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RESOLUTION IN APPRECIATION OF DEPUTY SHERIFF TOMMY GALLIS UPON HIS RETIREMENT FROM THE UNION COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE

WHEREAS the Village of Marvin desires to recognize and honor employees of the Village for dedicated and distinguished contributions to the community; and

WHEREAS Tommy Gallis began his career with the Union County Sheriff's Office in March of 1996 where the Union County Sheriff's Office sponsored him during Basic Law Enforcement Training (BLET); and

WHEREAS Tommy Gallis was hired as a Deputy Sherriff and assigned to the Detention Division in September 1996; and

WHEREAS Tommy Gallis was promoted to Corporal and served in the Detention Division in 1998 on Baker Squad; and

WHEREAS Tommy Gallis served as a Police Officer for the Town of Wingate from March 1999 until August 2000, after which he returned the Union County Sheriff's Office to work in the Detention Division and Court Security; and

WHEREAS Tommy Gallis served as a Community Deputy in Stallings from 2001-2004 and in Indian Trail in 2004 before moving to patrol; and

WHEREAS Tommy Gallis simultaneously served on the Special Response Team, initially as an operator, and later as a precision marksman; and

WHEREAS Tommy Gallis served as a K-9 handler from August 2008 until July 2020, working with three K-9s, with Champ while on patrol, with Zorro while on patrol, and with Aleia inside the school system; and

WHEREAS Tommy Gallis has faithfully served the Village of Marvin as a Community Deputy from July 2020 until his retirement from the Union County Sheriff's Office in April 2024; and

WHEREAS Tommy Gallis' selfless dedication to his profession made the Village of Marvin and all of Union County safer places to live and work.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Council of the Village of Marvin, that appreciation be shown to Deputy Sheriff Tommy Gallis in honor of his loyal service and dedication to the citizens of the Village of Marvin and urge all to extend congratulations to him upon his retirement.

Adopted this the 14th day of May 2024.

Joseph E. Pollino Jr., Mayor

Village of Marvin

Attest:

Austin W. Yow

Village Clerk & Assistant to the Manager

