

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA)
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COUNTY OF DARLINGTON)

RESOLUTION NO. 800

***Resolution Honoring The Life And Service Of
Darlington County Sheriff's Deputy Devin Mason***

WHEREAS, the members of Darlington County Council are deeply saddened by the tragic loss of Darlington County Sheriff's Deputy Devin Mason, who was killed in the line of duty on July 1, 2025, when he was ambushed while responding to a call for a wanted individual; and

WHEREAS, Deputy Mason, only 27 years old, answered the highest call of service, dedicating himself to the protection and safety of others; and

WHEREAS, Deputy Mason began his career in law enforcement with the Darlington County Sheriff's Office on November 18, 2024, when he was officially sworn in as a Deputy Sheriff; and

WHEREAS, Deputy Mason graduated from the South Carolina Criminal Justice Academy on March 28, 2025, and successfully completed his field training just one week prior to his death; and

WHEREAS, it was Deputy Mason's lifelong dream to serve as a law enforcement officer, and he approached his duty with unwavering dedication, integrity, and professionalism; and

WHEREAS, during Deputy Mason's brief time with Darlington County Sheriff's Office, he made a lasting impact through his selfless service, compassion, and commitment to the people of Darlington County; and


WHEREAS, Deputy Mason's ultimate sacrifice is a solemn reminder of the dangers faced by law enforcement officers every day and the profound courage they demonstrate in service to our communities.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the governing body of Darlington County, South Carolina, the Darlington County Council, to extend its heartfelt condolences to Deputy Mason's family, fellow law enforcement officers, and friends.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that this resolution is presented in recognition of Deputy Mason's dedicated service, and that his legacy of honor and bravery shall never be forgotten.

Adopted by the Darlington County Council on July 7, 2025.




Bobby Hudson, Chairman
Darlington County Council


Attest: J. JaNet Bishop
Clerk to Council