



Two men, two women charged during trespass investigation

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52 Division
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On Friday, March 30, 2012, after 1 p.m., police were called to the rotunda area of 361 University Avenue for a trespass call.

Officers attended and spoke with a number of people regarding the removal of tents that had been set up.

It is alleged that:

- as the officers spoke to the protesters, and served trespass notices on them, a man became agitated and began yelling and screaming
- police officers cautioned the man regarding his activities and asked him to leave
- the man refused and was arrested
- the man resisted arrest and officers struggled with him
- additional officers were requested to assist with the situation
- a man and two women obstructed the officers, leading to their arrests

One man and one woman received minor injuries during the arrest and were treated at hospital.

John Erb, 44, of no fixed address, is charged with:

1. Cause Disturbance
2. Assault with Intent to Resist Arrest
3. Assault Peace Officer
4. Possession of Marijuana
5. Fail to Comply Probation

Craig Poirier, 35, of no fixed address, is charged with:

1. Obstruct Peace Officer
2. Assault with Intent to Resist Arrest
3. Possession of Marijuana

Alice Evonic, 19, of no fixed address, is charged with:

1. Obstruct Peace Officer

Angela Turvey, 36, of no fixed address, is charged with:

1. Obstruct Peace Officer
2. Assault with Intent to Resist Arrest

The accused are scheduled to appear in court at Old City Hall on Saturday, March 31, 2012, room 101, 10 a.m.

Constable Wendy Drummond, Corporate Communications, for Detective Paul Rinkoff, 52 Division