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AbbyPD's Drug Enforcement Unit Provides Update on Project INTERRUPTION

Abbotsford, BC – September 18th, 2026 – The Abbotsford Police Department's Drug Enforcement Unit (DEU) launched **Project INTERRUPTION** in 2025, targeting 36-year-old Tyler Missen and his involvement in drug trafficking within Abbotsford.

Previous Release: www.abbypd.ca/blog/news_releases/project-interruption-leads-to-major-drug-and-firearm-seizure-in-abbotsford

Throughout the investigation, DEU Detectives gathered evidence related to Mr. Missen's drug trafficking activities in both Abbotsford and Chilliwack. In early 2026, the Chilliwack RCMP Priority Target Team advised AbbyPD they had commenced their own investigation into Mr. Missen leading to information sharing between AbbyPD and the Chilliwack RCMP.

On August 26th, 2026, Mr. Missen pleaded guilty to two counts of Possession for the Purpose of Trafficking, as well as Possession of a Firearm Contrary to an Order, Possession of a Restricted or Prohibited Firearm, and Possession of a Loaded Prohibited or Restricted Firearm. These offences stemmed from the Abbotsford investigation.

Mr. Missen also plead guilty to one count of Possession for the Purpose of Trafficking arising from the subsequent Chilliwack RCMP Priority Target Team investigation.

As a result of the comprehensive Abbotsford investigation, along with the additional charge arising from the Chilliwack investigation, Mr. Missen was sentenced to a total of 11.5 years in custody.

The Abbotsford Police Department would like to acknowledge the Province of British Columbia for supporting a portion of this investigation through the **Provincial Tactical Enforcement Priority (PTEP)** funding program.

Public safety partnerships and targeted funding initiatives such as PTEP enhance law enforcement's ability to disrupt organized criminal activity and contribute to a safer community for the residents of Abbotsford.



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