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**EXHIBIT 1  
RESOLUTION NO. 2024-**

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**A RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND CITY COMMISSION  
OF THE CITY OF HALLANDALE BEACH, FLORIDA,  
SUPPORTING THE AMERICAN JEWISH COMMITTEE'S  
CALLS FOR EMERGENCY ACTION TO COMBAT THE WAVE  
OF ANTISEMITIC VIOLENCE AND ENFORCE ACTION  
PLANS TO COUNTER ANTISEMITISM; AND PROVIDING  
FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.**

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**WHEREAS**, the City of Hallandale Beach has a large Jewish-American and Israeli-American community residing in the City who have been affected by the unprovoked Hamas terror on the State of Israel. The City Commission stands in solidarity with the Jewish community, many of whom originate from European countries and have significant ties to Europe; and

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**WHEREAS**, numerous news reports have described the rise in anti-Semitic acts, including, but not limited to, the hunting of Jews that took place on the streets of Amsterdam recently; and

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**WHEREAS**, the City Commission has taken action to fight antisemitism, including adopting the definition of anti-Semitism drafted with the assistance of the American Jewish Committee (AJC) and adopted by the International Holocaust Remembrance Alliance, so that the City Police Department should consider potential anti-Semitic motivation for criminal offenses, in order to ensure the safety and well-being of its Jewish community; and

**WHEREAS**, the AJC, the global advocacy organization for the Jewish people, has called for immediate action from European government ministers in response to surging and increasingly violent antisemitism on the continent; and

**WHEREAS**, the AJC has called for emergency measures implementing new enforcement, protection and justice-related actions in the fight against antisemitism, including: creating internal monitoring and enforcement mechanisms to implement national action plans; protecting Jewish communities by getting ahead of threats and establishing

36 intergovernmental taskforces; and, adopting a zero tolerance policy for antisemitic acts to  
37 include full prosecution of hate crimes with clear penalties; and

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39 **WHEREAS**, the proposals of the AJC are tangible steps that can be taken by  
40 governments that are truly committed to countering antisemitism; and

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42 **WHEREAS**, the Mayor and City Commission find that it is in the best interest of the  
43 residents of the City of Hallandale Beach to support the calls of the AJC for European  
44 governments, and, in fact, all governments, to recognize the existential threat facing the  
45 Jewish community and to take tangible steps to protect these communities from the rise of  
46 hate crimes and antisemitic acts.

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48 **NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MAYOR AND THE CITY**  
49 **COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF HALLANDALE BEACH, FLORIDA:**

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51 **SECTION 1.** The foregoing “Whereas” clauses are incorporated herein.

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53 **SECTION 2.** The Mayor and City Commission hereby support the calls of the  
54 American Jewish Committee for European governments, and, in fact, all governments, to  
55 recognize the existential threat facing the Jewish community and to take the practical and  
56 tangible steps recommended by the AJC to protect these communities from the rise of hate  
57 crimes and antisemitic acts.

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59 **SECTION 3. Effective Date.** This Resolution shall take effect immediately upon its  
60 passage and adoption.

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62 APPROVED AND ADOPTED this \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 2024.

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67 JOY F. COOPER  
68 MAYOR

69 SPONSORED BY: MAYOR JOY F. COOPER

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JENORGEN GUILLEN

75 CITY CLERK

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78 APPROVED AS TO LEGAL SUFFICIENCY

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JENNIFER MERINO

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