

STATE OF GEORGIA

COUNTY OF CLAYTON

RESOLUTION NO. 2011-165

A RESOLUTION TO RETIRE POLICE CANINE LAKOTA FROM ACTIVE SERVICE AND TO GRANT A CONDITIONAL GIFT FOR HIS REMAINING YEARS.

WHEREAS, canine Lakota was seriously injured on the job and will not be able to return to duty as full service police canine due to his injuries; and

WHEREAS, the County commends and acknowledges his assistance in helping to make our community safer; and

WHEREAS, Officer Travis J. Fox has been Lakota's human partner and wishes to provide for Lakota in his retirement and for his remaining years.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF CLAYTON COUNTY, GEORGIA AND IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED:

Section 1. The County formally recognizes and commends canine Lakota for his years of outstanding service to the community.

Section 2. The Chairman is authorized to enter into a contract to provide for a conditional gift of canine Lakota to Officer Travis J. Fox. Where Officer Travis J. Fox is to have and to hold Lakota for the remainder of Lakota's life, on the condition that Lakota shall not be sold, loaned, given to another, or used as a police canine; and on the further condition that should Officer Travis J. Fox be no longer able or willing to provide for Lakota or should there be a default of the stated condition, that Lakota shall be returned to the County's Animal Control Unit.

Section 3. Police canine Lakota is hereby retired from active service with the Clayton County Police Department.

SO RESOLVED, this the 4th day of October, 2011.

CLAYTON COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS


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