

Darlington County Council Agenda Item Form

Agenda Item No. 2026-243-DCC

Submitted by: J. Janet Bishop

Submitting Department: Sheriff's Office

Meeting Date: May 4, 2026



SUBJECT:

Sheriff's Department Request For Surplus Weapon To Be Gifted To Retiring Officer

CURRENT STATUS:

Sheriff August states that the 9mm Glock 45COA, with Serial No. CGFU473, is considered surplus property and is no longer required for active departmental use. He also states that this request is in accordance with applicable laws and departmental policies. Sheriff August is requesting that this surplus weapon be gifted to Deputy Lori Newman, who is retiring from the Sheriff's Office after 12 years of dedicated service to the community.

POINTS TO CONSIDER:

The surplus weapon will be presented to Deputy Newman as her assigned service weapon, in recognition of her commitment, professionalism, and contributions over the course of her career.

This recognition is consistent with customary practices for retiring law enforcement personnel and serves as a token of appreciation for the officer's honorable service.

FINANCIAL IMPACT:

OPTION:

RECOMMENDATION:

Council's consideration of the Sheriff's request for a surplus 9mm Glock 45COA, with Serial No. CGFU473, be gifted to Deputy Lori Newman, who is retiring from the Sheriff's Department after 12 years of dedicated service to the community.

ATTACHMENTS (Relevant Documentation):

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