

- WHEREAS, John Higginbotham began his public service career with Hall County on January 2, 1996; and
- WHEREAS, Mr. Higginbotham has served the citizens of Hall County in many capacities: Jailer, Deputy Sheriff, Investigator, and Sergeant; and
- WHEREAS, during his employment with Hall County, Mr. Higginbotham proudly served for 14 years in the Multi-Agency Narcotics Unit and as an agent on the Gang Task Force. He dutifully received the Sheriff's Commendation Award in 2010 and 2018 along with a Police Services Commendation Award in 2010; and
- WHEREAS, Captain Jason Smith stated, "John provided faithful and professional service to three Sheriffs throughout his 25 year law enforcement career. His selfless service made a difference in the lives of many."; and
- WHEREAS, Mr. Higginbotham retired on October 8, 2021 and plans to return to school to pursue his commercial pilot license; and
- NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Hall County Board of Commissioners does hereby pay tribute to

## John Higginbotham

and recognizes him for his many accomplishments, contributions, and 25 years of dedicated service to Hall County and its citizens and extends to him their most sincere wishes for continued success in his future endeavors.

Adopted this 23rd day of February, 2023.

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