



WHEREAS, Master Police Officer Daniel K. Hawley retired from the Gaston County Police Department July 1, 2016 after serving 30 years with Gaston County; and,

WHEREAS, Master Police Officer Daniel K. Hawley has requested that he be awarded the service side arm, Heckler & Koch, Model HK-45, Serial Number HKU-023777 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:

1. The badge worn by Officer Hawley and his service side arm, Heckler & Koch, Model HK-45, Serial Number HKU-023777 be declared surplus equipment.
2. The badge worn by Officer Hawley be given to him as a remembrance of his service with the Gaston County Police Department.
3. The service side arm, Heckler & Koch, Model HK-45, Serial Number HKU-023777 be permanently retired by the Gaston County Police Department and offered to Officer Hawley for a purchase price of \$1.00.
4. The Chief of the Gaston County Police Department is directed to award Officer Hawley 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 Master Police Officer Daniel K. Hawley, and wishes him the best in his retirement.

Tom Keigher, Chairman

Chad Brown

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Joe D. Carpenter

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Jason Williams, Vice-Chairman

To be adopted the 28th day of July 2016