

WHEREAS, Chief James W. Buie, Jr. retired from the Gaston County Police Department on July 1, 2015 after serving 29 years with Gaston County; and,

WHEREAS, Chief James W. Buie, Jr. has requested that he be awarded the service side arm, Heckler & Koch, Model HK45C, Serial Number 216-013759 and badge worn during his service with the Gaston County Police Department pursuant to G.S. 20-187.2, and Board Resolution #259 dated October 27, 1983.

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

- The badge worn by Chief Buie and his service side arm, Heckler & Koch, Model HK45C, Serial Number 216-013759 be declared surplus equipment.
- 2. The badge worn by Chief Buie be given to him as a remembrance of his service with the Gaston County Police Department.
- The service side arm, Heckler & Koch, Model HK45C, Serial Number 216-013759 be permanently retired by the Gaston County Police Department and offered to Chief Buie at a purchase price of \$1.00.
- 4. The Chief of the Gaston County Police Department is directed to award Chief Buie 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 the 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 James W. Buie, Jr., retired, and wishes him the best in his retirement.

	Tom Keigher, Chairman			
Chad Brown		Tracy L. Philbeck		
Joe D. Carpenter		Mickey Price		
Allen R. Fraley		Jason Williams, Vice-Chairman		



GASTON COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS BOARD ACTION

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Police Department

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Commissioner Philbeck - Commendation - To Award the Service Side Arm and Badge to Retired Police Chief James Buie

STAFF CONTACT

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BACKGROUND

The Gaston County Police Department is requesting that the Gaston County Board of Commissioners award the service side arm, Heckler & Koch, Mode HK45C, Serial Number 216-013759 and badge worn to Chief James W. Buie, Jr., retired, pursuant to NCGS20-187.2 and Board Resolution #259 dated October 27, 1983.

ا, Donna S. Buff, Clerk to the County Commission, do hereby certify that the above is a true and taken by the Board of Commissioners as follows: NO. DATE M2 Brown Carpenter Keigher **Philbeck** Vote 2016-022 01/26/2016 TP CB Α Α Α U **DISTRIBUTION:**