

Alec McDowell Jr.

Alec worked hard with the community to give youth second chances so they could have the opportunity to turn their lives around. To this day he has changed many lives due to his compassion for others and helping people get on the right track. He put his heart and soul into serving Bay Minette, in hopes to have made a difference.

Air Force (1951 – 1955)

Enlisted at 17-years old

Fought in the Korean War

Awarded for Outstanding Fueling of Military Aircraft in 1955

Was awarded Unit Citation Ribbon for service

Received the Korean Service Metal, with two stars for the battles he was in

South Korean President gave him a metal for being in the war

Police Force (1966 – 1994)

Joined the police force at age 33

Always wanted to become a police officer since he was a little boy

Awarded policeman of the year twice

Went through all the ranks as an officer, Patrolman to Chief

Chief of Police for three years and served for 28 years

Outstanding Recognition for Broughton Case

Awarded in Official Detective Stories Magazine in 1976

Recognized in the Newspaper 121 times for his contributions

Letter of Appreciation from FBI (1971)

Letter of Appreciation from Mayor for bombing investigation (1977)

Recognition for solving 80 burglaries (1980)

Letter of Appreciation for Establishing Ambulance Service at North Baldwin Hospital in 1989

Letter of Appreciation for Service from President George Bush (1990)