

**RESOLUTION**  
**ALLOWING RETIRING OFFICER**  
**TO PURCHASE SERVICE SIDEARM**

**WHEREAS**, North Carolina General Statute § 20-187.2 provides that the governing body of a local law enforcement agency may, in its discretion, award to a retiring member the service handgun of the retiring member; *and*

**WHEREAS**, Detective Phillip “Lane” Kepley served as a member of the Rowan County Sheriff’s Office since December of 2002; and

**WHEREAS**, Detective Phillip “Lane” Kepley is retiring from the Rowan County Sheriff’s Office effective November 30, 2022.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** by the Rowan County Board of Commissioners to allow Detective Phillip “Lane” Kepley to purchase his service sidearm in accordance with the provisions of North Carolina General Statute § 20-187.2 for the purchase price of \$1.

This the 21st day of November, 2022.

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Gregory C. Edds, Chairman  
Rowan County  
Board of Commissioners

ATTEST:

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Carolyn Barger, MMC, NCMCC  
Clerk to the Board