

## FELONY LITTERING ASTON PARK

WHO: Sarah Honosky / ACT (sub 5/4 11:35am)

Req: written response

**DEADLINE: Thursday 5/5 2pm**

I'm working on a story about the people charged with felony littering in connection with the Aston Park protests. I understand they went through an appeals process, and saw some info attributed to you in an Asheville Free Press story.

I wanted to follow up on this as well.

### **Who led this process?**

The City of Asheville Parks and Recreation Department led the "process", The Asheville Police Department was present at the hearings as requested by Parks and Recreation.

### **Who issued the letters to the defendants and how many received them?**

The Asheville Police Department wrote and emailed the original letters to the group.

### **How many appeal hearings were there, for how many people?**

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### **Is this a common practice in the city?**

Letters are only issued for an incident or situation as warranted. How often and how many letters are sent a year is determined by activity within a park that violates policy.

### **Could I also get a copy of the Administrative Policy on Restricted Access to City Parks?**

\*\*\*I have a pdf of that I can attach for sarah's emailed response