



Gaston County

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Board of Commissioners
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Gaston Emergency Medical Services (GEMS)

Board Action

File #: 16-398

Commissioner Fraley - Commendation - To Commend EMS Assistant Chief Jeffrey D. Waldrep Upon His Retirement from Gaston County Emergency Medical Services (GEMS) after Thirty Years of Service

STAFF CONTACT

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BACKGROUND

ATTACHMENTS

Commendation

I, Donna S. Buff, Clerk to the County Commission, do hereby certify that the above is a true and correct copy of action taken by the Board of Commissioners as follows:

NO.	DATE	M1	M2	Brown	Carpenter	Fraley	Keigher	Philbeck	Price	Williams	Vote
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WHEREAS, EMS Assistant Chief Jeffrey D. Waldrep is retiring from Gaston County Emergency Medical Services (GEMS) with 30 years of service; and,

WHEREAS, Jeff first began serving in EMS in 1983 as a volunteer with South Point Life Saving Crew; and,

WHEREAS, Jeff began his EMS career with Gaston County Medical Transport, the predecessor of GEMS, on July 2, 1986, and has served continuously since that time; and,

WHEREAS, through his knowledge and abilities, Jeff progressed through the ranks, serving as an EMT, becoming one of the first Paramedics in Gaston County, as an Operations Supervisor, and most recently as the Assistant Chief of the Department; and,

WHEREAS, over these years, Jeff has been instrumental in the operations and progression of EMS in Gaston County; and,

WHEREAS, during his long career, Jeff has shown deep devotion and dedication in the performance of his duties in the service of the residents and visitors of Gaston County.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Gaston County Board of Commissioners expresses their sincere gratitude for the dedicated service of EMS Assistant Chief

Jeffrey D. Waldrep

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