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THREE ARRESTED FOR PROSTITUTION IN BEDFORD COUNTY

Bedford, VA – On August 13, 2010, the Bedford County Sheriff's Office arrested three females at an area motel in the county, for prostitution.

After receiving a number of complaints from visitors staying at local motels and reports from citizens throughout the county, the Sheriff's Office Vice Unit conducted an undercover operation that included surveillance and a coordinated effort with Campbell County Sheriff's Office and Roanoke City Police Department.

These operations lead to the arrest of three people who were charged with VA Code 18.2-346, *Prostitution, adultery or fornication for money*.

Arrested:

Amber M. Eckert
4075 Rocky Ford Road
Bedford, VA
Age: 19 yrs

Andria N. Brown
3623 Parkwood Drive
Roanoke, VA
Age: 27 yrs

Diana Helms
1901 Yeager Ave
Roanoke, VA
Age: 48 yrs



The investigation continues with additional arrests expected.

Sheriff Mike Brown stated; *"Don't do drugs, and don't try to sell sex in Bedford County...our vice unit is one of the most active and effective units in the commonwealth!"*

Citizens are urged to report suspicious behavior or knowledge of crimes occurring in Bedford County. Please contact 540-586-7827, 24/7 with information.

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