



## St. Charles Parish Sheriff's Office

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## News Release

*James Grimaldi*

*Public Information Officer*

*December 2, 2020*

*Drug Arrest*

Anyone with information regarding this incident(s) is asked to call Crime stoppers at 1-877-903-STOP. Citizens do not have to give their name nor testify and could receive up to \$2,500.

<b>ARRESTEE:</b>	Barrient, Anthony Joseph, 26, Male- 329 Norco Street Norco, LA
<b>LOCATION:</b>	Airline Highway in Destrehan, LA
<b>DATE:</b>	December 1, 2020
<b>ITEM NO.:</b>	2006167
<b>CHGS: No Insurance, Possession of Drug Paraphernalia, Expired or Cancelled License Plate, Speeding, Resisting an Officer, Possession with the Intent to Distribute Methamphetamine, Simple Escape, Attempted Simple Escape</b>	
Sheriff Greg Champagne reports Barrient was stopped for a traffic violation. During the stop, Barrient was found to be in possession of a large quantity of methamphetamine and drug paraphernalia. Barrient was placed under arrest.	
Prior to being transported to the Correctional Center, Barrient fled from deputies. Barrient was apprehended a short time later. Barrient was then transported to a local area hospital for a medical evaluation. Barrient made a second attempt to escape while at the hospital. Barrient was transported to the Correctional Center where he was booked accordingly.	