

INTERNAL Email – Chief Dulin Retirement Announcement

To all personnel,

I have an important update that I wanted to share with you before it is released to the public.

Deputy Chief Jeff Dulin has decided that he will retire, effective 5 p.m. today, Friday, Feb. 27, 2015.

As many of you know, Deputy Chief Dulin joined the Charlotte Fire Department in 1983 and served as a firefighter, Captain and Battalion Chief before he was named Deputy Chief in 2002.

I want to thank Deputy Chief Dulin for his 32 years of service to Charlotte and the Charlotte Fire Department. From fighting fires to his dedication to Emergency Management and Homeland Security, he has served the City and its citizens well, especially in his leading role in planning for the Democratic National Convention.

Chief Dulin's responsibilities as deputy chief included overseeing communications, Charlotte-Mecklenburg Emergency Management, special operations and training.

I will provide additional information about who will oversee his responsibilities as soon as we make those decisions.

As many of you know, Chief Dulin and I rode old Squad 1 together and he will be sorely missed.

Thank you for all that you do.

Jon Hannan