



State of Tennessee

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 220

By Senator Southerland

and

Representatives Faison, Eldridge

A RESOLUTION to recognize Detective Lieutenant Vicki Arnold on the occasion of her retirement.

WHEREAS, it is appropriate that the members of this General Assembly should honor those citizens who have performed with uncommon devotion and enthusiasm throughout their years of public service; and

WHEREAS, Detective Lieutenant Vicki Arnold is one such estimable person, who, after thirty-five years of devoted service to the Morristown Police Department, took her much-deserved retirement; and

WHEREAS, she began her career with the Morristown Police Department (MPD) in 1988 as a patrol officer and has since served in several integral positions, including Master Patrol Officer, School Resource Officer, Field Training Officer, and D.A.R.E. officer; she was also a member of the MPD Honor Guard; and

WHEREAS, in 2002, Detective Lieutenant Arnold was promoted to the detective unit, where she served as the Juvenile Services Officer and a member of the Internet Crimes Against Children and Homicide units; and

WHEREAS, following completion of the Police Academy at Walters State Community College, Detective Lieutenant Arnold earned a bachelor's degree and a Master of Science degree in Criminal Justice at the University of Tennessee; and

WHEREAS, committed to excelling in her field, Detective Lieutenant Arnold graduated from the Federal Bureau of Investigation National Academy in Quantico, Virginia, in 2016; and

WHEREAS, Detective Lieutenant Vicki Arnold exemplifies the spirit and allegiance to family and community that are characteristic of a true Tennessean; and

WHEREAS, throughout her estimable career, Detective Lieutenant Arnold demonstrated the utmost professionalism, ability, and integrity, winning the unbridled respect and admiration of her colleagues; now, therefore,


BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED THIRTEENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING, that we extend to Detective Lieutenant Vicki Arnold our heartfelt wishes for a happy and fulfilling retirement and every continued success in her future endeavors.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy and upon proper request made to the appropriate clerk, the language appearing immediately following the State seal appear without House or Senate designation.

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ADOPTED: March 2, 2023


RANDY McNALLY
SPEAKER OF THE SENATE


CAMERON SEXTON, SPEAKER
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

APPROVED this 9th day of March 2023


BILL LEE, GOVERNOR