



CITY OF
FORESTPARK

City Council Agenda Item

Subject: K-9 Retirement Request – Police Department

Submitted By: Dr. Marc-Antonie Cooper

Date Submitted: October 26, 2021

Work Session Date: November 01, 2021

Council Meeting Date: November 01, 2021

Background/History:

Consideration to retire the current Forest Park Police Department's 11-year-old canine named "Yorei" from active duty and that his former handler adopts him effective immediately.

This recommendation is based on the Forest Park Police Department's K-9 Unit Administration policy 17-01 that states "canines may be retired between the ages of 8 years and 9 years old" and a thorough medical assessment conducted on 10/25/2021 that shows the canine is in overall decent health but does have some medical limitations.

Cost: \$ 0

Budgeted for: _____ **Yes** **No**

Financial Impact:

No financial impact at this time.

Action Requested from Council:

Approve canine "Yoeri's" retirement from active duty and allow adoptions by former handler.