

REQUEST FOR BOARD ACTION

**HENDERSON COUNTY
BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS**

MEETING DATE: May 7, 2018

SUBJECT: Service Badge and Sidearm Request – Detention Corporal/Deputy
Cecilia Rossell

PRESENTER: Sheriff Charles McDonald

ATTACHMENT(S): Yes
1. BOC Resolution

SUMMARY OF REQUEST:

The Henderson County Sheriff's Office requests that the service badge and sidearm of Detention Corporal/Deputy be given to her in recognition of her retirement from the Henderson County Sheriff's Office.

Detention/Corporal Deputy Rossell began employment with the Henderson County Sheriff's Office on November 27, 2007 and held the ranks of Latino Outreach Coordinator, Deputy, Senior Investigator, Detention Corporal/Deputy, Corporal, and Sergeant. Detention/Corporal Deputy Rossell has served for over 10 years in the Sheriff's Office. She has spent her adult life serving our community and agency. To honor her and show my gratitude, the Sheriff's Office intends to present her service badge and service sidearm to her.

Sheriff McDonald makes this request on behalf of the Henderson County Sheriff's Office pursuant to North Carolina General Statute 20-187.2(a).

BOARD ACTION REQUESTED:

The Board is requested to allow Sheriff Charles McDonald and the Henderson County Sheriff's Office to present Detention/Corporal Deputy Cecilia Rossell with her service badge and sidearm at no charge.

SUGGESTED MOTION:

I move the Board allow Sheriff Charles McDonald to present the service badge and sidearm as a token of appreciation to Detention/Corporal Deputy Rossell.



Resolution Honoring Detention Corporal/Deputy Cecilia Rossell



For 10 Years of Law Enforcement Service and Awarding Her Badge and Sidearm

WHEREAS, Detention Corporal/Deputy Cecilia Rossell joined the Henderson County Sheriff's Office as a benefit-eligible Latino Outreach Coordinator on November 26, 2007 and held the ranks of Latino Outreach Coordinator, Deputy, Senior Investigator, Detention Corporal/Deputy, Corporal, and Sergeant; and

WHEREAS, Detention Corporal/Deputy Rossell's service and dedication to the Henderson County Sheriff's Office and service, dedication and accomplishments in the field of law enforcement during her over 10 years of service are hereby recognized and commended; and

WHEREAS, N.C.G.S. 20-187.2 provides that retiring officers of the Henderson County Sheriff's Office may receive, at the time of their retirement, the badge worn or carried by them during their service with Henderson County; and

WHEREAS, N.C.G.S. 20-187.2 further provides that the Henderson County Board of Commissioners may, in its discretion, award to a retiring officer the service sidearm of such retiring officer at a price determined by the Board of Commissioners, upon securing a permit as required by N.C.G.S. 14-402 et seq; and

WHEREAS, Detention Corporal/Deputy Rossell has served as a member of the Henderson County Sheriff's Office for a period of 10 years and retired from the Henderson County Sheriff's Office on April 12, 2018; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Henderson County Board of Commissioners as follows:

1. Sheriff Charles McDonald is hereby authorized in accordance with the provisions of N.C.G.S. 20-187.2 to transfer to Detention Corporal/Deputy Rossell the badge worn by her during her service with the Henderson County Sheriff's Office; and
2. Sheriff McDonald is hereby authorized in accordance with the provisions of N.C.G.S. 20-187.2 to transfer to Detention Corporal/Deputy Rossell her service sidearm at no cost to the officer and upon her securing a permit required by N.C.G.S. 14-402.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Henderson County Board of Commissioners recognizes and thanks Detention Corporal/Deputy Rossell for her dedicated service to Henderson County and its citizens.

Adopted this the 7th day of May, 2018.

CHAIRMAN
HENDERSON COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

ATTEST:

CLERK TO THE BOARD