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**EXHIBIT 1
RESOLUTION NO. 2024-**

A RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF HALLANDALE BEACH, FLORIDA AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO ENTER INTO A FIVE-YEAR AGREEMENT WITH LOU'S POLICE SUPPLY FOR POLICE UNIFORMS AND RELATED SUPPLIES FOR A TOTAL NOT TO EXCEED AMOUNT OF FOUR HUNDRED THREE THOUSAND SIX HUNDRED FORTY EIGHT DOLLARS (\$403,648); AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, Chapter 23, Section 23-4 requires competitive bidding for all purchases and contracts exceeding \$50,000, and Section 23-8(4) authorizes the waiver of the competitive bidding process when no bid is received, subject to City Commission approval of a purchases over \$50,000; and

WHEREAS, Lou's Police Supply has been providing the Hallandale Beach Police Department (HBPD) with uniforms and supplies for several years, with the current contract having expired on September 30, 2024; and

WHEREAS, on July 23, 2024, the City issued a Request for Proposal (RFP) for police uniforms, but no vendors submitted a response within the allotted time; and

WHEREAS, HBPD has negotiated with Lou's Police Supply to supply uniforms and related materials for both sworn officers and civilian employees of the department over the next five years, structured as follows: Years 1 to 3 will be priced at \$79,288 annually, Year 4 will increase to \$81,667 (a 3% increase), and Year 5 will further increase to \$84,117 (a 3% increase); and

WHEREAS, Staff recommends approval of a five-year agreement with Lou's Police Supply, as the cost benefits include establishing a long-term, stable relationship with a reliable vendor for police uniforms, reducing procurement frequency, and ensuring predictable budget planning through fixed pricing for the first three years, followed by a modest 3% increase in the last two years, thus minimizing financial risk; and

