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**Subject: Catherine Allen, Associate Professor, WNC, College of Health and Human Sciences.**

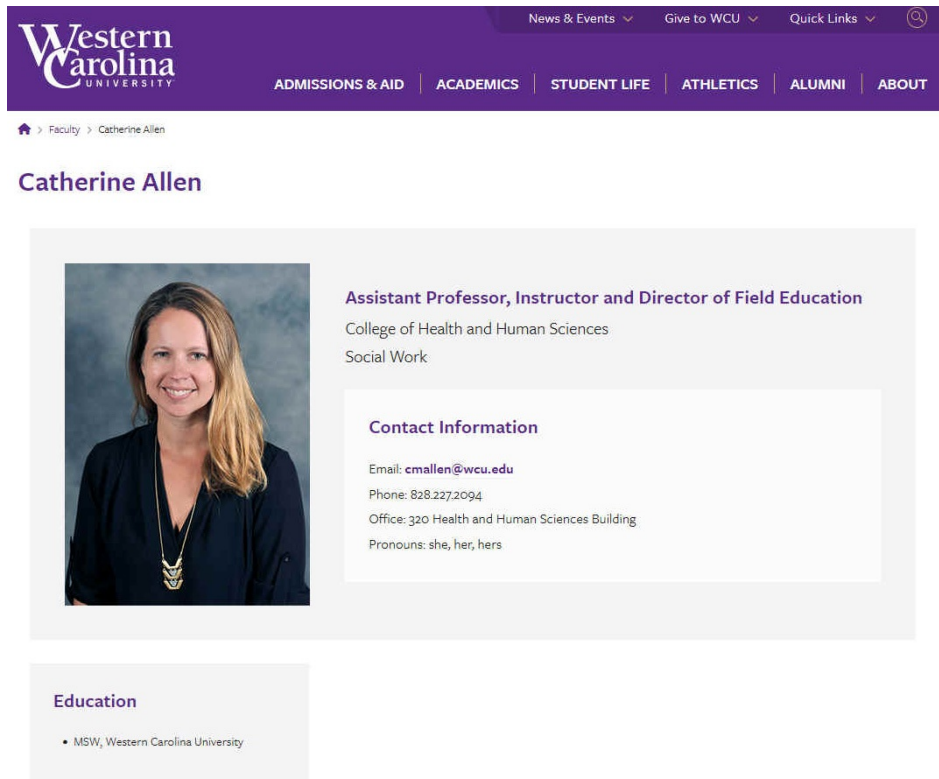
Almost let this one go by, had it not been for an alert Concerned Citizen of Haywood - a seemingly insignificant sentence in the Town of Waynesville Aldermen meeting minutes for the MINUTES OF THE TOWN OF WAYNESVILLE BOARD OF ALDERMEN, Regular Meeting, January 10, 2023 -

### **H. COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE MAYOR AND BOARD**

Alderman Chuck Dickson reported that he will be facilitating a meeting between Katherine Allen, a Social Work Professor at Western Carolina University, and Chief Adams. The meeting will be about potentially having social work interns assist the Police Department.

[**Editor's Note:** It would appear that Katherine Allen should be **Catherine Allen**, in the minutes.]

Who is **Catherine Allen**?



The screenshot shows the Western Carolina University website. The header is purple with the university logo and navigation links: News & Events, Give to WCU, and Quick Links. Below the header is a navigation bar with links for ADMISSIONS & AID, ACADEMICS, STUDENT LIFE, ATHLETICS, ALUMNI, and ABOUT. The breadcrumb trail reads: Faculty > Catherine Allen. The main heading is "Catherine Allen". To the left is a portrait of Catherine Allen, a woman with long blonde hair wearing a dark top and a necklace. To the right of the portrait, her title is "Assistant Professor, Instructor and Director of Field Education" at the "College of Health and Human Sciences" in "Social Work". Below this is a "Contact Information" box containing: Email: cmallen@wcu.edu, Phone: 828.227.2094, Office: 320 Health and Human Sciences Building, and Pronouns: she, her, hers. At the bottom, there is an "Education" section listing "MSW, Western Carolina University".

What does that mean? Pronouns: she, her, hers?

This is the very same department over at WNC that brought us **Amy Murphy-Nugen**.

## Amy Murphy-Nugen



### Associate Professor

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Social Work

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Pronouns: She/her/hers

Look! The same Pronouns: She/her/hers. What does that mean?

So, both of these women are from the same department over at WNC. **Amy Murphy-Nugen** was sent packing, and never heard from again. Get used to her “new replacement”?

What is going on?

- Does **Catherine Allen** plan to Infiltrate the Waynesville Police Department and install “interns” in each cop car?
- What “authority” will these “interns” have?
- How many “interns” are we talking about?

I think **Chuck Dickson** owes us a little bit of an explanation.

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