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**Subject:** UPDATE - 22CVD401 and 22CR050955, Continued, **Zeb Smathers** to represent **Ed Smathers**.

22CVD401 was heard today before the Not-so-Honorable Judge **Donna Forga**. **Ed Smathers** showed up today (as he had been served). **Ed Smathers** was only one of two people in the packed courtroom wearing a face mask.

When **Donna Forga** reached Lois Hollis on the Calendar Call, **Ed Smathers** offered that he had retained a lawyer, none other than Bottom Feeding lawyer (and also the Mayor of Canton), **Zeb Smathers**.

WTF?

But **Zeb Smathers** was at the beach today, so **Donna Forga** couldn't get rid of this hot potato fast enough, and continued the hearing to July 11, the date case 22CR050955 is to be heard.

It would bring back memories to see **Donna Forga** in action, with **Zeb Smathers** defending, not, **CHARLES DOUGLAS WRIGHT**, but now **Ed Smathers**. Oh well, another day.

So, the question is, why would **Zeb Smathers** represent this piece of work, unless they were related? Still trying to figure out if **Zeb Smathers** is related to **Ed Smathers**.

See also:

[Email dialog with Tracy Wells and L. Kevin "Adjudication" Ensley, who flies off the rails. You won't see any of this in either The Mountaineer or Smoky Mountain News. 6/23/2022...](#)

or

<https://www.haywoodtp.net/pubII/220623DialogWellsEnsley.pdf>

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**Subject:** 22CVD401 - Hollis v Smathers - UPDATE.

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[Video \(.mp4\) CAUTION - GRAPHIC VIOLENCE. Ed Smathers violently forcing his hand through vehicle window of 78 year old Lois Hollis, and smashing her phone into her face, sustaining injuries to mouth and teeth. Truly Evil. Waynesville Police advises - don't provoke him. Perhaps Ed Smathers will be a candidate for the Sheriff's Secret Peer Support Specialist Program, or maybe bottom-feeding lawyer, Zeb Smathers, will represent him. 4/22/2022. 4/24/2022...](#)

or

<https://www.haywoodtp.net/pubII/220422EdSmathers.mp4>

A scheduled hearing was held in Domestic Court, 5/31/2022 at 9:30am, Room 2A at the Justice Center for 22CVD401. Hearing the case was Judge Roy Wijewickrama. Lois Hollis and Joe Lipari were in attendance. Interestingly enough, **James Weaver "Kirk" Kirkpatrick the III** was also present, representing multiple clients.

[See: [Grievances filed against two lawyers - James Weaver "Kirk" Kirkpatrick the III and David Sutton, with the North Carolina Bar Association. 4/26/2022..](#)

or

<https://www.haywoodtp.net/pubII/220426KirkpatrickGrievance.pdf> ]

How can a lawyer come into a courtroom, scan the entire room to see if his clients are present, yet never establish eye contact with neither Lois Hollis and Joe Lipari nor myself? Must take practice!

Judge Wijewickrama came to case 22CVD401, who had asked multiple times during the hearing if **Ed Smathers** was present. He was not. Judge Wijewickrama informed Lois Hollis that **Ed Smathers** had never been served, and moved the case to June 27, 2022, who he hoped by that time that **Ed Smathers** would have been served.

WTF?

Suffice to say steps have been taken to insure that **Ed Smathers** will, in all likely-hood, have been served by the next court date by the Sheriff's Office.

Prior to the hearing, Lois Hollis shared some interesting still frame images of the five (5) second video (re: above link), showing that **Ed Smathers** actually walloped Lois Hollis in the face with a clinched fist.

The following still images were taken from the five (5) second video.

