

**BOARD OF SUPERVISORS  
COUNTY OF NEW KENT  
VIRGINIA**

**R-04-16**

At the regular meeting of the Board of Supervisors of the County of New Kent, in the Boardroom of the Administration Building in New Kent, Virginia, on the 8<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2016:

<u>Present:</u>	<u>Vote:</u>
Thomas W. Evelyn	Aye
C. Thomas Tiller, Jr.	Aye
Patricia A. Paige	Aye
W. R. Davis, Jr.	Aye
Ron Stiers	Aye

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Motion was made by Mr. Tiller, which carried 5:0, to adopt the following resolution:

**A RESOLUTION IN HONOR OF  
THE HONORABLE FARRAR W. HOWARD, JR.,  
ON HIS RETIREMENT FROM THE POSITION OF  
NEW KENT COUNTY SHERIFF**

WHEREAS, the Honorable Farrar W. Howard, Jr., New Kent County Sheriff has retired effective December 31, 2015; and

WHEREAS, the Honorable Farrar W. Howard, Jr. was first elected as New Kent County Sheriff in November of 1979 and served continuously for nine terms totaling thirty-six years; and

WHEREAS, the Honorable Farrar W. Howard, Jr. was first hired as a Deputy by New Kent County Sheriff Donald McKay in 1976; and

WHEREAS, under the leadership of the Honorable Farrar W. Howard, Jr., the New Kent Sheriff's Office has become a state-of-the-art, technologically advanced, award-winning department; and

WHEREAS, the Honorable Farrar W. Howard, Jr. is well known for his wise leadership, keen intelligence and dedication to public service; and

WHEREAS, the Honorable Farrar W. Howard, Jr. is a man of integrity and honor and is well-respected by the citizens of New Kent County and members of law enforcement agencies across the Commonwealth of Virginia; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Supervisors desires to acknowledge these qualities and further to express its appreciation for his thirty-nine years of service and dedication;

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that on this, the 8<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2016, the New Kent County Board of Supervisors does hereby convey its deepest gratitude to the Honorable Farrar W. Howard, Jr. for distinguished service to the citizens of New Kent County and honors him on the occasion of his retirement.

  
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Rodney A. Hathaway  
County Administrator

  
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Ron Stiers  
Chairman