



# ELLIS COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE

BRAD NORMAN, SHERIFF

## For Immediate Release – Narcotics Arrest – K9 “Tex”

The Ellis County Sheriff's Office recently made a narcotics-related arrest with the help of one of their highly trained K9 deputies. The K9, part of a team dedicated to drug detection and criminal apprehension, played a crucial role in identifying and tracking narcotics. These K9s are trained to assist in detecting drugs, tracking suspects, protecting handlers, and searching for evidence. This arrest showcases the ongoing efforts of the Ellis County Sheriff's K9 Unit to combat drug-related crimes in the area.



On Monday, September 23, 2024, an Ellis County Sheriff's K9 Deputy, and his K9 "Tex" were conducting traffic enforcement on IH 45 in Ellis County. During a routine traffic stop, the K9 Deputy noticed suspicious behavior from the driver and decided to deploy his K9. The dog quickly alerted to the presence of drugs, giving the deputy probable cause to search the vehicle. This search uncovered illegal narcotics, leading to the arrest of the driver. The estimated amount of narcotics found is 5 kilograms of cocaine.

***Thank You, Sheriff Brad Norman.***

