BOROUGH OF HILLSDALE
RESOLUTION 25051

RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE BOROUGH OF HILLSDALE POLICE DEPARTMENT TO PARTICIPATE IN THE DEFENSE LOGISTICS AGENCY, LAW ENFORCEMENT SUPPORT OFFICE, 1033 PROGRAM TO ENABLE THE HILLSADLE POLICE DEPARTMENT TO REQUEST AND ACQUIRE EXCESS DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE EQUIPMENT

WHEREAS, The United States Congress authorized the Defense Logistics Agency (DLA) Law Enforcement Support Office (LESO) 1033 to make use of excess Department of Defense personal property by making that personal property available to municipal, county and State law enforcement agencies (LEAs); and

WHEREAS, DLA, rules mandate that all equipment acquired through the 1033 Program remains under control of the requesting LEA; and

WHEREAS, participation in the 1033 Program allows municipal and County LEAs to obtain property they might not otherwise be able to afford in order to enhance community preparedness, response and resiliency; and

WHEREAS, although property is provided through the 1033 Program at no cost to the municipal and county LEA's, these entities are responsible for the costs associated with delivery, maintenance, fueling and upkeep of the property, and for the specialized training on any acquired property.

WHEREAS, N.J.S.A. 40A:5-30.2 requires that the governing body of the municipality or county approve, by a majority of the full membership, both the enrollment in, and the acquisition of any property thru the 1033 Program.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, by the Borough Council of the Borough of Hillsdale that the Hillsdale Police Department is hereby authorized to enroll in the 1033 Program for no more than a one-year period, with authorization to participate terminating in December 31 of 2025.

NOW THEREFORE IT BE FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Hillsdale Police Department is hereby authorized to acquire items of non-controlled property designated "DEMIL-A", which may include office supplies, office furniture, computers, electronic equipment, generators, field packs, non-military vehicles, clothing, traffic and transit signal systems, exercise equipment, farming and moving equipment, storage devices and containers, tools, medical and first aid equipment and supplies, beds and sleeping mats, wet and cold weather equipment and supplies, respirators, binocular, and any other supplies or equipment of non-military nature identified by the LEA, if it shall become available in the period of time for which this resolution authorizes, based on the needs of the Hillsdale Police Department without restriction.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Hillsdale Police Department is hereby authorized to acquire the following "DEMIL B through Q" Property, if it shall become available in the period of time for which this resolution authorizes.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Hillsdale Police Department shall develop and implement a full training plan and policy for the maintenance and use of the acquired property.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Hillsdale Police Department shall provide a quarterly accounting of all property obtained thru the 1033 Program which shall be available to the public upon request.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that this resolution shall take effect immediately and shall be valid to authorize requests to acquire property that may be made available through the 1033 Program during the period of time which this resolution authorizes; with Program participation and all property request authorizations terminating on December 31, 2025.

Council member	Motion	Second	Yes	No	Absent	Abstain	Recuse
Colletti, Robert		X	X				
Fox, Justin			X				
Mazza-Chiong, Melissa			X				
Osso, Clemente			X				
Ruocco, John			X				
Trochimiuk, Janetta	X		X				
Sheinfield, Michael							

Adopted: January 14, 2025

Attest: Denise Kohan

Denise Kohan
Municipal Clerk

Michael Sheinfield
Mayor