

## Auburn Police Department



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## MOTOR VEHICLE STOP LEADS TO DRUG ARREST

On August 25<sup>th</sup> at approximately 6:15pm, Officer Johnson observed a motor vehicle violation which lead to a traffic stop in Lewiston. As Officer Johnson stopped the vehicle, a male passenger bolted from the car and led Officer Johnson on a foot pursuit towards the Lincoln St Canal.

Officer Johnson saw the suspect throw a bag in the canal and he then caught up with the suspect and detained him. With the assistance of Lewiston Police Department and Lewiston Fire Department, officers were able to recover the bag from the river without incident.

The bag contained three ounces of crack cocaine and sixteen grams of heroin. The total street value of the drugs seized is approximately \$7,300.

30y/o Terrance Haskins (DOB 10/08/83) of Lewiston was arrested and charged with two counts of Aggravated Trafficking of Scheduled Drugs, Refusal to Submit to Arrest or Detention and Violating Conditions of Release. Haskins is currently being held without bail at the Androscoggin County Jail.

