

REQUEST FOR BOARD ACTION

**HENDERSON COUNTY
BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS**

MEETING DATE: December 3, 2018

SUBJECT: Service Badge and Sidearm Request – Sheriff Charles McDonald

PRESENTER: Board of Commissioners

ATTACHMENT(S): Yes
1. BOC Resolution

SUMMARY OF REQUEST:

The Henderson County Sheriff's Office requests that the service badge and sidearm of Sheriff Charles McDonald be given to him in recognition of his retirement from the Henderson County Sheriff's Office.

Sheriff Charles McDonald began employment with the Henderson County Sheriff's Office on March 2, 1985 and held the ranks of, Deputy, Corporal, Lieutenant and Captain. Sheriff Charles McDonald has served for over 32 years in the Sheriff's Office. He has spent his adult life serving our community and agency. To honor him and show our gratitude, the Sheriff's Office intends to present his service badge and service sidearm to him.

This request is made pursuant to North Carolina General Statute 20-187.2(a).

BOARD ACTION REQUESTED:

The Board is requested to allow the Henderson County Sheriff's Office to present Sheriff Charles McDonald with his service badge and sidearm at no charge.

SUGGESTED MOTION:

I move the Board allow the Henderson County Sheriff's Office to present the service badge and sidearm as a token of appreciation to Sheriff Charles McDonald.



Resolution Honoring Sheriff Charles McDonald



For 32 Years of Law Enforcement Service and Awarding Him His Badge and Sidearm

WHEREAS, Sheriff Charles McDonald joined the Henderson County Sheriff's Office as a benefit-eligible Deputy on March 2, 1985 and retired on May 31, 2010. During his employment, he held the ranks of Deputy, Corporal, Lieutenant and Captain; and

WHEREAS, Sheriff McDonald has served as Sheriff of the Henderson County since March 8, 2012; and

WHEREAS, Sheriff McDonald's service and dedication to the Henderson County Sheriff's Office and service, dedication and accomplishments in the field of law enforcement during his 32 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, Sheriff McDonald has served as a member of the Henderson County Sheriff's Office for a period of 32 years and retired from the Henderson County Sheriff's Office on December 3, 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 receive the badge worn by him during his 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 receive his service sidearm at no cost to him and upon his 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 Sheriff McDonald for his dedicated service to Henderson County and its citizens.

Adopted this the 3rd day of December, 2018.

CHAIRMAN
HENDERSON COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

ATTEST:

CLERK TO THE BOARD