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News Release

Arkansas City woman issued citation Monday after altercation

Hodges accused of battery after allegedly inflicting victim with neck wound

ARKANSAS CITY, Kan. (March 17, 2020) — The Arkansas City Police Department cited an Arkansas City woman Monday for battery after contacting a victim with a neck injury she had allegedly inflicted.

Champagne Hodges, 36, was cited for misdemeanor battery through Arkansas City Municipal Court.

The Arkansas City Fire-EMS and Police departments were dispatched Monday to 1316 S. Summit St. for a report of a victim with a self-inflicted injury, but learned later that the injury was not self-inflicted.

The victim, a 61-year-old female, was treated for the small injury to her neck at the scene.

After investigation, Hodges was identified as a suspect and issued a citation.

A defendant's guilt or innocence is to be determined by a court of law.

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