



**A PROCLAMATION RECOGNIZING THE  
RETIREMENT OF CAPTAIN TOBY CALHOUN  
FROM THE PINEVILLE POLICE DEPARTMENT**

WHEREAS, TOBY CALHOUN WALKED THROUGH THE PINEVILLE POLICE DEPARTMENT DOORS ON JANUARY 30, 1992 AS A FRESH-FACED, AMBITIOUS 21-YEAR-OLD; AND

WHEREAS, WORKING THE PATROL BEAT FOR MANY YEARS, TOBY WAS DETERMINED TO PUSH FORWARD AND IN 2005 WAS MADE DETECTIVE; AND

WHEREAS, WORKING IN A VARIETY OF ROLES AFFORDED HIM THE OPPORTUNITY TO SHARE HIS KNOWLEDGE AND TOBY BECAME THE TRAINING COORDINATOR FOR THE DEPARTMENT FOR MANY YEARS AS WELL AS A GENERAL INSTRUCTOR; AND

WHEREAS, WITH HIS WEALTH OF KNOWLEDGE, TOBY WAS PROMOTED TO PATROL LIEUTENANT IN MARCH, 2017 AND BECAUSE OF HIS KNOWLEDGE, EXPERIENCE AND EASY-GOING NATURE, HE EARNED YET ANOTHER PROMOTION TO CAPTAIN IN SEPTEMBER, 2020; AND

WHEREAS, TOBY BECAME WELL-KNOWN AS A SPECIALIZED FIREARM INSTRUCTOR AND A DEDICATED DRIVING INSTRUCTOR;

WHEREAS, TOBY IS VERY INVOLVED IN HIS CHURCH AND WILL CONTINUE HIS INVOLVEMENT AFTER HIS RETIREMENT.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, MAYOR JACK EDWARDS, DO RECOGNIZE THE ACCOMPLISHMENTS THAT TOBY CALHOUN HAS ACHIEVED AND ASK THE RESIDENTS OF PINEVILLE, NORTH CAROLINA, TO ALSO JOIN IN CELEBRATING HIS ACHIEVEMENTS AND HIS UPCOMING RETIREMENT.

I, FURTHER RECOGNIZE TOBY'S LOVE OF FIREARMS, RETIRING IN HIS BELOVED CABIN IN THE MOUNTAINS, AND HIS ENDLESS PURSUIT OF SASQUATCH.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I HAVE HEREUNTO SET MY HAND AND CAUSED THE GREAT SEAL OF PINEVILLE TO BE AFFIXED ON THIS 22ND DAY OF JUNE IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD TWO THOUSAND AND TWENTY-ONE.

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**MAYOR JACK EDWARDS**