

RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE SHERIFF OF MECKLENBURG COUNTY
TO TRANSFER OWNERSHIP OF RETIRED MECKLENBURG COUNTY
SHERIFF'S OFFICE CANINE OFFICER JOJO

WHEREAS, Canine Officer JoJo, a member of the Mecklenburg County Sheriff's Office (MCSO) canine force, has performed her law enforcement duties faithfully and diligently; and

WHEREAS, Canine Officer JoJo has reached the age and physical condition for retirement and is no longer useful for law enforcement purposes; and

WHEREAS, Due to his specialized training, Canine Officer JoJo would be a danger to public health and safety if adopted by or sold to a member of the general public who is unfamiliar with Canine Officer JoJo's law enforcement training; and

WHEREAS, Canine Officer JoJo is therefore of no economic value to Mecklenburg County, NC (the "County") and therefore, pursuant to authority granted by NCGS 160A-266(d)(iii), can be transferred without payment of compensation to his handler, who is familiar with his law enforcement training; now, therefore:

BE IT RESOLVED by the Mecklenburg County Board of Commissioners that the Sheriff of Mecklenburg County, or his designee, is hereby authorized to transfer ownership and possession of MCSO Canine Officer JoJo to his handler, MCSO Deputy James Sage, pursuant to the attached Memorandum of Understanding between MCSO and Deputy James Sage.

This resolution is adopted the 4th day of June 2024 to be effective immediately.

Approved as to Form:

County Attorney

CERTIFICATION

I, _____, Clerk to the Mecklenburg County Board of Commissioners, Charlotte, North Carolina, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a Resolution adopted by the Mecklenburg County Board of Commissioners in regular session convened on the 4th day of June, 2024 and recorded in full in Resolution Book ____Page____.

Witness my hand and seal this the ____ day of _____, 2024.

(Seal)
Clerk to Board