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Subject: Rob Hites announced at future Aldermen Meetings, attendees to be searched for weapons.

Rob Hites announced at the beginning of the Aldermen Meeting on 9/13/2022, that people could expect to be searched with a metal detecting wand, because there were credible threats against public officials. He was taking the lead of County Commissioners searching people at county commission meetings.

WTF?

This was a bold faced lie! County Commissioners, and in particular, **Mark Swanger** (ex-FBI guy) grabbed the old metal scanner from the Justice Center when they upgraded their scanner, and had the old one placed in the Old Courthouse. That created an uproar. A Sheriff's Deputy operated the system, for a while. Eventually, shortly after the corona virus fiasco, the old scanner was removed, that was year's ago. There is no scanning of people now entering the Old Courthouse.

Hites is attempting to target, harass and intimidate people attending the current Aldermen Meeting, because he doesn't agree with what they are saying. Just as he wrote in his famous Two Page Dogwood Grant Request [DOGWOOD HEALTH FOUNDATION IMMEDIATE NEEDS GRANT, precursor to 'Dogwood ION Grant Application'] www.haywoodtp.net, he is attempting to keep out:

“...wealthy retirees from Florida to “Sovern (sic) Citizens ...”

[**Editor's Note:** should be spelled “sovereign”.]

Is all this due to:

<https://smokymountainnews.com/news/item/34251-author-of-threatening-writs-revealed-but-still-no-action-from-law-enforcement>

and

<https://wlos.com/news/local/darris-gibson-moody-federal-charges-falsely-serving-haywood-county-officials-threat-to-kidnap>

and

<https://smokymountainnews.com/news/item/34300-free-on-bond-moody-will-face-federal-charges-after-fbi-arrest>

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When scanning was performed at the Old Courthouse, it was administered by Haywood County Sheriff Deputies. Is **Hites** planning on having the Sheriff's Department wand people coming into The Town of Waynesville Aldermen Meetings?

Or is he planning on directing the Waynesville Police to do the dirty deed?

Exactly who is this threat aimed at, and who will be scanned entering the Police Department Building?

- Are people entering the building to be scanned, i.e. those with business with the Building Department?
- Are only people to be scanned on evenings Aldermen are having a meeting, outside the door of the meeting room?

Unless **Hites** scans everyone coming into the building for any reason, he can rightly be accused of selective enforcement, something that **Elizabeth Teague** and **Byron Hickox** are professionals at doing when they enforce building codes.

It appeared that this new edict was a surprise to Police Chief David Adams, when I was shaking my head no in disbelief, and he indicated he would investigate the matter, to me.

If **Hites** is planning on using Waynesville Police personnel for this exercise in futility, I would recommend a better use of time for Waynesville Police Officers.

A Short Story.

I happened to make a trip to the money store (the bank across the street from Hardee's at the entrance to Walmart) yesterday, and the door was locked. [?] UPS came to make a delivery, and I was about to let him know the door was locked, when it was opened by a bank employee. She (there were only females working at the bank that morning) indicated the door was locked because of an incident that morning. I entered, and conducted my business.

After a little bit, it was disclosed that there was a wild crazy guy attempting to get into the bank, banging at the door and windows. Employees were scared. Waynesville Police were called, and what did they do?

- Arrest the guy? No.
- Ask him politely to leave? Yes.

It was explained that there was nothing police could do. Police indicated the bank could fill out a No Trespass order, but bank employees figured that would further enrage the wild crazy guy. So what happened?

The wild crazy guy walked across the street, parked himself with another guy + a dog, and sat under a shady tree. The wild crazy guy kept going over to the Hardee's, then coming out back to the shady tree hangout.

WTF?

I was advised not to go over to Hardee's and have breakfast.

I asked if there were any used needles around, and the bank employee said their parking lot is full of them every morning, and they have hired a special cleaning crew to come in two (2) times a week to clean them up.

I had to lock the door on my way out.

So much for the new norm in the Town of Waynesville.

So, I would suggest to **Rob Hites**, that a better utilization of Waynesville Police officers would be to go out and help protect regular business employees, rather than harassing people interested in the betterment of The Town of Waynesville attending Aldermen Meetings.

I would also suggest to the Aldermen, that they fire this guy's [expletive deleted - word begins with "a"] for making the comments he did at the beginning of the last meeting. Don't even get me started on what **Rob Hites** has done with the Town's Sewer fiasco.

It is also interesting to note that both **Becky Johnson** and **Cory Vaillancourt** were both present at the last Aldermen meeting, there has not been one word written about Aldermen voting to suspend funds to Nicole Kott of Helping Hands of Haywood.

[**Editor's Note:** An interesting side note at the meeting. During intermission, Deannie Brooks came in,

[August 24, 2022 - the day Cory Vaillancourt, SMN, went bold. 8/24/2022...](#)

<https://www.haywoodtp.net/pubII/220824TheDayCoryWentBold.pdf>

and Deannie did not even know what **Cory Vaillancourt** looked like. At that point, **Cory** walked in from the hall, I stopped him, and introduced him to Deannie Brooks. After a couple of unpleasantries, I thought they were both going to scratch each other's eyes out. "That went well", I thought to myself.]

The most outrageous event of the evening was when **Anthony Sutton** chastised members of the audience about clapping that Aldermen voted to suspend funds to **Nicole Kott**, and **Chuck Dixon** cited some portion of the State of North Carolina Constitution that said Aldermen are required to help homeless people.

This shows how close **Anthony Sutton** was a factor in providing funding for **Nicole Kott** and helping Hands of Haywood, re: he and **Julia Freeman** approving funds to **Nicole Kott** from -

- Town of Waynesville, American Rescue Plan \$70,000
- Haywood Healthcare Foundation \$120,000

Anthony Sutton was unhinged, and his outburst was reprehensible.

All of these Aldermen need to be replaced at the next election, and the following people need to be thrown out and replaced.

- **Rob Hites**
- **Elizabeth Teague**
- **Martha Sharp Bradley**
- **Byron Hickox**
- **Jesse Fowler**
- **Jeff Stines**

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Legend: If any name is in **bold**, it can't be a good thing.