



RESOLUTION R-028-24

A RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF WALKER COUNTY FOR RETIRING WALKER COUNTY DEPUTY ROBERT W. BOWMAN TO RETAIN HIS SERVICE WEAPON

WHEREAS, the Board of Commissioners of Walker County (“Board”) is the governing authority of Walker County, Georgia; and

WHEREAS, Resolution R-036-20 of the governing authority states retired sworn law enforcement officers, upon recommendation of the County Sheriff or other appropriate commander, shall be entitled to retain their service weapon as part of their compensation; and

WHEREAS, On August 28, 2024, Deputy Robert W. (Bill) Bowman will retire from the Walker County Sheriff’s Office with more than 10 years of honorable service to the citizens of Walker County; and

WHEREAS, attached hereto as Exhibit “A” is a copy of a letter from Sheriff Steve Wilson to Chairman Shannon K. Whitfield recommending that Deputy Bowman’s service weapon be retained by him as part of his compensation; and

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Commissioners of Walker County, Georgia that Deputy Robert W. Bowman’s service weapon, Glock Model G-17, Serial Number BGYC-364, is declared surplus and shall be retained by Deputy Bowman as part of his compensation.

SO RESOLVED AND ADOPTED this 22nd day of August, 2024

ATTEST:

WALKER COUNTY, GEORGIA

Whitney Summey, Deputy Clerk

SHANNON K. WHITFIELD, Chairman



The foregoing Resolution received a motion for approval from Commissioner Shultz, second by Commissioner Hart, and upon the question the vote is 4 ayes, 0 nays to adopt the Resolution.

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Steve Wilson, Sheriff

August 13, 2024

Walker County Board of Commissioners
Mr. Shannon Whitfield, Chairman
Post Office Box 445
La Fayette, Georgia 30728

Dear Commissioner Whitfield:

On August 28, 2024, Deputy Robert W. (Bill) Bowman will retire from the Walker County Sheriff's Office with more than ten years of honorable service to the citizens of Walker County. In addition, Mr. Bowman served for thirty- two years before his retirement from the Georgia State Patrol.

Therefore, pursuant to O.C.G.A. 35-1-20 and County Resolution R-036-20, I am recommending that his service weapon, Glock Model G-17, Serial Number BGYC 364, valued at \$475 be conveyed to Deputy Bowman as part of his retirement compensation.

I appreciate your consideration.

With kind regards,



Steve Wilson, Sheriff
Walker County Sheriff's Office