

RESOLUTION #2026-0406-001-R

A RESOLUTION CONCERNING THE RETIREMENT OF POLICE CANINE "BUCK" AND AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO EXECUTE THE DOCUMENTS NECESSARY TO TRANSFER THE OWNERSHIP OF "BUCK" TO ASSISTANT POLICE CHIEF CONNER STONE

WHEREAS, Police Canine "Buck" has faithfully served the Blountsville Police Department since May 7, 2021, assisting in law enforcement duties, safety, and community engagement; and

WHEREAS, "Buck" has demonstrated exceptional skill, loyalty, and dedication in the performance of assigned duties; and

WHEREAS, due to age and length of service, it is in the best interest of "Buck" to be retired from active duty; and

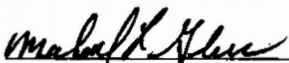
WHEREAS, the Blountsville Police Department recommends that "Buck" be released from service and placed in the care of Assistant Police Chief Conner Stone, the handler who has expressed willingness to assume full responsibility for the dog's care and well-being.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BLOUNTSVILLE TOWN COUNCIL THAT;

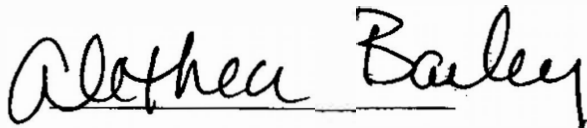
Police Canine Officer "Buck" is hereby officially retired from active service with the Town of Blountsville Police Department effective April 6, 2026 and;

That ownership and full responsibility be transferred to the Assistant Police Chief Conner Stone, the handler who has expressed to provide a loving home for "Buck" in retirement.

ADOPTED THIS THE 6<sup>TH</sup> DAY OF APRIL, 2026.



Mayor Michael Glass



Attest: Alethea Bailey

Town Clerk