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### **Multiple Arrests Made in Contraband and Fraud Investigation Involving the Fulton County Jail**

**ATLANTA, GA** – Two ongoing and related criminal investigations by the Fulton County Sheriff's Office Jail Investigations Unit (JIU) have resulted in multiple arrests during an early morning operation on August 23, 2024. Markeisha Clark was arrested by JIU in June 2024 for identity theft which led to a fraud investigation involving current Fulton County Jail residents, and family and associates outside of the jail. Clark was out on bond at the time of her arrest this morning. The investigation has revealed to date over \$1 million in transactions used to facilitate criminal activity within the Fulton County Jail. The contraband involved includes drugs, cell phones, and other electronics. Arrested August 23, 2024:

- Anita Baker, age 57, charged with: one count of obtain/procure/give inmate a stored value card, card account number, or PIN
- Devin Brown, age 18; charged with: one count of obtain/procure/give inmate a stored value card, card account number, or PIN; one count of conspiracy to commit a felony
- Markeisha Clark, age 25, charged with: two counts of obtain/procure/give inmate a stored value card, card account number, or PIN
- Kimberly Floyd, age 43, charged with: one count of conspiracy to commit a felony
- Contrell Simpson, age 41, charged with: one count of conspiracy to commit a felony
- Brianna Smith, age 27, charged with: one count of obtain/procure/give inmate a stored value card, card account number, or PIN

Arrest warrants have been obtained for the following persons and are outstanding. Anyone with information on the whereabouts of these individuals can call 404-861-4859 or email [FCSO.JIU@fultoncountyga.gov](mailto:FCSO.JIU@fultoncountyga.gov).

- Dajaiah Jackson, age 26, charged with: six counts of obtain/procure/give inmate a stored value card, card account number, or PIN
- Mayke Jones, age 25, charged with: one count of obtain/procure/give inmate a stored value card, card account number, or PIN
- Jo Lisa Moss, age 24, charged with: two counts of obtain/procure/give inmate a stored value card, card account number, or PIN
- Amere Smith, age 19, charged with: one count of obtain/procure/give inmate a stored value card, card account number, or PIN
- Tiambra Smith, age 26, charged with: four counts of obtain/procure/give inmate a stored value card, card account number, or PIN; one count of conspiracy to commit a felony

Two other women were arrested and released on bond in late June/early July related to this investigation:

- Aubree Cuna, age 26, charged with: one count of obtain/procure/give inmate a stored value card, card account number, or PIN; one count of conspiracy to commit a felony
- Janiha Pazhedath, age 24, charged with: one count of obtain/procure/give inmate a stored value card, card account number, or PIN

The investigation revealed the involvement of at least four current residents who were charged with conspiracy to commit a felony and obtain/procure/give inmate a stored value card, card account number, or PIN. This is an ongoing investigation and additional arrests are expected.

Unrelated to this investigation, Chimere Arnold, age 40, was arrested on August 23 on a failure to appear warrant out of Clayton Co. This investigation is also unrelated to the four arrests of security officer contractors made earlier this week.

“Our investigators are committed to fighting crime inside and outside the walls of the jail. This was a complex case that took months of investigation by our dedicated team,” says Sheriff Patrick “Pat” Labat. “The arrests of these men and women will no doubt disrupt their criminal enterprise. We will continue to go after those that facilitate criminal activity within the jail.”

**ABOUT THE FULTON COUNTY SHERIFF’S OFFICE:** The mission of the Fulton County Sheriff’s Office is Service; through laser-focused efforts to protect the citizens of Fulton County with coordinated law enforcement operations, special strategic teams, and community outreach methods. The Sheriff’s Office is constitutionally responsible for the security of all courtrooms, executing arrest warrants, and serving civil papers. In addition, the Sheriff’s Office is responsible for the administration and operation of the Fulton County Jail.

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