

REQUEST FOR BOARD ACTION

**HENDERSON COUNTY
BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS**

MEETING DATE: January 6, 2014

SUBJECT: Service Badge and Sidearm Request – Rodney Raines & Ned Whitmire

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 Rodney Raines and Ned Whitmire be given to them in recognition of their retirements from the Henderson County Sheriff's Office.

Chief Deputy Rodney Raines began employment with the Henderson County Sheriff's Office on June 29, 1985 as a Detention Officer. Throughout his career he has held the ranks of Corporal, Sergeant, Lieutenant, Captain, Major and Chief Deputy. Chief Deputy Raines has served for a total of 29 years in the Sheriff's Office. He 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 Chief Deputy Raines at no charge to him.

Sergeant Ned Whitmire joined the Henderson County Sheriff's Office as a Deputy on October 6, 2003 and has held the ranks of Deputy, Corporal, and Sergeant. Sergeant Whitmire has served 10 years in the Sheriff's Office and is to be commended for his service, dedication and accomplishments. To honor him and show my gratitude, I intend to present his service badge to him and to present his service sidearm to him at a cost designated on the attached resolution.

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 Chief Deputy Rodney Raines and Sergeant Ned Whitmire with their service badges and sidearms.

SUGGESTED MOTION:

I move the Board allow Sheriff Charles McDonald to present these service badges and sidearms as a token of appreciation to Chief Deputy Rodney Raines and Sergeant Ned Whitmire.



Resolution Honoring Chief Deputy R. Raines



For 29 Years of Law Enforcement Service and Awarding Him His Badge and Sidearm

WHEREAS, Chief Deputy Rodney Raines joined the Henderson County Sheriff's Office as a Detention Officer on 6/29/1985 and held the ranks of Corporal, Sergeant, Lieutenant, Captain, Major and Chief Deputy.

WHEREAS, Chief Deputy Raines's service and dedication to the Henderson County Sheriff's Office and Service, dedication and accomplishments in the field of law enforcement during his 29 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, Chief Deputy Raines has served as a member of the Henderson County Sheriff's Office for a period of more than 29 and is retiring from the Henderson County Sheriff's Office on 11/30/2013; 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 Chief Deputy Raines the badge worn by him during his service with the Henderson County Sheriff's Office; and
2. Sheriff Charles McDonald is hereby authorized in accordance with the provisions of N.C.G.S. 20-187.2 to transfer to Chief Deputy Raines 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 Chief Deputy Rodney Raines for his dedicated service to the Henderson County and its citizens.

Adopted this the 6th day of January, 2014.

CHAIRMAN
HENDERSON COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

ATTEST:

CLERK TO THE BOARD



Resolution Honoring Sergeant Ned Whitmire For 10 Years of Law Enforcement Service and Awarding Him His Badge and Sidearm



WHEREAS, Sergeant Whitmire joined the Henderson County Sheriff's Office as a Deputy on 10/06/2003 and held the ranks of Deputy, Corporal and Sergeant; and

WHEREAS, Sergeant Whitmire's service and dedication to the Henderson County Sheriff's Office and Service, dedication and accomplishments in the field of law enforcement during his 10 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, (Officer) has served as a member of the Henderson County Sheriff's Office for a period of more than (years) and is retiring from the Henderson County Sheriff's Office on (date); and

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

1. Sheriff McDonald is hereby authorized in accordance with the provisions of N.C.G.S. 20-187.2 to transfer to Sergeant Whitmire the badge worn by him during his 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 Sergeant Whitmire his service sidearm at a cost of \$234.50 for and in consideration of the sum of \$5.00 received from Sergeant Whitmire 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 (Officer) for (his/her) dedicated service to the Henderson County and its citizens.

Adopted this the 6th day of January, 2014.

CHAIRMAN
HENDERSON COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

ATTEST:

CLERK TO THE BOARD