



CITY OF KING CITY COUNCIL

MEETING DATE:

August 3, 2026

PART A

Subject:	Transfer of ownership of Police Canine "Truus" from the City of Durham to the City of King.
Action Requested:	Authorize the City Manager to enter into the agreement accepting ownership, possession, and liability for K9 Truus.
Attachments:	

<i>Jordan Boyette</i> Jordan Boyette	This abstract requires review by:	
	City Manager	City Attorney  07/31/2026

PART B**Introduction and Background:**

The City of Durham has determined that Police Canine "Truus," a three-year-old Dutch Shepherd, is no longer needed for Durham law enforcement purposes. The City of King has requested to accept K9 Truus for continued law enforcement service.

Discussion and Analysis:

Under the upcoming agreement, the City of King will assume responsibility for K9 Truus, including care, custody, welfare, maintenance, training, and veterinary care. The agreement also states that the City of King accepts K9 Truus in her current condition and assumes related risks and liability after the transfer.

Budgetary Impact:

No specific purchase cost is identified in the agreement. The City of King will be responsible for future care, maintenance, training, and veterinary expenses for K9 Truus.

Recommendation:

Staff recommends approval of the agreement and authorization for the City Manager to execute the agreement on behalf of the City of King.