



## NEWS RELEASE

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## **APPREHENDED**

### **OPERATION ALPHA & OMEGA NETS GANG MEMBER IN CLAYTON, NM**

ALBUQUERQUE – A man wanted on multiple charges was apprehended today by the Union County Sheriff's Office in Clayton after being featured as one of New Mexico's Most Wanted on KOAT 7.

Shawn Robert Montoya was wanted for probation violation on underlining charges of trafficking a controlled substance (possession with intent to distribute) (narcotics / methamphetamine).

Shortly after the broadcast the sheriff's office began to receive information as to Montoya's whereabouts. The sheriff's office then contacted the U.S. Marshals Service in Albuquerque to ensure a positive identification of Montoya.

Montoya is currently pending extradition to Bernalillo County.

The U.S. Marshals Service would like to thank the public for assisting law enforcement's efforts in making New Mexico a safer place to live, work, and play.

***Please contact the United States Marshals Service for the District of New Mexico if further information is need.***

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