

THE CITY OF
PORTSMOUTH

September 24, 2008

Kenneth L. Chandler, City Manager
801 Crawford Street
Portsmouth, VA 23704

Dear Mr. Chandler:

As you will recall, when asked to take this appointment, I agreed to serve for about sixty days. I have exceeded that and while I had indicated a willingness to serve an additional period have decided against any further extension.

I have deferred for too long personal obligations and relationships at home, more particularly, the daily association with family and friends. Accordingly, I hereby submit my resignation as Interim Police Chief effective October 8, 2008.

Sincerely,



William F. Corvello
Interim Chief of Police