RESOLUTION

RESOLUTION AWARDING A SERVICE FIREARM TO A RETIRING DEPUTY OF THE BUNCOMBE COUNTY SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT

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WHEREAS,	in accordance with North Carolina General Statute Section 20-187.2, the local body of a law enforcement agency shall award a retiring deputy his or her badge and may, in its discretion, award the deputy's service firearm; and
WHEREAS,	the County of Buncombe provides the service firearm of a deputy who retires through the North Carolina Local Government Retirement System with ten (10) or more years of service to Buncombe County as a deputy sheriff or who retires due to medical disability; and
WHEREAS,	Gregg Osteen has medically retired after rendering honorable and invaluable service to the County of Buncombe and its citizens from May 8, 2000 through October 1, 2017 as a full time sworn deputy.
WHEREAS,	the Buncombe County Commissioners and the Buncombe County Sheriff wish to honor Mr. Osteen for his service to the County as a law enforcement officer by awarding him his badge and the service firearm that he carried at the time of his retirement, a Glock Model 17, serial number TBN 936; and
NOW, T as follows:	HEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE Board of Commissioners for the County of Buncombe
the Cou	egg Osteen's badge and a Glock Model 17, Serial No. TBN 936 are declared surplus and that nty Manager or her designee is authorized to award his badge and transfer said firearm to esteen in accordance with the provisions of N.C.G.S. § 20-187.2.
ADOPTED this 7	7 th day of November, 2017
ATTEST	BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS FOR THE COUNTY OF BUNCOMBE COUNTY
KATHY HUGHES	BY:BY:BROWNIE NEWMAN, CHAIRMAN
APPROVED AS	TO FORM

COUNTY ATTORNEY