RESOLUTION

AWARDING BADGE AND SERVICE SIDEARM TO RETIRING MAJOR JAMES ABSHER

WHEREAS, James Absher, served the Ashe County Sheriff's Office from August 3, 1981 through January 17, 2017; and

WHEREAS, James Absher has dedicated his life to law enforcement and public service in Ashe County; and

WHEREAS, NCGS 20-187.2 provides that retiring members of county law enforcement agencies may receive, at the time of their retirement, the badge worn or carried by them during their service with the County; and

WHEREAS, NCGS 20-187.2 further provides that the governing body of the governing law enforcement agency may, at its discretion, award to a retiring member the service sidearm of such retiring member; and

WHEREAS, in accordance with NCGS 20-187.2, the following weapon: Glock 45, Model 30 handgun, serial number NWY891, this weapon is officially declared as surplus.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Ashe County Board of Commissioners that in accordance with the provisions of NCGS 20-187.2, the badge and above referenced service sidearm of Major James Absher be transferred to him in honor of his retirement as a Major of the Ashe County Sheriff's Office.

ADOPTED, this the 24th day of January, 2017

	William Sands, Chairman	
	Ashe County Board of Commissioners	
ATTEST:		
Ann Clark, MMC, NCCCC		
Clerk to the Board		