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Vehicle Pursuit Ends in Three Facing Drug Charges

Around 8:30 p.m., Friday, Wheeling Police officers attempted a traffic stop at 16th and Wood Streets in East Wheeling. The driver of that car did not stop and continued to drive at a high rate of speed down 16th Street onto the 1700 block of Market Street and into Center Wheeling.

The driver eventually stopped, and two people were taken into police custody in the 22nd Street area near the walking trail. A large amount of narcotics was discovered in the car and along the pursuit path.

No one was injured during the incident. This case is still under investigation by Wheeling PD and the Ohio Valley Drug Task Force. Additional charges are possible.

Arrested were:

Keith Antonio Williams, 29 of Aiken, South Carolina, Possession with Intent to Deliver
Larry Thomas, 19 of Aiken, South Carolina, Possession with Intent to Deliver and Fleeing
Kenneth Francis Woodson, 32 of Columbus, Ohio, Possession with Intent to Deliver and Possession with Intent to Deliver over state lines

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