## Ronnie Hopkins Detention Officer Master Sheriff's Office

Ronnie Hopkins began his career with the Wake County Sheriff's Office on March 16, 1990. He holds an instructor certification and taught many Detention Officer Certification Courses.

Ronnie has worked in most areas of the Detention Division. In earlier years, he helped with special events such as Drug Raids, DWI checkpoints, and Warrants pick-up.

During inclement weather, he was the one to pick up officers from Raleigh to Johnston County to make sure they arrived at work safely. He was the type of officer who came to work prepared and ready for duty and always had a great attitude and temperament. He had strong relationships with his co-workers while working in the jail environment and was always willing to share his experience and knowledge with them. He had good ideas and suggestions concerning the jail and the dorms.

In 2017, he received the Employee of the Year award for the Wake County Detention Center.

Please join me in congratulating Ronnie on his retirement.