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**Ed Smathers**



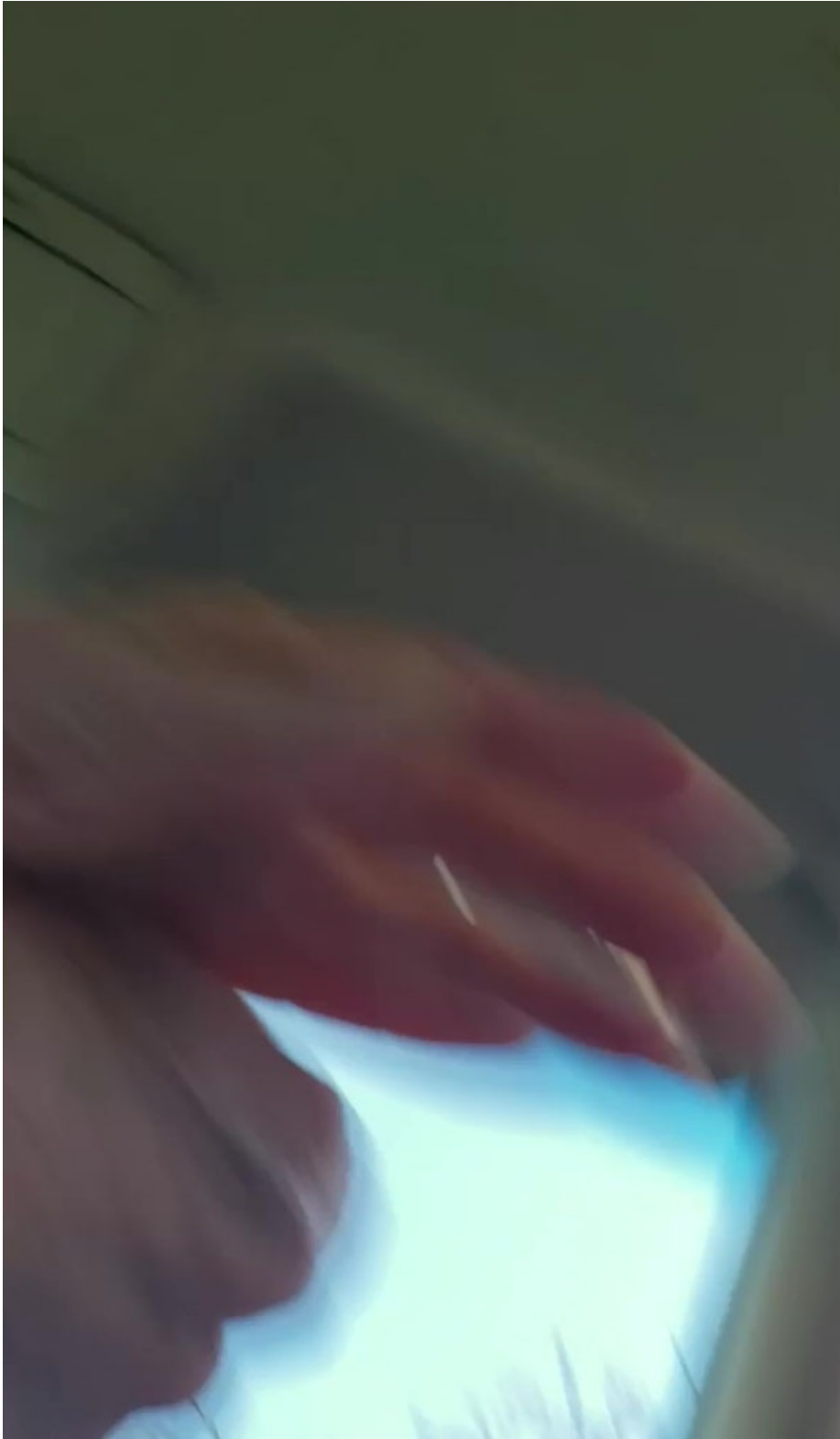
**Ed Smathers** approaching the open passenger side window.



About to Strike! **Smather's** dog barking. Who is the guy in the background? One thing for sure, he is a witness.



**Smather's** arm now through the window, about ready to slap the phone in Lois Hollis face.



Lois Hollis hand, being deflected upwards, from what is now a closed fist of **Ed Smathers**. No wonder Lois Hollis sustained injuries to both her mouth and teeth.

[**Editor's Note:** Prior to the hearing, Lois Hollis complained that pain had now extended to her lower back, and she had difficulty walking. Judge Wijewickrama noticed her pain when he called on her, and commented for her to remain seated, after struggling to rise.]



**Smathers** opening up his clenched fist after the strike. A Truly Evil guy.