

# MEMORANDUM

**To:** Mayor and Council

**From:** Ryan Spitzer

**Cc:** File

**Date:** 1/8/21

**Re:** Agenda Item - New Business: Award of Service Weapon and Badges to Retiring Police Officer

***Pursuant to NC General Statute 20-187.2***

The Town of Pineville has previously recognized the service of retiring police officers to our community with the presentation of the officer's service weapon and last badge worn in service. This gesture serves to demonstrate the town's appreciation for their service to our community.

Pursuant to N.C.G.S. 20-187.2, I request the disposition of the following service weapon and service badge to Chief Rob Merchant who will retire from the Pineville Police Department on January 1, 2021:

- Sig Sauer X Carry 9mm SN 58
- Chief Badge

**Recommended Motion:** Pursuant to General Statute 20-187.2, award the Sig Sauer X Carry 9mm SN 58 service weapon and police badge to Chief Rob Merchant upon his retirement.