

# COTTONWOOD HEIGHTS

## RESOLUTION NO. 2023-45

### A RESOLUTION AWARDING A RETIRING POLICE OFFICER HIS BADGE AND APPROVING HIS PURCHASE OF A POLICE FIREARM

**WHEREAS**, §2.150.060 of the COTTONWOOD HEIGHTS CODE (the “Code”) establishes the procedures for disposal by the city of Cottonwood Heights (the “City”) of its surplus property; and

**WHEREAS**, under Code §2.150.060(H)(2)(a)-(b), the City’s city council (the “Council”) may, by resolution following recommendation by the City’s chief of police (the “Chief”), award a retiring City police officer his badge and allow a retiring City police officer to purchase his sidearm from the City for such consideration as the Council may deem appropriate; and

**WHEREAS**, §2.150.060(H)(3) of the Code provides that conveyances of equipment under Code §2.150.060(H) may occur without compliance with the surplus and sale procedures applicable to other types of City property; and

**WHEREAS**, City police Officer Jeff Potter (“*Officer Potter*”) is retiring from the City’s police department and desires to obtain his City police badge no. 23 (the “*Badge*”) and his City police department-issued Springfield Armory Operator .45 caliber sidearm (serial no. LW115775) (the “*Firearm*”); and

**WHEREAS**, the Chief has recommended that the Council should award Officer Potter his Badge and allow Officer Potter to purchase the Firearm from the City for \$10.00; and

**WHEREAS**, the Council met on 15 August 2023 to consider, among other things, awarding the Badge to Officer Potter and allowing Officer Potter to purchase the Firearm from the City for \$10.00; and

**WHEREAS**, the Council determined that \$10.00 is appropriate consideration for the Firearm; and

**WHEREAS**, after reviewing the Chief’s recommendation and careful consideration, the Council has determined that it is in the best interests of the health, safety and welfare of the citizens of the City to award Officer Potter his Badge and approve Officer Potter’s purchase of the Firearm from the City for \$10.00 in accordance with Code §2.150.060(H)(2)(a)-(b);

**NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** by the Cottonwood Heights city council as follows:


1. Officer Potter is hereby awarded his Badge; and
2. Officer Potter’s purchase of his Firearm from the City for \$10.00 is hereby approved.

This Resolution, assigned no. 2023-45, shall take effect immediately upon passage.

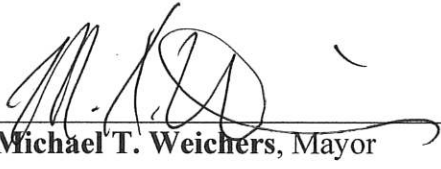
PASSED AND APPROVED effective 15 August 2023.

ATTEST:

COTTONWOOD HEIGHTS CITY COUNCIL

By:   
Paula Melgar, Recorder



By:   
Michael T. Weichers, Mayor

VOTING:

Michael T. Weichers	Yea <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Nay <input type="checkbox"/>
Matt Holton	Yea <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Nay <input type="checkbox"/>
J. Scott Bracken	Yea <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Nay <input type="checkbox"/>
Shawn E. Newell	Yea <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Nay <input type="checkbox"/>
Ellen Birrell	Yea <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Nay <input type="checkbox"/>

DEPOSITED in the office of the City Recorder on 15 August 2023.

RECORDED this 15 day of August 2023.