

On 8/6/26 at 10:30am, Supervisors Novak and Howard, AEOs McCoon and Hughes along with Deputies from the Baltimore City Sheriff's Department arrived at the location to execute an Administrative Warrant. Officers knocked on the front door which was opened by Cristian Rodriguez Morales. Mr. Morales was informed of and handed the warrant which allowed Officers to inspect the property and to remove any animal placed at risk by their health and/or environment. While the front door was open a blonde, female, small breed dog ran outside who had profuse fleas/flea dirt and overgrown nails. Mr. Morales stated animals were not at the location and granted entry and called his attorney. Officer Howard spoke with the attorney via speakerphone and informed him of the warrant as well. Officers cleared the first and second floors and did not locate any animals. Upon entering the basement, there was a pungent odor of urine. One female, DSH, brown/black tabby cat was observed. A litterbox was placed under the staircase that was full of animal waste. Animal waste was also observed in multiple places on the basement floor and on random objects. Two empty bird enclosures were in the basement. The first enclosure was an elevated crawl space at the front of the home that had a gate constructed of wood and chicken wire. Inside of the crawl space, Officers observed eight bird nesting boxes, one of which contained three eggs and a heat lamp hanging from the ceiling. One of the eggs was fertilized but deceased and the other two were inconclusive. The second enclosure was built with plywood and chicken wire as an additional room with a latching human sized access door. Twenty-five nesting boxes were affixed to the walls inside of this enclosure and two on the exterior affixed to the chicken wire. Numerous empty bird cages and empty stacks of nesting boxes were in the left rear corner of the basement. One live animal wooden shipping crate was located on the right side of the basement with BWI, AWB#006-80659040 written on it and a Delta Cargo shipping sticker ATL DL2799/17OCT 1355, WARM-BLOODED, 006 80659040, AVI, AVB, ECC, SPX, Total Pieces 7, Total Weight 105.0 LB, 48.0 KG, DL1211/17OCT 0710. Next to the hot water heater a wooden piece of a live animal shipping crate was located with a Delta Live Animal Sticker that had "Amazon" written in the contents section and BWI written on the wood. During the inspection, an excessive amount of roaches was observed, indicating an infestation inside of the residence. Numerous empty bird cages were also in the front and rear yards. The "Loros Exoticos" wrap that was previously on the E-Van registered to this address had been removed from the vehicle that was parked in the driveway. The dog and cat were both impounded. Notice of Impoundment was left on the dining room table. Photos and video taken on scene and upon arrival at the shelter. Tickets 181552 and 181553.