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January 12, 2021

Reserve Captain Russell Akers
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Russ,

I'm in receipt of your letter of resignation (retirement) stating that effective January 29, 2021 you are riding off into the sunset. I accept your letter of resignation. You have served with "honor and dignity" over the past thirty three years. I can't even begin to count the number of volunteer hours you provided to the residents of Franklin County, as a Reserve Deputy for the Franklin County Sheriff's Office. Truly stellar volunteerism.

I will forward your in-house working records to Human Resources for your personnel file. Please make arrangements before your departure to hand in all Sheriff Office owned equipment and uniforms etc. In exchange we will be providing you with a few mementos to remember us all.

On behalf of the citizen of Franklin County thank you for your service to community. Best luck with your travels and future endeavors. Feel free to stop by and visit anytime you choose.

Respectfully,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "J.D. Raymond".

Sheriff J.D. Raymond

Cc: Command Staff
Human Resource Director Carlee Nave
Keith Johnson County Administrator
Board of County Commissioner (3)

Letter of Retirement

To: Sheriff Jim Raymond

So after 33 years with the Franklin County Sheriffs Reserve unit on January 29, 2021 I plan to retire from the unit.

It has been a GREAT honor and pleasure working with you and all the Deputies in the department. A lot of things have changed for the better since you were elected and will continue to support you as my sheriff.

This will start a new chapter in my life enjoying the finer times of retirement. My wife and I intend to do some traveling on our motorcycles with the eventually exploring some of the southern parts of our beautiful country.

Yours respectfully

Russell Akers

Reserve Captain

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CERTIFICATE OF APPRECIATION

awarded to:

RESERVE CAPTAIN RUSSELL AKERS

IN RECOGNITION OF THIRTY-THREE YEARS
OF SERVICE AND DEDICATION TO FRANKLIN COUNTY AND ITS CONSTITUENTS
AS A RESERVE DEPUTY WITH THE SHERIFF'S OFFICE



presented January 19, 2021 by
THE BOARD OF FRANKLIN COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

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