

RESOLUTION NO. 2020-136

RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF HIALEAH, FLORIDA, APPROVING THE EXPENDITURE IN AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$40,410.00 FROM THE LAW ENFORCEMENT TRUST FUND-*STATE* FOR THE PURCHASE OF SIX (6) S.W.O.R.D. DEPLOYABLE WEAPONS KIT AND S.W.O.R.D. INTERNATIONAL SEMI-AUTO FAMILIARIZATION AGENCY TRAINING COURSE FROM LOU'S POLICE DISTRIBUTOR, LOWEST QUOTED VENDOR, UPON SUCH COSTS HAVING BEEN APPROVED BY THE CHIEF OF POLICE, AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, it is the practice of the Hialeah Police Department to respond quickly and effectively to any situation, including hostage barricades and active shooter situations, in the most professional manner possible to protect life and property; and

WHEREAS, Special Weapons and Tactics Team (SWAT) in the Hialeah Police Department is a law enforcement unit which uses specialized or military equipment and tactics; and

WHEREAS, S.W.O.R.D. MK17 weapon is an accurate and reliable type of weapon that helps reduce liability with higher probability of hitting the intended target; and

WHEREAS, SWAT operators in the Hialeah Police Department are in need of S.W.O.R.D. Deployable Weapons Kit and familiarization training course which includes MK17 weapons and training to achieve tactical excellence; and

WHEREAS, the Hialeah Police Department needs the tools such as MK17 weapons that are critical for the protection of life and property and for the preservation of the public peace, safety, health, welfare, and for the continuity of efficient government operations; and

WHEREAS, Lou's Police Distributor is an active corporation in good standing in the state of Florida and is the lowest quoted vendor; and

WHEREAS, funding for this project will be from account 105.1000.521.640 Law Enforcement Trust Fund-*State*; and

WHEREAS, Section 932.7055, Fla. Stat. (2018), the Florida Contraband and Forfeiture Act, authorizes the expenditure of Law Enforcement Trust Funds-*State* for this purpose and the funds are available in the Law Enforcement Trust Fund-*State* account for the Police Department; and

WHEREAS, the Chief of Police of the Hialeah Police Department has recommended adoption of this resolution and determined that the proposed expenditure complies with the Florida Contraband Forfeiture Act, and all applicable rules, regulations and guidelines governing the expenditure of Law Enforcement Trust Fund-*State*; and

WHEREAS, the City finds the expenditure is in the public interest;


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

Section 1: The foregoing facts and recitations contained in the preamble to this resolution are hereby adopted and incorporated by reference as if fully set forth herein.

Section 2: The City of Hialeah, Florida hereby approves the expenditure of an amount not exceeding \$40,410 for six (6) S.W.O.R.D. deployable weapons kits and familiarization agency training course itemized in “Exhibit 1” (attached hereto) from Lou’s Police Distributor, lowest quoted vendor, from the Law Enforcement Trust Fund-*State*, upon such costs having been approved by the Chief of Police of the Hialeah Police Department having specifications and pursuant to the terms and conditions as set forth in “Exhibit 1.”

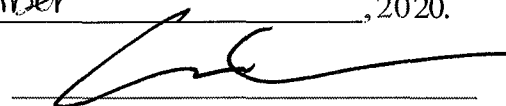
Section 3: This resolution shall become effective when passed by the City Council and signed by the Mayor.

PASSED AND ADOPTED this 13 day of October, 2020.

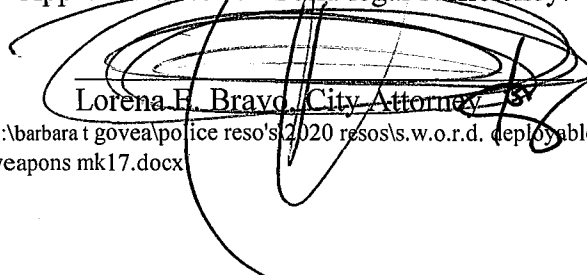

Paul B. Hernandez
Council President

Attest: Approved on this 2 day of November, 2020.


Marbelys Fatjo, City Clerk


Mayor Carlos Hernandez

Approved as to form and legal sufficiency:


Lorena H. Bravo, City Attorney

Resolution was adopted by 6-0-1 vote with Councilmembers, Cue-Fuente, Garcia-Roves, Hernandez, Perez, Tundidor and Zogby voting “Yes” and with Council Vice President De la Rosa not present during roll call. Council Vice President De la Rosa recorded his vote as “Yes” after the item was approved.

