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**CRIME STOPPERS TIP LEADS
TO
DRUG SEIZURE & ARREST**

On 5-7-16 the Hillsdale County Sheriff Department received an anonymous tip from Crime Stoppers of Michigan reference a possible Marijuana grow operation at a residence in Hillsdale Twp.

Acting on this tip Hillsdale County Sheriff Deputies went to the residence to investigate, where they made contact with a male subject identified as Anthony Edward Nunziato DOB: 10-05-88. Deputies spoke with Mr. Nunziato and Mr. Nunziato gave written consent for deputies to search his home.

After a search of Mr. Nunziato's residence, deputies recovered 71 suspected Marijuana plants, over 37 lbs. of suspected processed Marijuana, suspected Marijuana hash, suspected Marijuana oil/wax, 170 full cans of butane, 100 empty cans of butane and numerous suspected components to manufacture marijuana oil/wax. Estimated street value of the suspected Marijuana seized is over \$200,000.

Mr. Nunziato was lodged at the Hillsdale County Jail on the following 3 felony charges with no bond;

1. Manufacture Marijuana 2nd Offense
2. Manufacture Marijuana (Oil/Wax) 2nd Offense
3. Possession of intent to deliver Marijuana 2nd Offense

