 search, officers searched the interior of the vehicle. During a search of the interior of the vehicle, officers located numerous items of suspected drug paraphernalia used for the ingestion and distribution of illegal drugs, \$441.00 and 454.85 grams of suspected marijuana.

The driver of the vehicle, Clay McElroy (32-years-old, of 2930 El Dorado Place, Garden City, KS) was arrested and lodged in the Finney County Jail on allegations of possession of marijuana with intent to distribute, felony possession of marijuana and possession of drug paraphernalia. The passenger in the vehicle, Serena Ontiveros (26-years-old, of 3501 Campus Drive Apartment B101, Garden City, KS) was arrested and lodged in the Finney County Jail on allegations of possession of marijuana with intent to distribute, misdemeanor possession of marijuana and possession of drug paraphernalia.

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