

**BOARD OF SUPERVISORS**  
**Agenda Item**

<b>Meeting Date:</b>	January 22, 2013
<b>Title:</b>	Recognize Posthumously Danny Hatch for His Service to Stafford County
<b>Department:</b>	Public Information
<b>Staff Contact:</b>	Shannon Howell, PIO
<b>Board Committee/ Other BACC:</b>	NA
<b>Staff Recommendation:</b>	NA
<b>Budget Impact:</b>	NA
<b>Time Sensitivity:</b>	N/A

**ATTACHMENTS:**

1.	Background Report	2.	Proposed Proclamation P13-02
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<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<b>Consent Agenda</b>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>Other Business</b>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>Unfinished Business</b>
<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>Discussion</b>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>Presentation</b>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>Work Session</b>
<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>New Business</b>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>Public Hearing</b>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>Add-On</b>

**REVIEW:**

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	County Administrator	
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<b>DISTRICT:</b>	Falmouth
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<b>REQUESTED BY:</b>	Susan Stimpson
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### **BACKGROUND REPORT**

Danny Hatch was a Stafford County employee, who passed away unexpectedly due to illness in December, 2012. He spent his life in the service of Stafford County, working for the Sheriff's Office and for the Department of Information Technology for a combined 38 years.

Prior to coming to Stafford County, Danny Hatch served as a Marine in Vietnam, earning two Purple Hearts and a Bronze Star.

Danny Hatch worked for the Stafford County Sheriff's Office for over 27 years, retiring as a captain. During his time at the Sheriff's Office, he served in many capacities: as a canine handler; a S.W.A.T. team member; Division Commander of Investigative Services; and Division Commander of Administrative Services. He also earned the distinction of graduating from the FBI National Academy.

After his retirement from the Sheriff's Office, Danny Hatch continued his employment for over 11 years with Stafford County in the Information Technology Department. His contribution to the public safety system played a pivotal role in providing critical services and information to the Sheriff's Office. He also helped support many other County systems.

Danny Hatch was a much loved and valued long-time member of the Stafford County family of employees. He will be sorely missed.

Proposed Proclamation P13-02 recognizes Danny Hatch for his many contributions to the County and its citizens.

PROPOSED

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS  
COUNTY OF STAFFORD  
STAFFORD, VIRGINIA

PROCLAMATION

At a regular meeting of the Stafford County Board of Supervisors (the Board) held in the Board Chambers, Stafford County Administration Center, Stafford, Virginia, on the 22<sup>nd</sup> day of January, 2013:

MEMBERS:

Susan B. Stimpson, Chairman  
Robert "Bob" Thomas, Jr., Vice Chairman  
Jack R. Cavalier  
Paul V. Milde III  
Ty A. Schieber  
Gary F. Snellings  
Cord A. Sterling

VOTE:

On motion of , seconded by , which carried by a vote of , the following was adopted:

A PROCLAMATION TO RECOGNIZE POSTHUMOUSLY DANNY  
HATCH FOR HIS SERVICE TO STAFFORD COUNTY

WHEREAS, Danny Hatch had a long and distinguished career serving the citizens of Stafford County for over 38 years; and

WHEREAS, after 27 ½ years with the Stafford County Sheriff's Office, Danny Hatch retired as a Captain; and

WHEREAS, Danny Hatch's many contributions to the Sheriff's Office include serving as Division Commander of both Investigative Services and Administrative Services, as a S.W.A.T. team member and canine handler, and earning the distinction of graduating from the FBI National Academy; and

WHEREAS, during his more than 11 years with the Stafford County Information Technology Department, Danny Hatch played a pivotal role in providing critical services and information to the Sheriff's Office through his work with the public safety system, and provided support to many other County systems;

WHEREAS, Danny Hatch also served his country honorably, as a Marine in Vietnam, where he earned two Purple Hearts and a Bronze Star;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT PROCLAIMED by the Stafford County Board of Supervisors on this the 22<sup>nd</sup> day of January, 2013, that it be and hereby does recognize posthumously Danny Hatch for his selfless devotion and service to the citizens and government of Stafford County.