



Town of Wallkill Police Department

MEDIA RELEASE

For Immediate Release
May 7, 2020

Incident: Arrest – Criminal Possession of Controlled Substance
Location: 30 Tower Drive, Town of Wallkill, NY
Date/Time: May 6, 2020 / 12:37 am

On Wednesday, May 6, 2020 at 12:37 am, Town of Wallkill Police Officer Daniel Traum-Steinberg stopped a vehicle after he observed the operator commit a traffic infraction on Tower Drive. After a brief investigation, a search of the vehicle led to the recovery of six grams of Psilocybin Mushrooms. The defendant, Bryan Emilio Santana, 19 year old, male, Chester resident, was arrested and charged with Criminal Possession of Controlled Substance Fourth Degree and a Vehicle and Traffic Law infraction.

The defendant was released with an appearance ticket to appear before Judge Peter Green, at the Town of Wallkill Court on May 20, 2020 at 9:00am.

A criminal charge is merely an allegation by the police that a defendant has committed a violation of the criminal law, and it is not evidence of guilt. All defendants are presumed innocent and entitled to a fair trial, during which it will be the State of New York's burden to prove guilt beyond a reasonable doubt.

Robert McLymore
Lieutenant

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