

WHEREAS, Chief Keith McCabe retired from the Gaston County Sheriff's Office on December 01, 2024 with 30 years of credible service in law enforcement; and,

WHEREAS, Chief Keith McCabe has requested that he be awarded the service side arm and badge worn during his service with the Gaston County Sheriff's Office pursuant to N.C.G.S. 17F-20(a) and Board Resolution #259 dated October 27, 1983.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Gaston County Board of Commissioners that:

- 1. The badge worn by Chief Keith McCabe and his service side arm, Glock, Model 45, Serial Number BYRV601 be declared surplus equipment.
- 2. The badge worn by Chief Keith McCabe be given to him in honor of his service with the Gaston County Sheriff's Office.
- 3. The service side arm, Glock, Model 45, Serial Number BYRV601 be permanently retired by the Gaston County Sheriff's Office and offered to Retired Chief Keith McCabe at a price of \$1.00.
- 4. The Gaston County Sheriff's Office is directed to award Chief Keith McCabe with the service side arm and badge as specified and worn by him during his service to Gaston County, in accordance with the North Carolina General Statutes and policy of the Board.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Gaston County Board of Commissioners expresses their sincere gratitude for the dedicated service of Chief Keith McCabe, and wish him the best in his retirement.

_	Chad Brown, Chairman	
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