



Commendation

By the Mayor of Prattville, Alabama

WHEREAS, Mr. Lonnie Dale Yarbrough was hired by the City of Coosada Police Department in 1985 as a Reserve Police Officer; and

WHEREAS, Yarbrough at his own expense attended and graduated from the South West Alabama Police Academy on October 10, 1986 and met the requirements as a Certified Police Officer; and

WHEREAS, Yarbrough volunteered as a Reserve Police Officer for the City of Coosada Police Department after graduation and was hired as a dispatcher by the City of Millbrook Police Department in November 1986 and became a full-time law enforcement officer in January 1987; and

WHEREAS, Yarbrough began his career with the City of Prattville Police Department November 26, 1990 and has worked on all three patrol shifts including the Traffic Unit, Investigations, and School and Community Relations; and

WHEREAS, Yarbrough was promoted to Sergeant on October 27, 1993 and then promoted to Lieutenant on January 28, 2001; and

WHEREAS, throughout his career, Lieutenant Yarbrough has served as Chaplain, Vice President, President, and on the Executive Board of the Fraternal Order of Police Fountain City Lodge #22, and some state level committees; and

WHEREAS, Lieutenant Yarbrough has been an asset to the Police Department and the City of Prattville. He was awarded the Law Enforcement Officer of the Year Award in May 2010 by the Veterans' of Foreign Wars of the United States.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Bill Gillespie, Jr., Mayor of the City of Prattville do hereby commend

Lieutenant Lonnie Dale Yarbrough

For his dedication and commitment to our great City and wish him the best of luck in retirement.



Given Under My Hand and the Seal of the City of Prattville on the 1st day of October 2015.

Bill Gillespie Jr.

Mayor Bill Gillespie, Jr.