



BALDWIN COUNTY COMMISSION  
BALDWIN COUNTY, ALABAMA

## **RESOLUTION #2021-003**

COMMENDING CAPTAIN GREG THICKLIN UPON THE OCCASION OF HIS  
RETIREMENT AS CAPTAIN OF THE BALDWIN COUNTY CORRECTIONS CENTER  
AND FOR HIS YEARS OF DISTINGUISHED PUBLIC SERVICE.

WHEREAS, Captain Greg Thicklin began his career as a Deputy Jailer under Sheriff Thomas A. “Buck” Benton in January of 1987.

WHEREAS, Captain Thicklin graduated the Southwest Alabama Police Academy (SWAPA) in 1995; and

WHEREAS, Captain Thicklin was promoted to the rank of Corrections Corporal in January of 1996; and

WHEREAS, Captain Thicklin was recognized as Employee of the Quarter for the Baldwin County Corrections Center in July of 1997; and

WHEREAS, Captain Thicklin was promoted to the rank of Corrections Sergeant as Security Head Supervisor in October of 1999; and

WHEREAS, Captain Thicklin was promoted to the rank of Corrections Staff Sergeant over Docket in November of 2001; and

WHEREAS, Captain Thicklin received a Certificate of Appreciation for 20 years of service to the Baldwin County Sheriff’s Office from Sheriff Huey “Hoss” Mack and retired Colonel Charlie Jones in December of 2007; and

WHEREAS, Captain Thicklin was promoted to the rank of Lieutenant over Security and Transportation in April of 2009; and

WHEREAS, Captain Thicklin took Command of the Honor Guard in 2013; and

WHEREAS, Captain Thicklin was promoted to Corrections Captain over Support in August of 2014; and

WHEREAS, Captain Thicklin served under three Sheriffs’ of Baldwin County: Sheriff Thomas A. “Buck” Benton, Sheriff James B. Johnson, and Sheriff Huey “Hoss” Mack; and

WHEREAS, Captain Thicklin developed a comprehensive amount of knowledge and experience of Corrections Center procedures through numerous trainings with the American Jail Association (AJA) and Alabama Jail Association (AJA) which enabled him to be of immense value to the Corrections Center, the Sheriff’s Office, and the County; and

WHEREAS, with Captain Thicklin’s many accomplishments and almost 34 years of service in law enforcement and serving the public, it is only fitting that this honorable county governing body publicly recognize and commend Captain Thicklin for his distinguished public service; now therefore

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BALDWIN COUNTY COMMISSION, IN REGULAR SESSION ASSEMBLED, that we hereby gratefully commend Captain Greg Thicklin on the occasion of his retirement from public service and recognize his distinguished and committed public service on behalf of the Baldwin County Commission and the citizens of Baldwin County, Alabama.

FURTHER, BE IT RESOLVED, that a copy of this resolution, recorded in the official minutes of this honorable county governing body and codified as *Resolution #2021-003 of the Baldwin County Commission*, be conveyed to Captain Greg Thicklin in sincere praise for his years of distinguished public service as well as for his many outstanding accomplishments.

*IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we have hereunto set our hands and caused the Seal of the County of Baldwin to be affixed at the County Seat in Bay Minette, Alabama, on this the 20<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2020.*

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Billie Jo Underwood  
Chairman

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Joe Davis, III  
Vice Chairman

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James E. Ball  
Commissioner

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Charles F. Gruber  
Commissioner