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**EXHIBIT 1  
RESOLUTION NO. 2020-**

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**A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF HALLANDALE BEACH, FLORIDA, CONDEMNING THE ANTI-SEMITIC SOCIAL MEDIA POSTS MADE BY THE FLORIDA STATE UNIVERSITY SENATE PRESIDENT AND REQUESTING THAT THE FLORIDA STATE UNIVERSITY PRESIDENT REMOVE THE INDIVIDUAL FROM THE FLORIDA STATE UNIVERSITY SENATE; FURTHER DIRECTING THE CITY CLERK TO TRANSMIT A COPY OF THIS RESOLUTION TO THE OFFICIALS NAMED HEREIN; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.**

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**WHEREAS**, the City of Hallandale Beach (the "City"), its Mayor and City Commission find that anti-Semitism and religious bias have no place in our city and we are committed to working actively against all forms of discrimination; and

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**WHEREAS**, the City actively promotes the acceptance of every race, ethnicity and religion; and

**WHEREAS**, the City asserts that everyone should be safe and not fear harm where they live, work and play; and

**WHEREAS**, the City denounces anti-Semitism, discrimination and bias against any race, ethnicity or religion; and

**WHEREAS**, the City became aware of social media posts made by the Florida State University Senate President which falsely compared the great State of Israel to evil Nazi Germany on his personal website, and included the statement "stupid jew thinks he is cool," in reference to a staged photograph of an Israeli soldier with his foot on a Palestinian child, as well as an Instagram post in which he wrote , "f\*\*\* Israel," posts he defended in a video circulated to the FSU student body on June 9th, 2020; and

**WHEREAS**, the City denounces the anti-Semitic social media posts made by the Florida State University Senate President; and

**WHEREAS**, the City encourages citizens to stand up against anti-Semitism in all its forms, and to speak out against anti- Semitism through peaceful speech and action; and

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**WHEREAS**, FSU researchers received \$233.6 million in funding for fiscal year 2019, \$7 million dollars more than 2018. Funds came from federal, state and private sources; and

**WHEREAS**, the City Commission encourages state and federal tax dollars to be awarded to public universities committed to fostering an all inclusive student body while taking a strong stance against anti-Semitism as well as all forms of bigotry and discrimination; and

**WHEREAS**, on July 15th, 2020, Florida State University Senate President attempted to stop two members of the Florida Jewish Legislative Caucus from speaking at a student senate meeting there in support of the 72nd Student Senate Resolution #59; and

**WHEREAS**, the City Commission hereby formally supports the adoption of FSU’s Student Senate Resolution #59: Committing to the following: 1. Immediately appointing a senate liaison for Hillel FSU to increase Jewish communication and representation within Student Government 2. Holding all members of the Student Government Association accountable to being educated on Jewish culture and anti-Semitism through communication with the Jewish community on campus 3. Supporting the creation of a task force with Florida State University’s administration and Alumni Association to advise on policies that impact Florida State University’s Jewish community and engage Jewish students at Florida State University; and

**WHEREAS**, the City is committed to safeguarding our community against the dangers of anti-Semitism, and to ensuring that the Constitutional rights of every person who lives, works, and visits our great City are protected.

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

**Section 1. Recitals.** That the recitals and findings contained above are hereby confirmed, adopted and incorporated herein.

**Section 2. Condemnation.** That the City Commission hereby condemns the social media posts made by the Florida State University Senate President that is deemed to be anti-Semitic, and declares its stance against anti-Semitism, racial, ethnic and religious bias and discrimination.

73 In addition, the City Commission strongly urges the Florida State University President to  
74 demonstrate Florida State University' s intolerance for such anti-Semitic social media posts by  
75 taking action, including the condemnation of the social media posts, and the removal of the Florida  
76 State University Senate President.

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78 **Section 3. Transmittal.** That the City Clerk is directed to transmit a copy of this Resolution  
79 to Florida State University President John E. Thrasher, Broward County Mayor Dale Holness, the  
80 Board of County Commissioners, the Executive Director of the Florida League of Cities, and the  
81 Broward County League of Cities.

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83 **Section 4. Effective Date.** That this Resolution shall become effective immediately upon  
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86 APPROVED AND ADOPTED THIS 5th day of August, 2020.

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90 Mayor Joy Cooper

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93 **SPONSORED BY: COMMISSIONER ANABELLE LIMA-TAUB**

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ATTEST:

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JENORGEN M. GUILLEN, CMC  
CITY CLERK

APPROVED AS TO LEGAL SUFFICIENCY  
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JENNIFER MERINO  
CITY ATTORNEY

**FINAL VOTE ON ADOPTION**  
Mayor Cooper \_\_\_\_\_  
Vice Mayor Javellana \_\_\_\_\_  
Commissioner Butler \_\_\_\_\_  
Commissioner Lazarow \_\_\_\_\_  
Commissioner Lima-Taub \_\_\_\_\_

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