

## **Sugar Grove Residents Charged in Boone Fraud**

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Boone Police have arrested two people for Obtaining Property by False Pretense in an incident Last Thursday at the Wal-Mart in Boone. Arrested were: Timothy Allen Barker, 41, and 40-year old Cathy Ann Richardson, both of US Hwy 321 N, Sugar Grove. Police say Barker and Richardson are alleged to have taken items from the store and then returned them for cash with fraudulent receipts. They were each held on a \$7500 secured bond pending an April 23rd appearance in Watauga District Court.