

# Lynch at Large

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Excerpts:

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The Morning News of Northwest Arkansas reports that a Springdale law firm is looking at financial and service connections between the city and the Chamber of Commerce. John Lisle of the Lisle Law firm filed a Freedom Of Information request Tuesday for records "pertaining to the planning, financing, construction and operation of a baseball stadium in Springdale." The FOI request also asked for documents authorizing payment, or records of any payment to the chamber, or any document giving the city's authority to anyone to negotiate a contract between the city and a baseball franchise.

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The Springdale Chamber of Commerce is making phone calls to the Wichita Wranglers parent company in Buffalo, New York trying to keep the deal to bring minor league baseball to northwest Arkansas alive, a city council member is threatened with a lawsuit, another is working on "Plan B," and a special city council meeting could be called today or Saturday to approve a contract which would allow work to begin on a \$50 million stadium.

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