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MAN ARRESTED FOR DRUG VIOLATIONS

New Bern Police arrested a man for drug violations at 516 Rountree St., late Thursday night.

William Rodger SWAIN, Jr., 04/28/1984, of 608 Watson Ave., was arrested after New Bern Police assisted in a probation search of the home. Officers seized crack cocaine and drug paraphernalia inside the residence.

SWAIN was arrested and charged with Possession with Intent to Sell and Deliver Cocaine, Maintaining a Dwelling for Keeping and Selling Controlled Substances, and Possession of Drug Paraphernalia. He was placed in the Craven County jail under a \$75,000 bond for the drug charges.

SWAIN received an additional \$100,000 bond for probation violation.

The New Bern Police Department is committed to Community Policing. Citizens are encouraged to become a **“Partner in Policing,”** by reporting suspected illegal activity to the New Bern Police Department’s **TIPS** line at **(252) 636-5034** or the Craven County Crime Stoppers line at 633-5141.

For additional information, please contact Beth Stevenson, Public Information Officer at the New Bern Police Department at (252) 672-4211.

Frank Palombo, Chief of Police

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