RESOLUTION NO. 2023-308-R

WHEREAS, the City of Madison Police Department acquired K-9 Officer Bruno in January of 2017; and

WHEREAS, in his six (6) years with the department, Bruno has significantly contributed to the resolution of numerous cases and, along with his handler and partner, Officer Adam Lawson, has been instrumental in the seizure of illegal drugs, as well as money related to the sale and distribution of illegal drugs; and

WHEREAS, Bruno has reached the end of his career as a K-9 officer and is no longer needed by the City for law enforcement or municipal purposes; and

WHEREAS, the Madison Police Department wishes to release Bruno from his drug enforcement responsibilities and allow him to retire and live with his long-time partner, Officer Adam Lawson

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Madison, Alabama, that K-9 officer Bruno is no longer needed for municipal purposes and that he is hereby retired; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Mayor is authorized to execute the K-9 Purchase Agreement attached to this resolution.

READ, **APPROVED**, **and ADOPTED** this 25th day of September 2023.

Ranae Bartlett, City Council President City of Madison, Alabama

ATTEST:

Lisa D. Thomas, City Clerk-Treasurer City of Madison, Alabama

APPROVED this _____ day of September, 2023.

Paul Finley , Mayor City of Madison, Alabama