



RESOLUTION #2026-06-08-01

**RESOLUTION OF THE TOWN OF LANDIS, NORTH CAROLINA RECOGNIZING THE SERVICE OF MASTER POLICE OFFICER, STEVEN HELMS, DECLARING HIS BADGE AND SERVICE WEAPON AS SURPLUS AND AWARDING IT TO HIM UPON HIS RETIREMENT**

**WHEREAS**, N.C.G.S. 17F-20. authorizes governing boards of law enforcement agencies to award retiring officers with their badge and service weapon; and

**WHEREAS**, Steven Helms served on the Town of Landis Police Force from 06/08/2001 until his retirement on 06/30/26 as Master Police Officer; and

**WHEREAS**, The Landis Board of Aldermen has declared Helms his Landis Police Badge and his service weapon, a Sig Sauer;, model W365X-9-BXR3P, Caliber: 9mm, Serial #66F754825 as surplus in the amount of \$1.00.

**NOW, BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, by the Town of Landis Board of Aldermen that Steven Helms be recognized for his dedicated service in protecting the rights and freedoms, as well as ensuring the safety of the residents of the Town of Landis and that the badge and service weapon are hereby declared surplus from the Town and that the Town Manager or his successors are authorized to present said badge and service weapon to Steven Helms upon his retirement.

Adopted this the 8<sup>th</sup> day of June 2026.

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Meredith Bare Smith, Mayor

**ATTEST:**

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Victoria Martin, Town Clerk