S.W.O.R.D. INTERNATIONAL



QUOTE

610 E. Glendale Ave
Sparks, NV 89431 USA
Phone: +1 (775) 343-1090

DATE 9/22/20
Quotation# HPD09222020
Customer ID

Order For:

Quotation valid until: 10/22/20
Prepared by: Curtis Hoskins

Comments or Special Instructions:

SALES PERSON	P.O. NUMBER	SHIP DATE	SHIP VIA	F.O.B. POINT	TERMS
CHOSKINS					

QUANTITY	PART NUMBER	DESCRIPTION	UNIT PRICE	TAXABLE?	AMOUNT
6	SI-SF1	SWORD SF1 deployable weapons kit.	\$8,500.00	N	\$51,000.00
6	SI-DMR-L1	SWORD International Semi-Auto familiarization agency training course	\$0.00	N	\$0.00
				N	\$0.00
				N	\$0.00
				N	\$0.00
				N	\$0.00
				N	\$0.00
		DEPOSIT	\$0.00		\$0.00

SUBTOTAL	\$51,000.00
TAX RATE	7.00%
SALES TAX \$	-
SHIPPING \$	150.00
TOTAL	\$51,150.00

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LOU'S POLICE DISTRIBUTORS, INC.

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Principal Address

7815 WEST 4TH AVENUE
HIALEAH, FL 33014

Mailing Address

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Changed: 04/03/2008

Registered Agent Name & Address

RICCOBONO, Linda
7815 WEST 4TH AVENUE
HIALEAH, FL 33014

Name Changed: 01/21/2013

Address Changed: 04/03/2008

Officer/Director Detail

Name & Address

Title P

RICCOBONO, LINDA R
7815 WEST 4TH AVENUE
HIALEAH, FL 33014

Title VP, Treasurer, Secretary

SARON, PATRICIA K

10/5/2020

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7070 WEST 4TH AVENUE
HIALEAH, FL 33014

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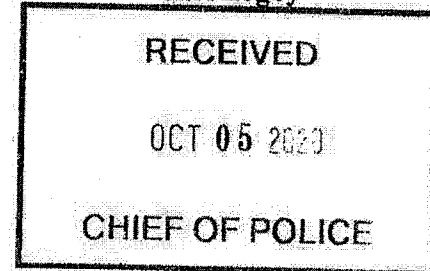
City of Hialeah

Council Members

Katharine Cue-Fuente
Jacqueline Garcia-Roves
Monica Perez
Jesus Tundidor
Carl Zogby

October 3, 2020

Honorable Mayor Carlos Hernandez
And Council Members
City of Hialeah
Hialeah, Florida 33010



RE: Six S.W.O.R.D. Deployable Weapons Kit and Familiarization Agency Training Course

Dear Mayor Hernandez and Council Members:

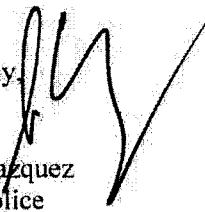
Request authorization to expend funds from account #105.1000.521.640 Law Enforcement Trust Fund State account in an amount not to exceed \$40,410.00 for six S.W.O.R.D. deployable weapons kit and familiarization agency training course.

Dear Mayor Hernandez and Council Members:

The Charter of Hialeah states that contracts in amounts greater than \$15,000.00 shall be awarded on the basis of specifications and formal sealed bids. The Council may award a contract to the lowest responsible and responsive bidder, or it may reject all bids and re-advertise; or it may waive competitive bidding when it finds it to be the best interest of the City.

The Hialeah Police Department's SWAT team is requesting to add six MK17s to their firearm inventory. The MK 17 is elected by law-enforcement and military professionals worldwide due to the accuracy and reliability. The accuracy of the MK 17 helps reduce liability with higher probability of hitting the intended target. After multiple torture test conducted by numerous customers the S.W.O.R.D. rifle platform continues to be the top contender. The MK 17 CBCS is also one of the most economic piston solution rifles with a lifetime warranty. Lou's Police Distributor is the lowest quoted vendor. Lou's Police Distributor is an active corporation and in good standing in the state of Florida.

The remaining available balance in Law Enforcement Trust Fund State account #105.1000.521.640 after this request is \$ _____, as of agenda deadline.

Respectfully,

Sergio Velazquez
Chief of Police

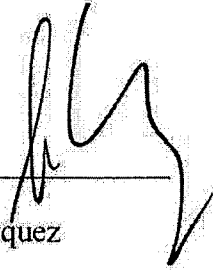
APPROVED / DISAPPROVED: _____
Luis Suarez, Acting Purchasing Manager

APPROVED / DISAPPROVED: _____
Ines F. Beecher, OMB Director

APPROVED / DISAPPROVED: _____
Carlos Hernandez, Mayor

AFFIDAVIT

I, Sergio Velazquez, Chief of Police, Hialeah Police Department, do hereby certify that the aforementioned request to expend funds from account #105.1000.521.640 L.E.T.F. State in a total amount not to exceed \$40,410.00 for six S.W.O.R.D. deployable weapons kit and familiarization agency training course.



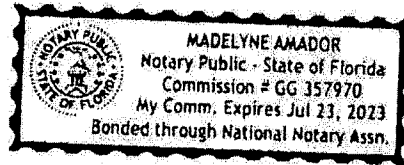
Sergio Velazquez
Chief of Police

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 3 day of October 2020

(Notary Seal)

Signature of Notary Public, State of Florida

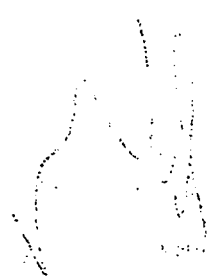
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