

# City of Commerce City, Colorado



## Proclamation

*WHEREAS, Commander Charles Baker retired from the City of Commerce City with 36 years of service on April 1, 2016; and*

*WHEREAS, Commander Baker was responsible for the administrative functions within support services and personnel including, the police records, youth services and special operations units and managed the police department's \$15.2 million budget; and*

*WHEREAS, during his career Commander Baker served as a police officer for six years, sergeant for 11 years and served as acting Chief of Police for two years; and*

*WHEREAS, Commander Baker represented the city in professional organizations such as the North Metro Drug Task Force Board of Governors, Police Liability Committee, Commerce Police Pension Board and the Adams County Patrol Commanders Association; and*

*WHEREAS, Commander Baker was selected as the Chief of Police for the City of Cody, Wyoming, following a nationwide search that yielded 77 applicants and five finalists.*

*NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT the City Council of Commerce City honors COMMANDER CHARLES BAKER for his 36 years of dedication to the city and his steadfast commitment to helping build a Quality Community for a Lifetime.*

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and caused this seal to be affixed on the seventh day of March 2016.

CITY OF COMMERCE CITY, COLORADO

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Sean Ford, Mayor

