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What's Happening?

The purpose of this newsletter is to inform Haywood County Taxpayers of what transpires at the bi–monthly County Commission Meetings. This newsletter will be written from the perspective of a casual observer, myself. Any opinions expressed will be mine.

Cyberstalking Charges Dismissed.

I was arrested on 1/23/2015 for Cyberstalking (§ 14-196.3), a Class 2 misdemeanor, Case File 15CR066789. A criminal court hearing was held yesterday in Guilford County Courthouse, Judge Samet presiding. After hearing testimony, and specifically, having all e-mails read aloud leading up to the arrest, Judge Samet ruled that this was all political in nature. People should have read the statute in it's entirety prior to making the charges. Specifically, he read from the statute:

(e) This section does not apply to any peaceable, nonviolent, or nonthreatening activity intended to express political views or to provide lawful information to others. This section shall not be construed to impair any constitutionally protected activity, including speech, protest, or assembly.

Case Dismissed.

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

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