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Kevin King, County Manager

Subject: Request for Transfer of Service Handgun to Retiree of the Jackson County Sheriff's Office

Dear Mr. King,

I am writing to formally request the transfer of ownership of a service handgun to Lieutenant David Lovedahl, who will officially retire February 1, 2026, from his dedicated service with the Jackson County Sheriff's Office. Lieutenant Lovedahl fulfills all the necessary eligibility requirements to have his service handgun transferred to him upon retirement.

In accordance with North Carolina General Statute 20-187.2, I am seeking approval from The Jackson County Board of Commissioners to transfer the following service handgun to Lieutenant Lovedahl:

- **Glock model G45. 9mm handgun serial# CALZ412**

The statute empowers the board to facilitate this transaction at a cost determined by the board, which has historically been established at \$1.00, to be paid in cash at the time of approval.

I respectfully request your careful consideration of this matter and approval for the transfer of the service handgun to Lieutenant Lovedahl. Your attention and support in this regard would be greatly valued.

Thank you for your time and consideration.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Doug Farmer". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Sheriff Doug Farmer