RESOLUTION NO.: 2015-54

RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF HIALEAH, FLORIDA, APPROVING THE EXPENDITURE TOTALING AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED $4,475.80 FROM THE LAW ENFORCEMENT TRUST FUND - *STATE*, TO PURCHASE SCHOOL CROSSING GUARD UNIFORMS FROM REFLECTIVE APPAREL FACTORY, INC., THE LOWEST QUOTED VENDOR, UPON SUCH COSTS HAVING BEEN APPROVED BY THE CHIEF OF POLICE.

WHEREAS, the Hialeah Police Department provides adult school crossing guards for the protection of adults and children who are crossing streets in the City of Hialeah in the vicinity of a school; and

WHEREAS, the Florida Department of Transportation recently released a training guideline that mandates the school crossing guard uniform; and

WHEREAS, the Florida Department of Transportation uniform guidelines mandate that the school crossing guards shall wear a insignias on a high visibility, reflective outer garment that meets the ANSI 107-2004 standard performance for Class2 risk exposure; and

WHEREAS the Florida Department of Transportation approved uniform is critical for those employees performing tasks on or near moving vehicles; and

WHEREAS, the current uniforms utilized by the school crossing guards are not in compliance with the new standard mandated by the Florida Department of Transportation; and

WHEREAS, Reflective Apparel Factory, Inc., is the lowest quoted vendor; and

WHEREAS, the funds to cover these necessary and legitimate expenses are available in the Law Enforcement Trust Fund - *State*; and

WHEREAS, the Chief of Police has recommended adoption of this resolution and determined that the proposed expenditure complies with all applicable statutes.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF HIALEAH, FLORIDA, THAT:

Section 1. The Mayor and the City Council of the City of Hialeah, Florida, approve the expenditure of an amount not to exceed $4,475.80 from the Law Enforcement Trust Fund – *State*, for the purchase of school crossing guard uniforms from Reflective Apparel Factory, Inc., the lowest quoted vendor, upon such costs having been approved by the Chief of Police.

PASSED AND ADOPTED this 14 day of April, 2015.

Isis Garcia-Martinez, Council President

Attest:

Approved on the 17 day of April, 2015.

Marbelys Fatjo, City Clerk

Mayor Carlos Hernandez

Approved as to legal sufficiency and form:

Lorena Bravo, City Attorney

Resolution was adopted by a 6-0-1 vote with Council Members Caragol, Casáls-Muñoz, Cue-Fuente, Gonzalez, Hernandez, & Lozano voting "Yes", & Councilmember Garcia-Martinez, absent.