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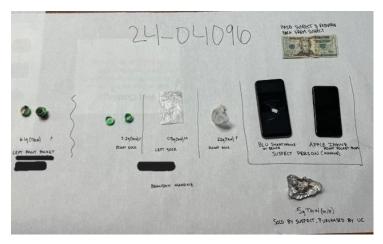
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Yesterday, May 29, 2024 our Fentanyl Crisis Response Team conducted an operation which led to the arrest of a drug dealer on the 100 Blk of Coral Street.

One of our undercover detectives successfully bought fentanyl from 39-year-old Brandon Mahone. Mahone was arrested for narcotics sales and a probation hold was placed on him.

Over the past several months, the FCRT has seized over 500 grams of fentanyl. We are working directly with local and federal prosecutors to hold the individuals dealing this poison to our community accountable.



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