

REQUEST FOR BOARD ACTION

**HENDERSON COUNTY
BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS**

MEETING DATE: November 4, 2013

SUBJECT: Service Badge and Sidearm Request – Pat Redden and Don Bowen

PRESENTER: Sheriff Charles McDonald

ATTACHMENT(S): Yes
1. Two BOC Resolutions

SUMMARY OF REQUEST:

The Henderson County Sheriff's Office requests that the service badges and sidearms of Pat Redden and Don Bowen be given to them in recognition of their retirements from the Henderson County Sheriff's Office.

Deputy Pat Redden began employment with the Henderson County Sheriff's Office on September 8, 1987. Throughout her career she has worked as a Detention Center Cook, a Detention Officer, a Deputy, a Detective, and Corporal. Deputy Redden has served for a total of 26 years in the Sheriff's Office. She has spent her adult life serving our community and agency with integrity and morals. To honor her and show my gratitude, I intend to present her service badge and service sidearm to her.

Sergeant Don Bowen joined the Henderson County Sheriff's Office as a Telecommunicator on December 14, 1994 and held the ranks of Telecommunicator, Deputy, Corporal, and Sergeant. Sergeant Bowen has served 19 years in the field of law enforcement and has spent his adult life serving our community and agency with integrity and morals. To honor him and show my gratitude, I intend to present his service badge and service sidearm to him.

Sheriff McDonald makes this request on behalf of the Henderson County Sheriff's Office pursuant to North Carolina General Statute 20-187.2(a).

BOARD ACTION REQUESTED:

The Board is requested to allow Sheriff Charles McDonald and the Henderson County Sheriff's Office to present Deputies Pat Redden and Don Bowen with their service badges and sidearms at no charge.

SUGGESTED MOTION:

I move the Board allow Sheriff Charles McDonald to present these service badges and sidearms as a token of appreciation to Deputies Pat Redden and Don Bowen.



Resolution Honoring Corporal Patricia Redden



For 26 Years of Law Enforcement Service and Awarding Her, Her Badge and Sidearm

WHEREAS, Cpl. Redden joined the Henderson County Sheriff's Office as a Detention Cook on 9/8/1987 and held the ranks of Detention Officer, Deputy, Detective and Corporal.

WHEREAS, Corporal Redden's service and dedication to the Henderson County Sheriff's Office and Service, dedication and accomplishments in the field of law enforcement during her 26 years of total 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 the 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, Corporal Redden has served as a member of the Henderson County Sheriff's Office for a period of more than 25 years and is retiring from the Henderson County Sheriff's Office on 9/1/2013; 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 transfer to Corporal Redden the badge worn by her during her 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 transfer to Corporal Redden her service sidearm at no cost to the officer/for and in consideration of the sum of \$5.00 received from Corporal Redden and upon her 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 Corporal Redden for her dedicated service to the Henderson County and its citizens.

Adopted this the 10th day of September, 2013.

CHAIRMAN
HENDERSON COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

ATTEST:

CLERK TO THE BOARD



Resolution Honoring Sergeant Don Bowen For 19 Years of Law Enforcement Service and Awarding Him His Badge and Sidearm



WHEREAS, Sergeant Don Bowen joined the Henderson County Sheriff's Office as a Telecommunicator on December 14th, 1994 and held the ranks of Telecommunicator, Deputy, Corporal, and Sergeant.

WHEREAS, Sergeant Bowen's service and dedication to the Henderson County Sheriff's Office and Service, dedication and accomplishments in the field of law enforcement during his 19 years of total 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 the 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, Sergeant Bowen has served as a member of the Henderson County Sheriff's Office for a period of more than 19 and is retiring from the Henderson County Sheriff's Office on October 31st, 2013; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Henderson County Board of Commissioners as follows:

1. Sheriff Charles S. McDonald is hereby authorized in accordance with the provisions of N.C.G.S. 20-187.2 to transfer to Sergeant Don Bowen the badge worn by him during his service with the Henderson County Sheriff's Office; and
2. Sheriff Charles S. McDonald is hereby authorized in accordance with the provisions of N.C.G.S. 20-187.2 to transfer to Sergeant Don Bowen his service sidearm at no cost to the officer 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 Sergeant Don Bowen for his dedicated service to the Henderson County and its citizens.

Adopted this the 16 day of October, 2013.

CHAIRMAN
HENDERSON COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

ATTEST:

CLERK TO THE BOARD