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Two people are facing numerous charges under the Controlled Drugs and Substances Act following a vehicle stop in the early morning hours of Jan. 30, 2020.

Samantha Ann Landry, 31, of Amherst has been charged with:

- Section 5(2) CDSA – Possession for the Purpose of Trafficking – Schedule I - (Methamphetamine)
- Section 5(2) CDSA – Possession for the Purpose of Trafficking – Schedule I - (Crystal Meth)
- Section 5(2) CDSA – Possession for the Purpose of Trafficking - Schedule IV - (Lorazepam)
- Section 5(2) CDSA – Possession for the Purpose of Trafficking - Schedule IV - (Bromazepam)
- Section 5(2) CDSA – Possession for the Purpose of Trafficking - Schedule IV - (Diazepam)
- Section 5(2) CDSA – Possession for the Purpose of Trafficking - Schedule IV - (Clonazepam)
- Section 4(1) CDSA – Possession of a Controlled Substance – Schedule I – (Morphine)
- Section 10(1) Cannabis Act – Possession of Cannabis for the purpose of Selling

Landry appeared in court on Jan. 31, 2020, and is scheduled to appear again on Feb. 24, 2020, in relation to these charges.

A 24-year-old man is also facing charges, including possession of a controlled substance (Crystal Meth) and is scheduled to appear in court at a later date.

The charges stem from a vehicle stop made by Amherst police on Willow Street in Amherst shortly after 12 a.m. and a subsequent investigation.

As a result of the stop, police seized open liquor, illegal tobacco, methamphetamine pills, crystal meth, cannabis, a quantity of various prescription pills and a large amount of cash.

The incident led to the execution of search warrants for the vehicle and a residence in Amherst.

The APD Major Crime and the Cumberland Integrated Street Crime Unit assisted the APD Patrol Section in the investigation.

The Cumberland County Integrated Street Crime Enforcement Unit is comprised of members of Cumberland District RCMP and Amherst Police Department.